# The Lonely Goatherd

Level: Intermediate Phrased Polka

Choreographer: Karen Tripp (CAN) - July 2010 Music: The Lonely Goatherd - Julie Andrews

Sequence: INTRO, AB AC AD A(1-16) CBA A(1-16) CC

16 count wait, weight on left, right foot free

**Count: 32** 

# INTRO

#### **2 SIDE TOUCHES**

1-4

Step side on Right, touch Left next to right, step side on Left, touch Right next to left

# PART A

## DIAGONAL FORWARD SHUFFLE TWICE, 2 SIDE SCOOTS, SIDE STEP, 2 STOMPS

- 1&2 Angling a little to the right, step forward on Right, close Left together, forward on Right
- 3&4 Angling a little to the left, step forward on Left, close Right together, forward on Left
- 5&6& Step side to the Right, close Left next to right, continue to the right by taking another side step Right, step Left next to right
- 7 Step side to the Right
- &8 Stomp Left, stomp Right

## DIAGONAL FORWARD SHUFFLE TWICE, 2 SIDE SCOOTS, SIDE STEP, 2 STOMPS

9-16 Repeat 1-8 with opposite footwork, starting on Left

## SIDE, ROCK BEHIND, RECOVER (BALANCE) RIGHT & LEFT, 2 SIDE SCOOTS, SIDE STEP, 2 STOMPS

- 17&18 Step side to the Right, step Left slightly behind, recover on Right
- 19&20 Step side to the Left, step Right slightly behind, recover on Left
- 21&22& Step side to the Right, close Left next to right, continue to the right by taking another side step Right, step Left next to right
- 23 Step side to the Right
- &24 Stomp Left, stomp Right

# SIDE, ROCK BEHIND, RECOVER (BALANCE) LEFT & RIGHT, 2 SIDE SCOOTS, SIDE STEP, 2 STOMPS

25-32 Repeat steps 17-24 with opposite footwork, starting on Left

# PART B

# CIRCLE WALK 2, SHUFFLE, CIRCLE WALK 2, SHUFFLE

- 1-2 Beginning a right turn, walk two steps, Right then Left
- 3&4 Continuing a right face turn, Forward on Right, close Left to right, forward on Right, creating a loop. At this point you are facing approximately reverse.
- 5-6 Continuing toward the right, walk two steps, Left then Right
- 7&8 Step Left, Right, Left, to end facing front

## POINT, POINT, SAILOR SHUFFLE, POINT, POINT, SAILOR SHUFFLE

- 9-10 Point Right forward, sweep and point to the Right
- 11&12 Step Right behind left, step Left in place, step Right beside Left
- 13-16 Repeat steps 9-12 with opposite footwork, starting with Left

#### ROLLING VINE RIGHT & TOUCH, ROLLING VINE LEFT & TOUCH

- 17-20 Starting a right face turn step side on the Right, continuing turn, step side on Left, continue turn to end facing front, step on Right, and touch with Left
- 21-24 Starting a left face turn step side on the Left, continuing turn, step side on Right, continue turn to end facing front, step on Left, and touch with Right





**Wall:** 1

Option: Omit the rolling action and do a regular grapevine stepping side, behind, side & touch (right then left)

#### **4 QUICK BACK STRUTS**

- 25-26 Stepping back, step on ball of Right foot, drop heel of Right foot
- 27-28 Stepping back, step on ball of Left foot, drop heel of Left foot
- 29-30 Stepping back, step on ball of Right foot, drop heel of Right foot
- 31-32 Stepping back, step on ball of Left foot, drop heel of Left foot

## **REPEAT PART A**

## PART C

## WALK 2, FORWARD COASTER, BACK 2, BACK COASTER

- 1-2 Walk forward Right, then Left
- 3&4 Step forward on Right, close Left next to right, step back on Right
- 5-6 Step back on Left, then Right
- 7&8 Step back on Left, close Right next to left, step forward on Left

#### **TWO SIDE TOUCHES**

9-12 Step side on Right, touch Left next to right, step side on Left, touch Right next to left

#### **CIRCLE WALK 4**

13-16 Do a complete right face turn in 4 steps, Right, Left, Right Left to face front again

## **REPEAT PART A**

#### PART D

#### ROLLING VINE RIGHT, TOUCH, ROLLING VINE LEFT, TOUCH, STEP TOUCH 4X

- 1-4 Starting a right face turn step side on the Right, continuing turn, step side on Left, continue turn to end facing front, step on Right, and touch with Left
- 5-8 Starting a left face turn step side on the Left, continuing turn, step side on Right, continue turn to end facing front, step on Left, and touch with Right
- 9-12 Step side on Right, touch Left next to Right, step side on Left, touch Right next to Left
- 13-16 Step side on Right, touch Left next to Right, step side on Left, touch Right next to Left

#### PART A Modified (Steps 1-16 of Part A) DIAGONAL FORWARD SHUFFLE TWICE, 2 SIDE SCOOTS, SIDE STEP, 2 STOMPS DIAGONAL FORWARD SHUFFLE TWICE, 2 SIDE SCOOTS, SIDE STEP, 2 STOMPS

REPEAT PART C

**REPEAT PART B** 

REPEAT PART A

**REPEAT PART A Modified** 

**REPEAT PART C** 

REPEAT PART C \* End with a stomp on the very last note

Note: A single-page cue sheet with "head cues" only is available. Contact the choreographer.

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