

KAITIKOS DIRTOS
HANIOTIKOS

Source: Collected by Harry Brauser on Crete, 1975
Meter: 7/8 (1,2,3)
Formation: hand held along line, shoulder level
Record:

Meas.

Basic

- 1 Loose kick fwd. with L. (ct.1). Lft leg crosses behind R. and steps (ct.2). Step R. to rt. (ct.3).
- 2 Step L. crossing over R. (ct.1). Rock rt. onto R. (ct.2). Rock lft. onto L. (ct.3).
- 3 Repeat meas. 2 opp. ftwk. opp. direction.
- 4 Step onto L. over R. (ct.1). Touch R. to rt. (ct.2). Step strongly onto R. (ct.3).

Variation I

Measures 2 and 3 (the "rocks") are done just stepping into center on meas. 2 with 3 steps and out on meas. 3 with 3 steps. This step may also circle in and left then out, or simply in and staying in for basic or two, and then out.

Variation II

"rocks" are again replaced, this time by stepping behind lft. foot with R., meas. 2 (ct.2), side lft. with L. (ct. 3). Meas. 3. Step behind to lft with R. again (ct.1). Bring L. behind R. and moving rt. (ct.2). Step side with R. (ct.3). Meas. 4. Step behind again on L. (ct.1). cts. 2 and 3, same as basic.