

1960 SANTA BARBARA FOLK DANCE CONFERENCE

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SÂRBA

Rumania

- SOURCE:** The Sârba comes from western Rumania in the Banat region.
- RECORD:** Rumania and the Gypsies- Bruno 50058, Side A, Bank 7 De Tre Potcauii Calul 2/4 time.
- FORMATION:** Broken circle of M and W. Leader at R end. Joined hands are held down.
- STEPS:** Walking steps are done with small plie' or bend of knee.

Music 2/4

Pattern

meas

5 INTRODUCTION. No action.

I. WALKING

1-9 Starting with R to R, walk 9 steps (1 to a meas).

10-18 Starting with L to L, walk 9 steps.

II. MOVING TO SIDE

1 Facing ctr, step to R side with R (ct 1). Step L in back of R (ct 2).

2-6 Repeat action of meas 1 five more times (6 in all). On meas 6, ct 2 stamp L next to R (no wt).

7-12 Repeat action of meas 1-6 but start with L and go to L. On meas 12, ct 2 stamp R next to L (no wt).

13-24 Repeat action of Fig II, meas 1-12.

25 Stamp R again (no wt).

REPEAT ALL OF FIG I AND FIG II. Omit meas 25 of Fig II. End with wt on R.

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Sârba (cont'd)

III. STAMPS

- 1-4 Facing ctr, stamp L in front of R (no wt), bending L knee and pointing L toe to R (meas 1). Place L next to R (no wt) (meas 2). Repeat action for meas 3-4 but place wt on L in meas 4.
- 5-6 Step to R side with R (meas 5, ct 1). Step L in front of R (ct 2). Step to R side with R (meas 6, ct 1). Step L next to R (ct 2).
- 7-12 Repeat action of meas 1-6 (Fig III) but begin with stamp with R, and do sidestep to L.
- 13-24 Repeat action of meas 1-12 (Fig III). On meas 24, ct 2 do not put wt on R

IV. STEP-HOP GRAPEVINE

- 1-4 Travelling in CCW direction, step to R on R (meas 1, ct 1). Hop on R (ct 2). Step-hop on L in front of R (meas 2). Step-hop on R to R (meas 3). Step-hop on L behind R (meas 4). (This pattern is like a grapevine step done with step-hops.)
- 5-32 Repeat action of meas 1-4 (Fig IV) 7 more times. On meas 32, instead of step-hop on L, step L next to R (no wt).

V. STAMPS

- 1-12 Repeat action of Fig III, meas 1-12. This is $\frac{1}{2}$ the original figure so stamps will only be done with the L and R ft once each and not repeated. End with wt on L and R free.

VI. STEP-HOP GRAPEVINE

- 1-16 Repeat action of Fig IV, meas 1-4 four times.