

ADEN
(Israel)

Pronunciation:

Choreographer: Bentzi Tiram

Record: Hed-Arzi 14881 or Special Tape 3/4 meter

Formation: Couples in a circle, side by side, facing LOD.
L hands joined. M R hand on W L shldr.

Note: Both use same ftwk. Each meas of 3/4 meter is described in 2 counts. In the middle of the second time through the dance, the meter becomes 4/4.

CountsPatternPART A

1-2 Stamp R fwd and hold.
3-4 Stamp L, no wt, beside R, rising on ball of R ft.
5-8 Yemenite bkwd with L.
9-12 Slow two-step fwd with R.
13-16 Yemenite bkwd with L.
17-32 Repeat cts 1-16.

PART B (L hands joined)

1-4 Step-bend with R while turning 1/4 CW, close with L beside R while snapping fingers.
5-8 Repeat cts 1-4, reversing ftwk and direction.
9-12 Slow two-step with R diag L (M: LOD, W: RLOD).
13-16 Slow two-step with L while changing places CCW.
17-32 Repeat cts 1-16 (end in orig place).

PART C (Facing each other, L hands joined)

1-2 While closing R beside L, 2 bounces in place.
3-4 Debka step R fwd.
5-6 Step fwd with L; close R beside L.
7-8 Hop on L and stamp R twd ptr while body bends over.
9-10 Step R fwd while straightening body and bounce on R,
11-12 Cross L over R, bounce on L.
13-14 Step R bkwd, bounce on R.
15-16 Close L beside R and bounce.
17-18 Step R fwd while turning 1/4 CCW.
19-20 Step L in place while turning 1/4 CCW.
21-24 Repeat cts 17-20.
25-28 Yemenite R.
29 Stamp L, no wt.
30 Hop on R while turning 1/4 - M: CCW, W: CW.
31-32 Step L to L, close R beside L, no wt.

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