

ST. JOHN RIVER - SCOTTISH

Calclan CC-1-45A (45)

4 couples, longways, M L shoulder to music

Basic step - Strathspey: Step fwd R; close L instep to R heel; step fwd, knee bent slightly; hop R, bring L through, knee straight. Step is done on balls of feet, toes turned out.

INTRO: Chord. M bow, W curtsy. All begin R throughout.

- I. #1W cast off (turn to R) behind W#2, cross set, around M#3, cross set, around W#4, to end at foot of set. M#1 follows partner (8 basic steps). On last meas couples #2&4 form arches (2 hands across), cpl #3 step back slightly.
- II. Cpl #1 join ML,WRH and go under arch (2 basics); join both H's with partner and circle 1-1/2 CW (4 basics); drop ML,WRH, go under top arch to original place (2 basics). On last meas, cpls #2,3,4 face head of set.
- III. Cpl #1 join ML,WRH and go down center of set (4 basics). At same time others dance to top on outside, turn and follow #1 down center (except cpl #4, who get to the top just in time to turn out and lead back down outside. #3,2,1 turn around (change H's), come up center, and follow #4 down outside to places (4 basics).
- IV. All cpls do-sa-do ptrn (pass R shoulders, back to place), 4 basics.
#1 Cpl face down set and do Grand R&L to bottom (4 basics).
Re-number set (new top cpl is #1) and do dance 3 more times.