

# Forever a Star (P)

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**Count:** 54

**Wall:** —

**Level:** Improver Partner

**Choreographer:** Dick & Nancy Rogers, March 2019 (updated May 2019)

**Music:** Let The Light Shine On You (Doug Stone) [98 bpm]; any slow to medium tempo waltz

**A waltz for Susan. You are a star!**

**Note: Steps are for Lead; Follow steps opposite, except where noted.**

**Starting position: Apart and facing; Lead facing wall and Follow facing center.**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO DANCE? / NOT NOW, THANKS / HOW ABOUT NOW? / OK**

- 1-3 Step LF fwd, step RF beside LF, transfer weight to LF (pattycake with both hands)
- 4-6 Step RF back, step LF beside, transfer weight to RF (separate to apart)
- 1-3 Step LF fwd, step RF beside LF, transfer weight to LF (close to ballroom hold)
- 4-6 Settle together and transfer weight to Lead's RF and Follow's LF (take a moment to pause and adjust hold so ready to start waltz box)

**STAR: LEFT TURNING WALTZ BOX**

- 1-3 Step LF  $\frac{1}{4}$  L fwd (toe out), swing RF to R, step LF beside RF
- 4-6 Step RF  $\frac{1}{4}$  L back (toe in), swing LF to L, step RF beside LF
- 1-6 Repeat 1-6 above (end with Lead facing wall and Follow facing center)

**FIRST  $\frac{1}{4}$  OF LEFT TURNING WALTZ BOX, OUTSIDE UNDERARM TURN TO SIDE-BY-SIDE**

- 1-3 Step LF  $\frac{1}{4}$  L fwd (toe out), swing RF to R, step LF beside RF
- 4-6 Lead: Raise LH to lead outside turn and step back on RF, LF beside RF, trans weight to RF

**Follow: Step fwd on LF, step  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn R on RF, turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  R and step LF beside RF ending in side-by-side with inside hands joined**

**CLOSE TO PATTYCAKE, OPEN, CLOSE, INSIDE TURN TO SIDE-BY-SIDE FORWARD**

- 1-3 Step LF  $\frac{1}{4}$  L fwd (toe out) and start to close to pattycake with RH/LH, swing RF to R, step LF beside RF (end facing in butterfly position)
- 4-6 Step RF  $\frac{1}{4}$  R fwd (toe out) and start to open to back-to-back, swing LF  $\frac{1}{4}$  R to L side, step RF beside LF (end back-to-back with arms spread to sides)

**1-3** Step LF  $\frac{1}{4}$  L fwd (toe out) and start to close to pattycake with RH/LH, swing RF  $\frac{1}{4}$  L to R side, step LF beside RF

**(end facing in butterfly position)**

**4-6** Lead: Step RF  $\frac{1}{4}$  R fwd leading FW into inside turn fwd, step fwd LF, step fwd RF (punch through with LH/RH)

**Follow: Step LF  $\frac{1}{4}$  L fwd, pivot  $\frac{1}{2}$  L on ball of LF and transfer weight to RF (end back to LOD), pivot  $\frac{1}{2}$  L on ball of RF and transfer weight to LF (end facing LOD in side-by-side position with inside hands joined)**

**STEP FWD, SIDE ROCK AND CLOSE, RECOVER, CROSS STEP AND TURN  $\frac{1}{4}$  R**

**1&2-3** Step fwd LF and prep J-lead (1), turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  L and J-lead to initiate turn for FW to face LD (&), rock step RF to R and bring FW in to closed hold (2), recover on LF (do not move LF from previous position) (3)

**4-6** Cross step RF over LF, turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  R and step LF to L, step RF beside LF (maintain closed hold; end facing LOD)

**STEP BACK AND TURN  $\frac{1}{4}$  (2nd  $\frac{1}{4}$  OF RIGHT TURNING WALTZ BOX), SEPARATE TO FACING APART**

**1-3** Step LF  $\frac{1}{4}$  R back (toe in), step RF to R, step LF beside RF

**4-6** Lead: Step RF fwd and initiate separation, rock back on LF and separate to facing apart, step RF beside LF

**Follow: Step back on LF, step RF beside LF, step in place and transfer weight to LF**

**START OVER**

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