

# CLAP YOUR HANDS

Count: 32 Wall: 2 Level: beginner

Choreographer: Vivienne Scott

Music: **My Dear Botanist** by Dyana & Matalya Syenchukov



"My Dear Botanist" is the literal translation of the title of this lively Folk Song direct from Russia. Music available from Vivienne Scott

## STEP SIDE RIGHT, STEP TOGETHER, SHUFFLE SIDE RIGHT, CROSS ROCK, SHUFFLE LEFT WITH TURN $\frac{1}{4}$

1-2 Step right to side, step left together  
3&4 Step right to side, step left together, step right to side  
5-6 Cross/rock left over right, recover on right  
7&8 Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  left and step left to side, step right together, step left forward  
Styling option: as you step right bend your knees out, holding your arms crossed up in front of you, stand up as you step left together

## STEP SIDE RIGHT, STEP TOGETHER, SHUFFLE SIDE RIGHT, CROSS ROCK, SHUFFLE LEFT WITH TURN $\frac{1}{4}$

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7&8 Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  right and step left forward, step right together, step left forward  
Styling option: as you step right bend your knees out, holding your arms crossed up in front of you, stand up as you step left together

## STOMPS FORWARD RIGHT, LEFT, TRIPLE CLAPS, REPEAT

1-2 Stomp right forward, stomp left forward  
3&4 Hold  
Clap hands above right shoulder three times  
5-6 Stomp right forward, stomp left forward  
7&8 Hold  
Clap hands above right shoulder three times  
For fun, now and again slap the hands of the dancer next to you

## WALK BACK RIGHT, LEFT, TRIPLE IN PLACE, WALK BACK LEFT, RIGHT, TRIPLE IN PLACE

1-2 Step right back, step left back  
Option: make two  $\frac{1}{2}$  turns over right shoulder traveling back  
3&4 Step right in place, step left together, step right in place  
5-6 Step left back, step right back  
Option: make two  $\frac{1}{2}$  turns over left shoulder traveling back  
7&8 Step left in place, step right together, step left in place

## REPEAT