

# MAY I HAVE THIS DANCE

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CD: The Best of Ballroom English Waltz Track 14  
RHYTHM: Waltz  
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FOOTWORK: Opposite Throughout except (*Woman's if different*)

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## INTRODUCTION

### 1 – 4 LOP-FCG DLW WAIT ; ; TOG TCH TO CP ; BOX FINISH ;

- 1-2] DLW Ld hnds jnd ld ft free wait ; ;
- 3-4] Tog L to CP, tch R, - ; Bk R, trn ¼ LF sd L, cl R [DLC] ;

## PART A

### 1 – 4 2 LEFT TURNS ; ; HOVER ; PICKUP TO SCAR ;

- 1] Fwd L comm LF trn, cont LF trn sd R, cl L completing 3/8 LF trn ;
- 2] Cont LF trn bk R, cont LF trn sd L, cl R end in CP DLW ;
- 3] Fwd L, fwd & slightly sd R rise to ball of ft, sd & slightly fwd L to tight SCP DLC ;
- 4] Thru R, trng RF (*LF*) sd L, cont RF trn cl R ending SCAR DLW ;

### 5 – 8 CROSS HOVER 3 X ; ; ; FWD FC CL ;

- 5] Fwd L w/slight xing action comm to rise & begin a ¼ LF trn, sd & slightly fwd R cont rise & comp the ¼ LF trn, fwd L to BJO DLC ;
- 6] Fwd R w/slight xing action comm to rise & begin a ¼ RF trn, sd & slightly fwd L cont rise & comp the ¼ RF trn, fwd R to SCAR DLW ;
- 7] Repeat Meas 5 ;
- 8] Fwd R comm RF trn, cont RF trn sd L to fc ptr & wall , cl R end CP WALL ;

### 9 – 12 WHISK ; THRU CHASSE TO BJO ; FWD FWD LK FWD ; MANEUVER ;

- 5] Fwd L, fwd & sd R comm rise, XLIB comp rise to ball of ft end in tight SCP LOD ;
- 6] Thru R, fc ptr sd L/cl R, sd & fwd L to BJO DLW ;

### 12&3 7] Fwd R, fwd L/lk RIB, fwd L ;

- 8] Fwd R trng RF, sd L in front of W, cl R (*Sm bk L comm RF trn L, cont trn sd R to fc ptr, cl L*) to CP RLOD ;

### 13 – 16 PIVOT TO SEMI ; THRU HOVER TO BJO ; BACK HOVER TO SCP ; THRU FC CL ;

- 13] Lower & comm RF tm bk L, fwd R btwn W ft , fwd L to SCP LOD (*W fwd R trng RF, bk L cont RF trn, fwd R*) ;
- 14] Thru R, fwd L w/rise & LF upper body trn, rec bk R (*Thru L, fwd R with LF trn brush L to R, rec fwd L*) BJO ;
- 15] Bk L, sd & bk R w/rise & RF body trn, rec sd & fwd L (*Fwd R, sd & fwd L w/rise & RF trn brush R, rec fwd R*) SCP ;
- 16] Thru R, trng to fc ptr & WALL sd L to CP, cl R ;

## PART B

### 1 – 4 INTERRUPTED BOX ; ; ; TO CP ;

- 1] Fwd L, sd R, cl L ;
- 2] Bk R, sd L, cl R ldg W into RF underarm trn (*Fwd L comm RF trn under jnd ld hnds, fwd R cont RF trn, cl L*) ;
- 3] Fwd L, sd R, cl L (*Fwd R cont RF trn, fwd L cont RF trn, cl R to fc ptr*) ;
- 4] Bk R, sd L, cl R to CP WALL ;

### 5 – 8 DIP BK & HOLD ; REC TO SCAR ; TWINKLE TO BJO ; FWD FC CL ;

- 5] Bk L relaxing L knee, - , - ;
- 6] Rec fwd R comm RF trn, sm sd L fc DRW, cl R ;
- 7] Fwd L, trng LF sd R fc DLW, cl L ;
- 8] Fwd R comm RF trn, cont RF trn sd L to fc ptr & wall , cl R ;

### 9 – 12 TWISTY VINE 3 ; MANUVER ; SPIN TURN ; BOX FINISH ;

- 9] Sd L, XRIB, sd L trng LF to BJO DLW ;
- 10] Fwd R trng RF, sd L in front of W, cl R (*Sm bk L comm RF trn L, cont trn sd R to fc ptr, cl L*) to CP RLOD ;
- 11] Bk L pvt RF 3/8, fwd R btwn ptr's ft pvt 1/4, sd & bk L (*Fwd R btwn ptr's ft pivot 3/8, cont RF trn back & slightly sd L rising brush R to L, fwd R btwn ptr's ft*) CP DLW ;
- 12] Bk R, trn ¼ LF sd L, cl R [DLC] ;

