

"RED ROSES FOR A BLUE LADY"

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RECORD : "Red Roses for a Blue Lady" Bert Kaempfert - Decca #31722
POSITION: Closed, unless otherwise noted
Footwork: Opposite throughout - Directions for man

INTRO None - Wait for three beats of music then begin. *Closed Facing LOD*

1 - 4 WALK-2; 2 STEP TURN; BACK-2; 2 STEP TURN;

Starting in CP, walk in LOD, L-R; execute a 2 step turn ending with the M's back to LOD; Back up in LOD, R-L; Then another 2 step turn to end with M fac diag LOD in S/C pos.

5 - 8 TWINKLE OUT; TWINKLE IN; ROCK FWD; DIP BACK;

In side car pos, do a 2 step twinkle diag toward wall, changing to banjo on the 4th count; 2 step twinkle toward COH ending in C pos on 4th count; Rock fwd on L, recover on R; Dip back on L, recover on R.

9 - 12 WALK-2; 2 STEP TURN; BACK-2; 2 STEP TURN;

Repeat measures 1 thru 4

13 - 16 TWINKLE OUT; TWINKLE IN; ROCK FWD; DIP BACK;

Repeat measures 5 thru 8 except on meas. 16, end in semi-closed pos.

17 - 20 FWD 2 STEP; FWD 2 STEP; VINE 2-3-TCH; CHANGE SIDES 2-3-TCH;

In S/C pos, do 2 fwd 2 steps L-R-L; R-L-R; ending in bfly; in LOD, vine side behind side touch; L-R-L tch R; change sides with W going under lead hands, (mans left arm) R-L-R tch L, ending in S/C fac RLOD;

21 - 24 FWD 2 STEP; FWD 2 STEP; VINE 2-3-TCH; CHANGE SIDES 2-3-TCH;

Repeat measures 17 thru 20 in RLOD ending in S/C pos.

25 - 28 WALK-2; CUT-CUT; WALK-2; TWIRL-2;

In S/C pos, walk fwd L-R; then with weight on R foot, cross L over R and take weight on L, step back on R, with feet still crossed bring L back to R, take weight on L, step back on R, Take weight on R; Walk fwd L-R; as man walks fwd 2 more steps L-R, W does a R fac twirl under M's left arm ending in Closed pos M facing wall

29 - 32 2 STEP TURN; 2 STEP TURN; APART-POINT; TOGETHER- BEND, BEND;

In C pos, do 2 turning 2 steps L-R-L; R-L-R; end fac LOD; with M's left hand and W's right hands joined, step apart (M's L W's R) point R; step together (M's R, W's L) to ~~closed~~ side car and do 2 quick knee bends in time with music then to top of dance. *Bfly*

TAG; TURN AWAY 2; 3-BEND;

Dance goes trough twice. on measure 32, the second time trough, do a togther touch then turning away from each other in a slight arc, step snap, step snap, step snap, bend; execute steps and snap fingers on off beat ending on 4th count doing a knee bend to the right ~~with hands on hips~~.

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