

DELİLE
(Turkey)

This dance is from Bingol, Eastern Turkey. Taught at Bora Özkök's Summer Seminar, Abant, Turkey, 1982 by Ugur Kavas.

TRANSLATION: Kurdish for "crazy girl"

PRONUNCIATION: *DEH-lee-lah*

MUSIC: Solen '83, Bora Özkök and the Sultans

side 1, band 6

FORMATION: Open circle, mixed line; arms in *"L"* pos, little finger hold

STYLE:

"L" elbows bent forearms parallel to floor

METER: 2/4

PATTERN

Meas.

INTRODUCTION: 4 meas

FIGURE I:

- 1 Facing and moving LOD, big step on R fwd (ct 1); bend and stretch R knee (ct &); big step on L ~~and~~ *up* (ct 2); bend and stretch L knee (ct &)
- 2 Turn to face ctr, step on R (ct 1); tch ball of L ft beside R (ct &); *heavy* step on L fwd (ct 2); step on R bkwd in place (ct &)
- 3 Step on L a little bkwd (ct 1); pump R heel (ct &); step on R a little bkwd (ct 2); pump L heel (ct &)
- 4 Rpt meas 3, cts 1, & (ct 1, &); step on R in place (ct 2); step on L in place (ct &)

as L begins to cross R

NOTE: Arms make small movements *up and down in "L" pos, scoop fwd & bkwd*. Also, if necessary dance a little twds ctr when rptng Fig I

FIGURE II:

- 1-2 Rpt meas 1,2 of Fig I with the following arm movement: with ct 1 extend arms up, stretching them fwd and lowering straight arms till ~~at child level~~ *down* (ct 1), pulling elbows in bringing hands to lower chest level (ct &), *stretch* arms horizontally fwd twds ctr (ct 2), pulling elbows in again bringing hands to lower chest level (ct &)
- 3-4 Rpt meas 3,4 of Fig I, arms in W pos

FIGURE III:

- 1-4 Rpt meas 1-4 of Fig I clapping both hands in front of body at chin height on every ct *and ct #*

ORDER OF THE DANCE:	Figure	No. Times	Music
	I	7x	Instrumental
	II	4x	3x with singing, 1x yelling "hey!!!"
	I	5x	Instrumental
	II	4x	3x with singing, 1x yelling "hey!!!"
	III	5x	Instrumental

- 20 FINISH: i.e., 5th time of Fig III, step on L (ct 1); pump R heel (ct &); close R beside L and clap both hands, moving arms down at sides of body and yell "Hey!!!"

DELİLE (cont'd)

Bingol dort dag icinde
 Yanarim yag icinde
 Kim Bingolu sorarsa
 Bir yarim var icinde

Chorus:

Delile, delile destane
 Delile, delile destane
 Heeeey!!!!

Su dere buz baglamis
 Icine giz baglamis
 Baba beni evlendir
 Bingolde kiz kalmamis

Chorus

Bingol is between four mountains
 I am burning with deep love
 Whoever asks me about Bingol
 I have a sweetheart there

Crazy girl, crazy girl, subject of
 " " " " "

This stream has ice on it
 It also has secrets in it
 Father help get me married soon
 All the girls are marrying fast

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