SIRBA DE LA DRAGASANI (Oltenia, Romania)

Pronunciation:

Cassette: Romanian Folk Dances - N. Hilferink Side B/5 2/4 meter

Formation: Mixed lines. Hands joined at shldr level, elbows bent ("W" pos); or shldr hold "T" pos).

Meas	<u>Pattern</u>
16 meas	Introduction.
1	Fig A. Facing ctr, step on R across L (ct l); step L on spot (ct 2).
2 3 4	Facing and travelling LOD, step R,L (cts 1,2). Step R,L (cts 1,2). Step R (ct 1); hop on R (ct 2).
5 6 7	Turning to face ctr, step L (ct 1); hop on L (ct 2). Touch R heel (ct 1); hop on L, lifting R knee (ct 2). Step R to R (ct 1); step L behind R (ct 2).
8-11 12 13	Repeat meas 4-7. Facing ctr, step R to R (ct 1); close L to R (ct 2). Step R to R (ct 1); stamp L beside R, no wt (ct 2).
14 15 16	Repeat stamp (cts 1,2). Step L fwd (ct 1); close R to L (ct 2). Step L fwd (cts 1,2).
1 2 3	Fig B. Facing and travelling LOD, lift R knee (ct 1); step R (ct 2). Lift L knee (ct 1); step L (ct 2).
4 5	Lift R knee (ct 1); step R (ct 2). Step L across R (ct 1); step R on spot (ct 2). Turning to face ctr, lift L (ct 1); step L to L (ct 2).
6 7 8	Step R across L (ct 1); step L on spot (ct 2). Lift R knee (ct 1); step R to R (ct 2). Step L across R (ct 1); step R on spot (ct 2).
9-16 17-24 25-32	Repeat meas 1-8 with opp ftwk and direction. Repeat meas 1-8 facing ctr and travelling fwd. Repeat meas 9-16 facing ctr and travelling bkwd.

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