

THE SLEEPLESS SWAIN

Set of 2 couples facing each other – Waltz

1st Figure

- A1 1 – 4 Partners lead forward to opposite couple and fall back;
5 - 8 Men passing left shoulder, half hey to opposite place, Women moving left into partner's place before passing opposite right shoulder.
- A2 1 – 4 Partners lead forward to opposite couple and fall back;
5 – 8 Women passing right shoulder, half hey home, Men moving right into partner's place before passing opposite left shoulder.
- B1 1 – 2 All move one place anticlockwise round the circle, without giving hands,
3 – 4 Women, turning in sharp left, return home, passing each other right shoulder, *while* Men continue round the outside one more place anticlockwise turning in left;
5 – 8 All lead partner out, change hands and lead back.
- B2 1 – 2 All move one place clockwise round the circle, without giving hands,
3 – 4 Men, turning in sharp right, return to opposite Man's original place, passing each other left shoulder, *while* Women continue round the outside one more place clockwise turning in right;
5 – 8 All lead opposite out, change hands and lead back.
All are now in opposite place.
- A3 1 – 8 All circle left half way, fall back with partner to original place; Partners turn with both hands.

2nd Figure

- A1 1 – 4 Partners side right shoulder;
5 - 8 All half straight hey as in 1st Figure A1.
- A2 1 – 4 Partners side left shoulder;
5 – 8 All half straight hey as in 1st Figure A2.
- B1 1 – 4 Women back to back left shoulder;
5 – 8 All turn opposite right hand once and a half.
- B2 1 – 4 Men back to back right shoulder;
5 – 8 All turn partner left hand once and a half.
- A3 1 – 8 As in 1st Figure A3.

3rd Figure

- A1 1 – 4 Partners right hand turn;
5 - 8 All half straight hey as in 1st Figure A1.
- A2 1 – 4 Partners left hand turn;
5 – 8 All half straight hey as in 1st Figure A2, end with Men having their backs to opposite.
- B1 1 – 2 All 2 slow walking steps forward, Women not going past each other,
3 – 4 All 2 chassés left, Women passing face to face, all passing back to back with partner;
5 – 8 Women right hand turn with each other, ending in partner's place, *while* Men go anticlockwise round the Women into their opposite's place, end with Women having their backs to partner.
- B2 1 – 2 All 2 slow walking steps forward, Men not going past each other;
3 – 4 All 2 chassés left, Men passing face to face, all passing back to back with opposite;
5 – 8 Men right hand turn with each other, *while* Women go anticlockwise round Men all ending in opposite place facing centre.
- A3 1 – 8 As in 1st Figure A3.
All honour partner.