U KRUŠEVO OGINGORI

(Macedonia)

Translation: In Kruševo a fire of revolution is burning.

Record: Folkraft LP 24.

Rhythm: 18/16 or 11+7/16 ddd.ddd.dd

Starting position: This is a line dance for M and W in separate lines; M shoulder hold, W hands held at shoulder height. R ft free.

Pattern

Measure

1

Part 1 (Men)

Facing ctr, step on R ft in place (ct 1). Step on L ft in place (ct 2). Step on R ft in place, swinging L ft back, L knee bent, body leaning slightly fwd (cts 3-5). Straightening body, raise L leg, knee bent, fwd and up (ct 6). Swing L leg from knee down in a dipping arc to the R, flexing and straightening L knee slightly (cts 7-8).

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5-8

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U KRUSEVO OGINGORI (continued)

- Same as meas 1, only reversing ftwork and direction.
 Same as meas 1-2.
 - Part 1 (Women)
 - Facing ctr, step on R ft in place (ct 1). Step on L ft in place (ct 2). Step on R ft in place (ct 3), bending fwd slightly, flexing R knee, while tapping L toe twice directly behind R heel (cts 4-5). Straightening body, raise L leg, knee bent, fwd and up (ct 6). Swing L leg from knee down in a dipping arc to the R, flexing and straightening L knee slightly (cts 7-8).
- 2 Same as meas 1, only reversing ftwork and direction.
- 3-4 Same as meas 1-2.
- 5-8

Part 2 (Men)

- Turning to face and moving slightly R, two steps (R, L) fwd (cts 1,2). Step fwd on R ft, raising L knee high (ct 3). Hop on R ft (ct 4) and step fwd on L ft (ct 5). Hop on L ft, raising and tucking R ft behind L knee (ct 6). Two steps fwd (R, L) (cts 7,8).
- 2-4 Repeat pattern of meas 1 three more times.

Part 2 (Women)

- Facing slightly and moving R, 2 steps fwd (R, L) S(cts 1-2). Step fwd on R ft (ct 3). Close and tap L toe next to R ft (ct 4). Hold (ct 5). Step fwd on L ft (ct 6). Close and tap R toe next to L ft (ct 7). Hold(ct 8).
- 2-4 Repeat pattern of meas 1 three more times.

Part 3 (Men and Women) "Fast"

- Facing slightly and moving R, two running steps, R,L (cts 1+2). Turning to face ctr, step on R ft in place, bending R knee slightly (ct 3) and closing L ft to R bounce twice on both heels (cts 4-5). Step slightly bkwd on L ft, bending L knee slightly (ct 6) and closing R ft to L bounce twice on both heels (cts 7-8).
 Turning to face R again, two running steps fwd, R, L(cts 1-2).
 - Turning to face R again, two running steps fwd, R, L(cts 1-2). Turning to face ctr, a small leap in place on R ft, flinging L ft across and behind R calf (ct 3). Alternate three more fling steps for a total of four (i.e.; L ft fling (ct 3), R ft fling (ct 4-5), L ft fling (ct 6), R ft fling (ct 7-8).

Repeat pattern of meas 1-2 until end of dance.

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