### 13 – 16 LEFT TURNING BOX ; ; ; TO SCAR ;

- 13] Fwd L, trn ¼ LF sd R, cl L ;
- 14] Bk R, trn ¼ LF sd L, cl R ;
- 15-16] Repeat meas. 13 ; Bk R, sm sd L, cl R end SCAR DLW ;

PART C

- 1 – 4 **CROSS HOVER 3 X ; ; ; FWD FC CL FC WALL ; \*See option at bottom**  
1-4] Repeat meas. 5-8 of Part A ; ; ; ;
- 5 – 8 **LEFT TURNING BOX ; ; ; ;**  
5-6] Fwd L, trn ¼ LF sd R, cl L ; Bk R, trn ¼ LF sd L, cl R ;  
7-8] Fwd L, trn ¼ LF sd R, cl L ; Bk R, trn ¼ LF sd L, cl R CP WALL ;
- 9 – 12 **TWIRL VINE 3 ; PICKUP ; FWD WALTZ ; DRIFT APT ;**  
11] Raise ld hnds sd L, XRIB, sd L (*Sd & fwd R trng ½ RF undr jnd ld hnds, sd & bk L trn ½ RF, sd R*) ;  
12] Sm fwd R ldng W to trn LF, sd L, cl R to CP LOD (*Fwd L comm LF trn, cont LF trn in frnt of ptr sd R, cl L*) ;
- 13 – 16 **THRU TWINKLE ; PICKUP ; PROGRESSIVE BOX ; ;**  
13] XL thru to wall, trng LF sd R, cont trn to fc COH cl L ;  
14] Thru R comm RF trn, cont RF trn sd L, cl R (*Thru L to COH, trng LF sd R, cl L*) CP LOD ;  
15-16] Fwd L, sd R, cl L ; Fwd R, sd L, cl R ;

REPEAT PART A

REPEAT PART B

ENDING

- 1 – 3 **CANTER 2 X ; ; DIP BK & REWARD [OPT LEG CRAWL AND/OR KISS] ;**  
1-2] Sd L, draw R to L, cl L ; Sd L, draw R to L, cl L ;  
3] Bk L relaxing L knee, twist slightly LF, - ; [OPT: Keep R leg extended sd & fwd while *W slowly lifts L leg up along man's outer thigh* – Kiss if you both desire]

\*Option to make the dance have more Phase III figures in it change Measure 16 of Part B to end CP DLC and Measures 1-4 of Part C to: Turn Left and Right Chasse to Bjo ; Back Back Lock Back ; Impetus to Semi ; Thru Fc to CP ;

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## PHASE III WALTZ

INTRO: LOP-FCG DLW WAIT ; ; TOG TCH TO CP ; BOX FINISH ;

A: 2 LEFT TURN ; ; HOVER ; PICKUP TO SDCR ;  
CROSS HOVER 3 X ; ; ; FWD FC CL ;  
WHISK ; THRU CHASSE TO BJO ; FWD FWD LK FWD ; MANEUVER ;  
PIVOT TO SEMI ; THRU HOVER TO BJO ; BACK HOVER TO SEMI ; THRU FC TO CP ;

B: INTERRUPTED BOX ; ; ; TO CP ;  
DIP BK & HOLD ; RECOVER TO SDCR ; TWINKLE TO BJO ; FWD FC CL ;  
TWISTY VINE 3 ; MANEUVER ; SPIN TURN ; BOX FINISH ;  
LEFT TURNING BOX ; ; ; TO SCAR ;

C: CROSS HOVER 3 X ; ; ; FWD FC CL FC WALL ;  
LEFT TURNING BOX ; ; ; ;  
TWIRL VINE 3 ; PICKUP ; FWD WALTZ ; DRIFT APT ;  
THRU TWINKLE ; PICKUP ; PROG BOX ; ;

A: 2 LEFT TURN ; ; HOVER ; PICKUP TO SDCR ;  
CROSS HOVER 3 X ; ; ; FWD FC CL ;  
WHISK ; THRU CHASSE TO BJO ; FWD FWD LK FWD ; MANEUVER ;  
PIVOT TO SEMI ; THRU HOVER TO BJO ; BACK HOVER TO SEMI ; THRU FC TO CP ;

B: INTERRUPTED BOX ; ; ; TO CP ;  
DIP BK & HOLD ; RECOVER TO SDCR ; TWINKLE TO BJO ; FWD FC CL ;  
TWISTY VINE 3 ; MANEUVER ; SPIN TURN ; BOX FINISH ;  
LEFT TURNING BOX ; ; ; ;

END: CANTER 2 X ; ;  
DIP BK & REWARD ;

**Music Links:**

**Amazon:**

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**Spotify:**

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**YouTube:**

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