

Einfacher Dreher

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Unterinntal, Austria

SUGGESTED RECORD: Tanz SP 23054

METER: 3/4

STEPS Dreierschritt (Triple walking step) walking steps in 3/4 time

FORMATION: Couples side by side with Left shoulders adjacent,
Ladies face in, men face out of circle.
Hands are joined behind partners' backs.

INTRODUCTION:

Couples turn CCW with 8 triple walking steps.
At the end the man faces out and the woman faces in
NOTE: This figure is done only once.

PATTERN

Meas.

1-2

Man releases Right hand. The lady turns under his raised Left hand $1\frac{1}{2}$ times clockwise in place ending facing out. At the same time the man walks 6 steps in a semi-circle in LOD around the lady so that he is now facing in. He places his free Right hand behind his back.

3-4

The lady reaches with her outstretched Left hand to grasp his Right hand behind his back, at the same time releasing her own Right hand. The man now turns under her raised Left hand $1\frac{1}{2}$ times clockwise with 6 steps in place while she walks a semi-circle around him in Line of Direction with 6 steps.

She now faces the center, he faces out. Her free Right hand is now placed behind her back where he grasps it with his Left hand. Continue the figure from the beginning. Man releases his Right hand.....etc.

NOTE: With each six-step turn, the couple moves slightly in LOD. It is important that the dancers remain shoulder to shoulder and face in and out respectively so as not to lose their directional orientation.

Presented by Karin P. Gottier at Maine Folk Dance Camp 1980

