

ALUNELUL

Romania - circle dance, no partners

Translation: "Little Hazel Nut"

Pronunciation: AH - loo - NELL - loo

Record:

Formation: Small circles (8 to 10 dancers) with shoulder hold. Hands should be placed on neighbor's shoulders, but you should hold up your own arms and not push down on your neighbor. Steps should be small.

Steps: step-behind, stamp

Measure Counts Action

PART I: (Five's) (1-2-3-4-5-stamp-stamp)

1 1 Step right to right side
 2 Step left across behind right
 3 Stepright to right side
 4 Step left across behind right
 5 Step right to right side
 6-7 Stamp left twice next to right (no weight)
 8 Hold

2 1-8 Repeat measure 1, with opposite footwork, beginning with left foot and moving to the left

3-4 Repeat measures 1 and 2.

PART II: (Three's) (1-2-3-stamp)

5 1 Step right to right side
 2 Step left across behind right
 3 Step right to right side
 4 Stamp left next to right (no weight)

 5 Step left to left side
 6 Step right across behind left
 7 Stepleft to left side
 8 Stamp right next to left (no weight)

6 Repeat measure 5.

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Measure Counts Action

PART III: (one's) (1-stamp, 1-stamp, 1-stamp-stamp)

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| 7 | 1 | Step right in place |
| | 2 | Stamp left next to right (no weight) |
| | 3 | Step left in place |
| | 4 | Stamp right next to left (no weight) |
| | 5 | Step right in place |
| | 6-7 | Stamp left next to right two times |
| | 8 | Hold |
| 8 | 1-8 | Repeat measure 7, with opposite footwork,
beginning with step left in place. |

Repeat dance from the beginning