## Shir - Israel

## Choreographed by Israel Shiker - 1990

Circle, hands in V-position. Meter 2/4

Measure	Count	Step
Part I		
1	1-2	Facing center, step on R foot to R (1), step on L foot behind R foot (2), step on R foot in place (&).
2		Repeat measure 1 with opposite footwork and in opposite direction.
3		Step on R foot in front of L foot (1), step on L foot in place (&), make a two-step turn to R and end up facing center (2&).
4	1-2	Turn to face LOD and step forward on R foot (1), step forward on L foot (2), step forward on R foot (&).
5	1-2	Step forward on L foot and turn to face center (1), Sway on R foot to R (2), sway on L foot to L (&).
6	1-2	Step on R foot across L foot (1), hold (&), step on L foot across R foot (2), hold (&).
7	1-2	Step on R foot to R (1), step on L foot in place (&), step on R foot in front of L foot (2), step on L foot in place (&)
8	1-2	Make a three-step turn to R, and end up facing center (1&2), step on L foot across R foot (&).
9-16		Repeat measures 1-8
Part II		
1	1-2	Facing center, step forward on R foot (1), step forward on L foot (&), step forward on R foot (2), brush L foot forward (&).
2	1-2	Step back on L foot (1), close R foot to L foot (&), step onto L foot across R foot, turning to face LOD (2), brush R foot forward (&).
3	1-2	Step on R foot to R (1), step on L foot behind R foot (&), step on R foot to R (2), step on L foot across R foot (&).
4	1-2	Step on R foot to R, turning to face center (1), step on L foot next to R foot (&), step forward on R foot (2), hold (&).
5	1-2	Step back onto L foot (1), close R foot to L foot (&), step forward on L foot (2), pivot L to face out of circle (&).
6	1-4	Repeat measure 5 with opposite footwork and pivoting to R instead of L. End up facing center. <b>Note</b> : During measures 5 & 6, most people drop hands. In San

Francisco, some groups leave hands joined and bring the arms up, over the head and down to accomodate the pivots.

- 7 Repeat measure 5 without the pivot.
- Step on R foot across L foot (1), step back on L foot (&), step on R foot to side (2), step on R foot in front of L foot (&). [Box step].
- 9-16 Repeat measures 1-8.
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