

HANA*AVA BABANOT (fairest of All)

Israel

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Record: Rikud

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Formation: Couples facing; mens back to center; hands held down, free

Part I; Steps are same for men and women

- 1-2 Step L to L side; shift weight to R side
- 3-4 Cross L in front of R; make full turn R pivoting on L foot
- 5-8 Yemenite R; hold (on count 7 give R hand to partner)
- 9-12 Yemenite L (on count 11 give L hand to partner; count 12 pivot on L foot making full turn R, under arch)
- 13-15 With R, step R back, L fwd, R fwd (you should now be facing partner touching R shoulders, R hand held down, L hands holding above heads, forming arch)
- 16 Hold (in above position)
- 17-18 Shift weight back on L
- 19-20 Shift weight fwd on R
- 21- Shift weight back on L, making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn L
- 22-23 Without releasing hands, bring L hands over R and step R,L, in place
- 25-44 Release hands and repeat Part I, counts 1-20
- 45-48 Girls: Making $\frac{1}{2}$ turn to R, releasing R hands, step L,R close
Boys: In place step L,R close, joining R hands over girls shoulder, L hands joined forward

Part II: Couples Facing CCW

- 1-2 Touch-stamp R fwd; hop on L lifting R off floor, knee bent
- 3-4 Step R, step L fwd
- 5-6 Step R fwd, shifting weight on R, knee bent and Hold
- 7-8 Rock back on L; Rock fwd on R
- 9-12 Yemenite step L and Hold
- 13-16 Yemenite step R and Hold

Releasing R hands:

- 17-20 Boys: Yemenite step L
- 21-24 Yemenite step R
- 17-20 Girls: Step L,R,L making $\frac{1}{2}$ turn L, lifting R leg slightly off floor, and Hold
- 21-24 Step R,L,R turning back to place to hand position as in start of Part II
- 25-28 Moving together, step L,R,L Hold (boys to step fwd L,R,L while girl steps back L,R,L turning in place CW)
- 29-32 Releasing R hands, Boys step fwd R,L,R to original position to begin dance, Part I
Girl steps back R,L,R to original position to begin dance. On count 32, release L hands ready to start Part I.

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