

1971 SAN DIEGO STATE COLLEGE FOLK DANCE CONFERENCE

PARUBKE
(Ukraine)

This is a traditional dance of young men playing that they are soldiers. Arranged by Vince Evanchuk to suitable march music.

MUSIC: SONGS OF THE KOZACKS, Arak 825, Side A, Band 4 ; ~~OR~~
~~EXPRESS (45)~~

FORMATION: Arranged for groups of 6 men. One line of 3 men facing another line of 3. Arms crossed at chest height.

STEPS: "PRECID Z UDARIJEN" (Precid with Stamp)
Assume a squat (plie') pos - sit over heels (on toes) with knees (at a 90° angle) turned out (ct 1). Spring to a stride pos with a stamp on both ft, flat on the ground (ct 2).

"PRECID V BYK" (Precid to Side)
Assume a squat (plie') pos - sit over heels (on toes) with knees (at a 90° angle) turned out (ct 1). Spring to the R onto the R toe (knee turned out), at the same time the L is lifted off the floor and to the L side. R hand is behind head, L hand is extended shoulder high to side, palm up.

"PERESKOK Z PRESYDKOM" (Over Jump)
Leap onto R ft crossing R in front of the L. At the same time L ft crosses up and behind R calf (ct 1). Hop on R as L is lifted and straightened diag to the L side (ct 2). Drop into a full squat (plie') (ct 1). Raise up to a full standing pos, weight on both ft (ct 2).

MUSIC, 2/4

PATTERN

Meas.

- INTRODUCTION
1-8 Down and ups. Weight on L, R slightly forward. Bend supporting knee, other knee will move with it. Down (ct 1), up (ct 2). (Total, 8 times.)
- 9-10 4 walking steps fwd toward the other line, all beginning R (R,L,R,L).
- 11-12 Do 4 stamps in place, all with the R.
- 13-14 Do 4 walking steps bkwd, beginning with R.
- 15-16 Do 4 stamps in place with R ft.
- 17-20 Do 4 "Precid z Uderijen".
- 21-22 Walk 4 steps fwd (R,L,R,L).
- 23 2 stamps with R ft.
- 24 Stepping on R make a 1/4 turn to face front. Close L to R. You are now in 2 columns facing fwd.

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Parubke, Cont'd

Meas.

FIG. I

From two columns facing fwd, the formation will change to one horizontal line facing fwd, each M moving fwd and to the side in turn. Everyone is moving at the same time.

- 1-8 Man #1 in each column, starting on outside ft, walks 4 steps fwd, then does 6 "Precids v Byk" to the side. At the same time, men #2 do 6 walks fwd and 5 "Precid v Byk" to the side. Also at the same time men #3 do 6 walks fwd and 4 "Precid v Byk" to the side.

FIG. II

- 1-2 Hands free at sides. Starting on inside ft, walk 3 steps fwd, then jump, making a 1/2 turn towards the outside to reverse pos.
 3-4 Starting on outside ft (which is the same ft as before) walk 3 steps bk to starting place. 1/2 jump turn ~~again to the outside.~~ ~~toward the inside.~~
 5-8 Repeat meas 1-4.

FIG. III

Hands are folded across the chest as in the Introduction, except for the outside men whose arms are free.

- 1-2 Outside men (the original #1 men) beginning on outside ft, take 3 marching steps diag fwd; close on step 4. Inside arms are on each other's shoulders; outside arms are extended, palms down.
 3-6 Do 4 "Precid z Udarijen".
 7-8 Beginning on outside ft, march 3 steps diag out, close on step 4 to face out (back to back).
 9-16 Men #2 repeat Fig. III, meas 1-8.
 17-24 Men #3 repeat Fig. III, meas 1-8.

Everyone finishes in his original place in the column; see diagram.

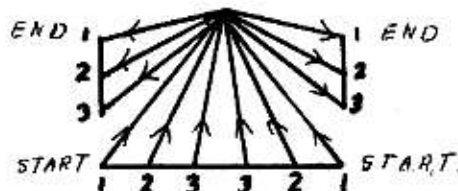


FIG. IV

- 1-6 3 "Pereskok z Presydkom", beginning the first one with a 1/4 turn to face front.
 7-8 Beginning on inside ft, make a 1/4 turn to face opp line and walk 3 steps fwd, close on step 4 while turning 1/4 turn to face front.

REPEAT DANCE, FIG. I - IV. FINISH DANCE WITH STRONG STAMP