# Double Diamond Waltz (P)

Level: Improver waltz partner dance

Choreographer: Kathy Stearns (USA)

**Count: 60** 

Music: The Old Double Diamond - Ian Tyson

Position: Same footwork, standing Side By Side, facing down LOD. His right hand to her right hand at her shoulder, left to left hands across front of man

## 1/4 TURN SIDE TOGETHER BALANCE STEP

- 1-2-3 Step left forward into 1/4 turn left, step right to right side, slide left together
- 4-5-6 Step right back, step left together, step right in place
- 1-6 Repeat above turn and balance step

#### 1/2 TURN LEFT BALANCE STEP

- 1-2-3 Step left forward, <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> turn left, step right, step left (slightly back)
- Drop left hand, man in right
- 4-5-6 Step right back, step left together, step right in place

#### Hammerlock

1-6 Repeat above turn and balance step, holding left & releasing right hands

## MAN: BASIC / LADY: ½ TURN BALANCE STEP

- 1-2-3 MAN: Step left, right, left forward
  - LADY: Step left forward, 1/2 turn left, step right back, step left together

#### Hands will be crossed

4-5-6 MAN: Step right, left forward, step right slightly back

#### Release to open hand

LADY: Step right, left back, step right slightly forward facing man

#### **STEP POINT HOLD**

1-2-3 MAN: Step left back, point right to right side, hold 1 count

- LADY: Step left forward, point right to right side, hold 1 count
- 4-5-6 MAN: Step right forward, point left to left side, hold 1 count
  - LADY: Step right back, point left to left side, hold 1 count

#### **¾ TURN LEFT**

- 1-2-3 Drop hands, step left, right, left into 3/4 turn left
- 4-5-6 Step right, left, right in place

# Open hand position (his left, her right his right her left). Partners are facing

# STEP POINT HOLD

- 1-2-3 MAN: Step left back, point right to right side, hold 1 count LADY: Step left forward, point right to right side, hold 1 count
- 4-5-6 MAN: Step right forward, point left to left side, hold 1 count
  - LADY: Step right back, point left to left side, hold 1 count

#### FORWARD AND BACK WITH TURNS

- 1-2-3 MAN: Step left, right, left in place
- LADY: Step left, right, left forward with 1/4 turn left
- 4-5-6 MAN: Step right, left, right back with 1/4 turn left
  - LADY: 1/2 Turn left step right, left, right back

Lady steps under man's right arm, release hands, she is behind man, rejoin hands





Wall: 1

1-2-3MAN: Drop right hands, step left, right, left forward into ¼ turn leftLADY: Step left, right, left forward into ¼ turn left passing under man's left arm

4-5-6 **MAN:** Step right left right back into ¼ turn left

# Facing forward line of dance

LADY: Step right, left, right back into ¼ turn left returning to man's right side Rejoin right hands

# REPEAT