

INTERMEDIATE

BLACKBERRY BLOSSOM

RALPH'S RECORDS
(CLOGCUE)

Written For: Monika Perna Lednikova and the Flashtaps Cloggers • Pernek, Slovakia -taught 2019.

*Note: This Dance has 10 sections that are 32 counts each plus an 8 beat intro and an 8 beat ending
This dance has all the components of a competitive open precision routine. Footwork may be
Changed to match the level of the dancers.*

THE SEQUENCE:

WAIT 8 A B C D E F G H I J K(8 COUNT ENDING)

THE STEPS:

A (PARTNERING WILL ACCOMPANY THE STEPS)

Start in Promenade position – lady on left, gent on right

4 SINGLES – D S D S D S D S

1. Face
2. Lady (person on right) turn right, hands over head.
3. Slap legs
4. Hands on hips

2 BASICS - D S R S D S R S

Roll to the right to face front, lady behind gent

4 SINGLES – D S D S D S D S

1. Gent – hands palms up
2. Lady – hand on top of gents hands, palm down.
3. Right hand over gent head
4. Hands down to promenade position lady on left

2 BASICS – D S R S D S R S

As a couple turn ½ to face back

TRIPLE – D S D S D S R S

Roll lady to right, face each other.

TRIPLE – D S D S D S R S

California twirl to change sides, face each other

Shoot - D S D S D S STA LIFT (MOVE FORWARD) D S D S D S R S

Pass right shoulder to right shoulder facing opposite directions

Back up, Face front hands in promenade position.

B

Continue to hold hands in promenade position

SIMONE STEP – DBL BACK BR LIFT TCH (XIF) TCH (XIF) TCH (OTS) TCH (XIF) D S R S

Turn right as a couple, couples 1 & 3 will stagger with couples 2 & 4

2 BASIC – D S R S D S R S

FANCY DOUBLE – D S D S R S R S

Continue to hold hands in promenade position facing front.

SIMONE STEP (RIGHT FOOT) – DBL BACK BR LIFT TCH (XIF) TCH (XIF) TCH (OTS) TCH (XIF) D S R S

2 BASIC – D S R S D S R S

Move to one line

FANCY DOUBLE – D S D S R S R S (MOVE TO SMALL CIRCLE)

Couple face in a small circle

C (A SMALL CIRCLE 4 LEAF CLOVER WILL ACCOMPANY THE STEPS)

8 – TRIPLE – D S D S D S R S

1 & 2 – Full Circle left

3 & 4 – Four leaf clover, odds duck under

5 & 6 – Full Circle left

7 & 8 – Even Couple roll it over

D (SWING CORNER & SWING PARTNER)

6 BASICS – D S R S

Facing corner, 2 hand swing, 1 ½ turn, roll lady to right to face partner

SIMONE STOMP – D S D S ST ST DR SL (LIFT LEFT LEG)

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Face Front – gent moves behind lady

E (PARTNERING WILL ACCOMPANY THE STEPS)

2 CHAIN – D S R S R S R S

Do Si Do – both facing audience, lady moves left, gent moves right

8 BASIC – D S R S D S R S

1. Left hands up

2. Lady rolls behind gent, right hands up

3-4 As couple Turn ½ left to face back, lady behind gent

5. Lift left hand

6. Lady Roll left beside partner facing back – hands in promenade position

7. Turn toward partner to face front
8. Turn toward partner to face back

2 TRIPLES – D S D S D S R S

Move to large circle facing out.

F (BIG CIRCLE FACING OUT)

SIDE MOVE – D S D S D S S(XIB) S(OTS) S(XIF) S(OTS) LIFT D S R S

STOMP DOUBLE – ST D S D S R S

BASKET BALL TURN – D S D S S (TURN ½ RIGHT) S

SIDE MOVE – FACE CENTER OF CIRCLE

STOMP DOUBLE

BASKET BALL TURN (ONLY LADIES TURN)

G (BASKET OF DAISIES)

2 BASICS – D S R S D S R S

STOMP STOMP – BIG GIRLS PICK UP LITTLE GIRLS IN CIRCLE

On counts 7-8 gents bend knees and grasp wrists, ladies sit with crossed ankles, weight on elbows.

On counts 1 -2 gents stand up

CIRCLE LEFT – left, right, left, right (2 counts each step – starts on 3-4)

STOMP STOMP (on counts 3-4)

On counts 5-6 gents bend knees to allow ladies feet to touch the floor

On counts 7-8 gents stand up

4 BASICS

Progress as a couple to different small circle.

