SQUARES FOR BEGINNERS

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TEXAS STAR

- 1. Ladies to the ctr and back to the bar
- 2. Gents to the ctr for a RH star
- 3. Back by the L but not too far.
- 4. Pass your ptr and pick up the next
- 5. Gents back out and the L's swing in.
- 6. Now star by the R with the L's in
- 7. Break in the middle and everybody swing
- 8. Promenade around the ring.
- 9. (Repeat 1 thru 8 three more times to get original partner).

SPLIT THE RING

- I. Cpl No. 1 bow and swing
- 2. Go down the ctr, split the ring
- 3. Lady go R, gent go L
- 4. Go round two, back to home
- Everybody, face your partner,
- 6. Box the Gnat, pull her by
- 7. Allemande L your corner. Repeat for each couple

THE ARCH

- I. Couple No. I bow and swing
- 2. Go down the center, split the ring
- 3. Lady go R, gent go L,
- Go round three,
- 5. Hook on the sides, to lines of 3
- 6. Fwd six and back you march
- Fwd six and make a double arch
- 8. Lone couple tunnel thru,
- 9. Swing at the end, just you two
- 10. Tunnel back, and now your home
- II. Everybody swing your own Repeat for each cpl

RUNOUTTANAMES

- 1. 1st and 3rd bow and swing
- 2. Promenade outside the ring
- 3. All the way around two by two
- 4. While 2 and 4 do a R and L thru
- 5. 1st and 3rd lead out the R
- Circle four you're doing fine
- 7. Open out into a line
- Fwd eight and 8 fall back
- 9. Now pass thru and turn to the L
- Make a LH star you're not thru yet II. Gents reach back with your RH
- 12. Pull them thru for a R and L grand

CROSS TRAILS

- 1. 1st and 3rd go fwd and back
- 2. Fwd again let's have a little fun
- 3. Cross trail thru go around just one
- Go down the ctr and cross trail thru
- Go round just one you're still not thru
- 6. Now pass right thru across the set
- 7. Around just one you're not thru yet
- Fwd again and pass right thru
- Around just one you're almost thru
- 10. Now cross trail thru to a L allemande

WHIRLEY BIRD

- 1. 1 & 3 go out to the right
- Head me n break to lines of 4
- 3. Fwd eight and eight fall back
- 4. All whirl away with a half sashay
- 5. Then inside 4 whirl away with a half sahsay
- 6. Circle eight and
- 7. All four men left square thru
- 8. half way 2 hands
- 9. L allemande

CONFOUND IT

- Promenade
- One and Three wheel around
- 3. Box the Gnat and You turn back
- 4. On to the next, Box the Flea
- 5. Change Girls, Box the Gnat
- 6. Right and Left grand after that.

PRETZEL

- 1. 1st and 3rd half sashay
- 2. Box the gnat across the way
- 3. Face the sides and circle half
- 4. All 4 couples California Twirl
- Outside 4 separate
- 6. Box the flea with the one you meet
- 7. Face the middle, box the gnat
- 8. Face the sides and circle half
- 9. All four couples California Twirl
- 10. Outside 4 separate
- 11. Meet your own, box the flea
- 12. Face the middle, box the gnat
- 13. Cross trail thru, left allemande

GOTCHER SNEAKER



- One and two do a R and L thru
- 2. Three and four do a R and L thru
- New one and three cross trail thru L allemande