

## BOURREE VALSEE D'ISSOUDUN

(Lower Berry)

Another dance from the straight bourrée family. This version substitutes the second part, which is usually a "croisement" to turn with ptr, or "waltz" like they say in Berry.

Music: Record: Uni-Disc Ex 33-173, Side A, band 2, 3/8 meter

Formation: M on one line facing W on another line, 4 ft apart.

Steps: As described in "Basic Steps for Bourrées".

Measures Pattern

4 meas Introduction. On meas 4, turn L shoulder twd ptr.

A Figure I - Avant-deux

1-4 Starting with L ft, M move twd W with "avant-deux épaulé" steps.

NOTE: As in Bourrée Droite, W begins the same action only 2 meas late.

On meas 2, M join R hand with W L hand. They do the same on meas 4, joining the opp hand.

1-4 repeat Repeat meas 1-4, Figure I.

1-4 and Repeat meas 1-4 and repeat, Fig. I. On last 2 meas M dances repeat in place and with joined hands, guides W twd him so R hips are adjacent. R hands are on ptrs L waist and outside hands are down. W may hold skirt. Turn is done in this position.

B Figure II - Turns

1-4 Ptrs turn CW using 4 bourree steps. There is a stamp on the 1st ct of the 4th step.

1-4 repeat Repeat meas 1-4, Fig. II

1-4 and Repeat meas 1-4, Fig. II, and repeat. Use the last 2 meas to repeat assume original pos. Omit the stamp on the 1st ct of last 4th step.

Repeat from beginning.