

SPINNRADL ZU DRITT

Spinning Wheel for Three

MUSIC: Tanz EP 58118 (preferred) or TANZ EP 58129

FORMATION: Threesomes, facing counter-clockwise, or LOD, around room. The man in center stands slightly ahead of two women whose inside hands are joined behind his back, their outside hands joined to his.

During the introduction, the man greets first his right hand partner, then his left hand partner.

Measures:

- 1 - 8 Starting with left feet, the threesome walks forward and slightly to the left 1,2,3 and then forward and slightly right 1,2,3 and continues thru 8 three-steps in all. This is walking in 3/4 time, not waltzing. During this the man alternately flirts with his right and left partners.
- 9-10-11 Women lift joined hands and the man, bending down, backs thru the arch and goes around the right hands woman and ends back in starting position. During this movement, the women bring their outside shoulders together and sort of roll back to back (wringing the dishrag). The hands are held high and the man turns once under his own arms (a left turn) as he moves around the right hand lady. A sort of wringing the dishrag for him also.
- 12-13-14 Without pausing, but as one continuous movement, the man again backs under the arch, this time going around his left hand lady, making the right turn under his arms and ending in the original position.
- 15-16 The threesome then takes three light running steps forward and a jump (not stamp). As a cue, use 1, 2, 3, sit.

REPEAT

- 9-16 Man back thru arch, around right lady, thru arch around left lady, then fwd, 1,2,3, sit.

As a mixer, the men can progress forward during measures 1-8. If there are extra men, they can be spaced around between the threesomes and take their turn by cutting out the men behind them during the progression.