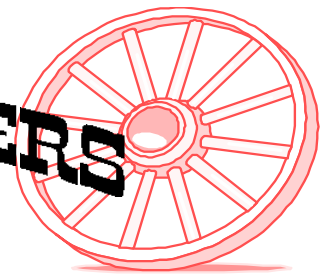




# COUNTRY CLUB DANCERS



## With Open Arms

Dance taught by Shirley  
Perkins for the County  
Club Dancers 09-15-2014

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Description: 24 count, 4 wall, Beginner Line Dance Waltz  
Music: **Open Arms** by Journey, 107 bpm, Album: **Escape**, 1981  
Intro: 24 counts, start on vocals

- 1 – 6 L Forward, Drag R, Touch R, R Back, Drag L, Point L**  
1-3 Step left forward, Drag right towards left, Touch right next to left  
4-6 Step right back, Drag left back, Point left to left (12:00)
- 7 – 12 L Twinkle, R Twinkle ½ Turn R**  
1-3 Step left diagonal towards right, Step right to right, Change weight onto left  
4-6 Step right diagonal towards left, Step left back turning ¼ R,  
Step right forward turning ¼ R (6:00)
- 13 – 18 L Cross, Recover, ¼ Turn L, R Forward, Recover, Back**  
1-3 Cross left over right, Recover on right, Step left forward ¼ turning L (3:00)  
4-6 Step right forward, Recover on left, Step right back (3:00)
- 19 – 24 L Cross, Back, Back, R Cross, Back, Back (Traveling Backward)**  
1-3 Cross left over right, Step right back, Step left back next to right  
4-6 Cross right over left, Step left back, Step right back next left (3:00)

Start again

**Tags: At the end of Wall 3 facing 9:00 and Wall 9 facing 3:00, repeat steps 1-6:**

- L Forward, Drag R, Touch R, R Back, Drag L, Point L**  
1-3 Step left forward, Drag right towards left, Touch right next to left  
4-6 Step right back, Drag left back, Point left to left