Juriška

(East Serbia)

Juriška translates as "I proposed (and was accepted)." The dance comes from the region of Bela Palanka. The dance pattern has 10 measures; music is in 8-measure phrases.

Pronunciation:

YOO-reesh-kah

Music:

Record: RTB LP-2310228 Side B/3

2/4 meter

Cassette: Djordević 1996 No. 2 Side B/2

Formation:

Line or open circle, no partners, leader at R end. Hands in belt-hold, L over R, wt on L ft.

Steps:

Step-Close: Step on one ft (ct 1); step on other ft beside the first (ct 2).

<u>Meas</u>

Pattern Pattern

No introduction.

DANCE

1	Moving in LOD, step on R (ct 1); hop on R (ct 2).
2	Continuing, step on L (ct 1); hop on L (ct 1).
3	Facing ctr, step on R to R side (ct 1); step on L in front of R (ct 2);
4	Step on R to R side (ct 1); lift onto ball of R ft (a modified hop) (ct 2).
5-6	Repeat meas 3-4 with opp ftwk and direction.
7-10	Repeat meas 3-6.

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