

Party Tonight!

Count: 48

Wall: 2

Level: Contra dance

Choreographer: Kate Sala (UK) & Jamie Barnfield (UK) - September 2023

Music: Let's Have a Party - Wanda Jackson

Intro: 16 counts

This is a fun party dance that is danced in lines facing a partner. Enjoy and have fun!

S1: SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, TOUCH, SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, TOUCH

1-2 Step Right to Right side, close Left next to Right
3-4 Step Right to Right side, touch Left next to Right
5-6 Step Left to Left side, close Right next to Left
7-8 Step Left to Left side, touch Left next to Right

S2: TOUCH STEP X4

1-2 Touch Right toe across left as you clap right hand with person opposite you, step Right to side
3-4 Touch Left toe across Right as you clap Left hand with person opposite you, step Left to side
5-6 Touch Right toe across left as you clap right hand with person opposite you, step Right to side
7-8 Touch Left toe across Right as you clap Left hand with person opposite you, step Left to side

S3: PIVOT 1/2, PIVOT 1/2

1-2 Step forward on Right, HOLD
3-4 Pivot 1/2 Left, HOLD (weight on Left)
5-6 Step forward on Right, HOLD
7-8 Pivot 1/2 Left, HOLD (weight on Left)

S4: TWIST TO THE RIGHT CLAP, TWIST TO THE LEFT, CLAP

1-2 Small step Right to right side as you twist both heels to Right, both toes to the right
3-4 Twist both heels to Right, HOLD & clap hands
5-6 Twist both heels to Left, both toes to the Left
7-8 Twist both heels to Right, HOLD & clap hands

S5: BOX TURN

1-2 1/4 Left as you step Right to Right side, HOLD
3-4 1/4 Left as you step Left to Left side, HOLD
5-6 1/4 Left as you step Right to Right side, HOLD
7-8 1/4 Left as you step Left to Left side, HOLD

(During this section you are box turning around the person in front of you and you end up back where you started.)

S6 : OUT, HOLD, OUT, HOLD, BUMP HIPS ROUND IN 1/2 CIRCLE BACKWARDS

1-2 Step Right to Right side, HOLD
3-4 Step Left to Left side, HOLD
5-6 Bump hips to right side, bump back to right diagonal
7-8 Bump back to left diagonal, bump to Left side (weight on Left)

***TAG: To be done at the end of the 3rd Repetition**

T:1 OUT, HOLD, OUT, HOLD

1-2 Step Right to Right side, HOLD
3-4 Step Left to Left side, HOLD