H (SMALL CIRCLE – MOW THE WHEAT AND CUT THE CLOVER; OVER AND UNDER)

2 TRIPLE – D S D S D S R S

CIRCLE LEFT ONE FULL TURN

COWBOY – D S D S D S BR SLIDE (MOVE FORWARD) D S R S R S R S (MOVE BACK)

ODD COUPLE MAKE AN ARCH, MOVE FORWARD OVER EVEN COUPLE

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2 TRIPLE – D S D S D S R S

CIRCLE LEFT ½ TURN

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I (SWING CORNER AND PARTNER – SAME AS SECTION D)

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Facing partner, 2 hand swing, 1 ½ turn, roll lady to right, face corner

SIMONE STOMP – D S D S ST ST DR SL (LIFT LEFT LEG)
FACE FRONT MAKE ONE LINE

J (RISE AND SHINE – PICK YOUR FAVORITE STEP)

LINE 1 – 16 COUNTS, MOVE FORWARD AND DANCE, BACK UP (ON COUNTS 13 – 16)
LINE 2 – 16 COUNTS, MOVE FORWARD AND DANCE, BACK UP (ON COUNTS 13 – 16)
Hold inside hands on count 16

K – 8 COUNT ENDING – PARTNER TURN AND POSE HANDS UP

TRIPLE – D S D S D S R S
Lady roll in (be sure right hand is on top)
2 SINGLES – D S D S
ROLL LADY OUT TO RIGHT
JUMP
HEEL OUT – HANDS UP – SAY “HEY”



BLACKBERRY BLOSSUM

Intro: Wait — Beats
 Level: Intermediate Line
 Sequence: A, B, C, D, A, B, C, D, A, B, ¼ C

C.L.O.G. & Simone Terminology

Cued by:
SIMONE NICHOLS
 Choreographer

Time: 2:45
 BPM: 130

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VINE BALL SLIDE

8	S	
&		R
7	SL	LIFT
&	BA	
6		S(xif)
&		D
5	S(ots)	
&	D	
4		S(xib)
&		D
3	S(ots)	
&	D	
2		S(xif)
&		D
1	S(ots)	
&	D	
L		R

KICK ROCK

4	LIFT	SL
&		DR
3		S
&	R	(TURN ½ L)
2	LIFT	SL
&		DR
1		S
&		D
L		R

MARCI

4		S
&	BO	HIT
3		
&	S	
2		S(xif)
&		D
1	ST	
&		
L		R

SIMONE

8	S	
&		R
7	S	
&	D	
6	LIFT	SL
&	TCH(xif)	DR
5	LIFT	SL
&	TCH(ots)	DR
4	LIFT	SL
&	TCH(xif)	DR
3	LIFT	SL
&	TCH(xif)	DR
2	LIFT	SL
&	BR	DR
1		SL
&	D(b)	DR
L		R

BASKETBALL TURN

8	S	
&		R
7	S	
&		R
6	S	
&	D	
5		S
&		D
4	BA	
3		BA(TURN ½ LEFT)
&		
2	S	
&	D	
1		S
&		D
L		R

TURKEY STEP

4	S	
&		R
3	S	
&	D	
2		S
&	FLAP	
1	DIG	
&		
L		R

LEES' CROSSTOE

4		TIP(xif)
&		DRAG FOOT IN
3	S	
&		R
2	S	
&	D	
1		S
&		D
L		R

POTHOLE

4	LIFT	SL
&	BO	BO(TOGETHER)
3	BO	BO(ots)
&		D
2	SL	LIFT
&	BO	BO(TOGETHER)
1	BO	BO(ots)
&	D	
L		R

FANCY STOMP DOUBLE

4		S
&	R	
3		S
&	R	
2		S
&		D
1	ST(TURN ¼ R)	
&		
L		R

The Sections:

A = 1 Vine Ball Slide
 1 Kick Rock
 1 Marci
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 1 Kick Rock
 1 Marci

B = 1 Simone
 1 Basketball Turn
 1 Simone
 1 Basketball Turn

C = 1 Turkey Step
 1 Lees' Crosstoe
 Repeat above 3x's

D = 1 Pothole
 1 Fancy Stomp Double
 Repeat above 3x's



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