

VE' DAVID (Y'fey Enayim) - And David of the Beautiful Eyes
(ve-da-VEED yuh-fay en-ah-YEEM)
Israeli Circle Mixer by Rivkah Sturman, Israel

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FORMATION: Circle of couples facing counterclockwise, Girl on partner's right.

STARTING POSITION: Inside hands joined, Right foot free.

Music 4/4
MEASURES
Music A

Figure I

- 1-2 ALL WALK FORWARD AND FORM A RING. Four Walking steps forward, starting with the Right foot, progressing counterclockwise then four Walking steps backing out to form a single circle facing the center with all hands joined.
- 3-4 ALL FORWARD AND BACK. Four steps forward to center and four steps backward, starting with Right foot.

Figure II

Music B

- 1-2 GIRLS FORWARD AND BACK - BOYS CLAP. Girls, starting with the Right foot, walking four steps forward to center and four steps backward to place as Boys clap.

Figure III

Music C

- 1-2 BOYS FORWARD, TURN RIGHT ABOUT AND PROGRESS TO NEW PARTNER - ALL CLAP. Boys, clapping hands, walk four steps forward to center, starting with Right foot, turn right about on last "and" count and walk forward four steps passing own partner, progressing to next girl.
- 3-4 SWING NEW PARTNER. Boy and new partner swing clockwise with right shoulders adjacent, right arms around each other across in front, and left arms raised, pivoting with Right foot for an eight count "Buzz-step" swing.

Repeat Entire Dance

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"And David of the beautiful eyes he feedeth among the roses
.....David, the son of Jesse endures forever".

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