Waltz with the Girl

Music: When the Girl in your Arms, by Michael English Album: Michael English, All My Life (iTunes) Choreographer: Karen Tripp, January 2015

Description: 1-wall beginner waltz line dance, 48 counts Dedicated to Linda and Dan, the definition of soulmates.

Wait: 4 measures (start on the world "girl"), left lead

1/4 LEFT FORWARD WALTZ, BACKUP WALTZ (ALL TWICE) (6:00)

- 1-2-3 Step forward left, turn ¹/₄ left and step right, step left together
- 4-5-6 Step back on right, step left together, step right together (9:00)
- 7-8-9 Repeat steps 1-2-3
- 10-11-12 Repeat steps 4-5-6 (6:00) (angle body towards right)

2 TWINKLES (6:00)

- 13-14-15 Cross left over right, step on right, step left together (angle body left)
- 16-17-18 Cross right over left, step on left, step right together

1/2 TURN LEFT, BACKUP WALTZ

- 19-20-21 Step left forward, turn 1/4 left and step right side, turn 1/4 left and step back left
- 22-23-24 Step back on right, step left together, step right together (12:00)

SIDE-DRAW-TOUCH LEFT AND RIGHT (12:00)

- 25-26-27 Step large step to left, drag right toe toward left over 2 counts
- 28-29-30 Step large step to right, drag left toe towards right over 2 counts

BASIC WALTZ FORWARD AND BACK (12:00)

- 31-32-33 Step left forward, close right to left, step on left
- 34-35-36 Step back on right, step left to right, step on right

2 TWINKLES (12:00)

- 37-38-39 Cross left over right, step on right, step left together (angle body left)
- 40-41-42 Cross right over left, step on left, step right together (12:00)

FORWARD, POINT, HOLD, COASTER STEP (12:00)

- 43-44-45 Step forward on left, point right toe to right side, hold
- 46-47-48 Step right back, step left together, step right foot forward

SPECIAL ENDING

Dance ends facing 12:00 after 30 counts (Side Draw Touches) as the music slows. Do the first Side-Draw-Touch to time. For the second one, step side and hold through the word "forever", on the word "more", take a side step to the left and slowly draw the right toe to a touch.

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