



Prayer For Ukraine (Molyts'za Ukrayinu)



Choreographed by: Ira Weisburd (USA) (May 2022)

Description: 48 Counts, Phrased Circle Dance

Music: O Bozhe, Ya Molyusya Za Ukrayinu

(Track is available on www.linedancefoundation.com/videoaudioscript)

Intro: 8 Counts, Start at approx 8 secs

Sequence: A, A, A, A, B, A, A, A, A, B, A, A, A, A, B, B

NOTE Start Facing Counter Clockwise

Part A Facing Counter Clockwise

**SEC 1 FORWARD 1 SLOW STEP, FORWARD 2 QUICK STEPS, FORWARD 2 SLOW STEPS,
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1-2& Step R forward, step L forward, step R forward

3-4 Step L forward, step R forward

5-6& Step L forward, step R forward, step L forward

7-8 Step R forward, step L forward

Part B Facing Center

**SEC 1 FORWARD 1 SLOW STEP, FORWARD 2 QUICK STEPS, FORWARD 2 SLOW STEPS,
BACK 1 SLOW STEP, BACK 2 QUICK STEPS, BACK 2 SLOW STEPS**

1-2& Step R forward, step L forward, step R forward

3-4 Step L forward, step R forward (Raising both arms up)

5-6& Step L back, step R back, step L back (Lowering arms)

7-8 Step R back, step L back

SEC 2 SIDE, ROCK RECOVER, SIDE, TOUCH, ¼ R TURN, ½ R PIVOT TURN, ¼ R TURN, BACK ROCK

1-2& Step R to R, rock L back, recover weight onto R

3-4 Step L to L, touch R beside L (Place L hand on L hip & hold R arm up, facing palm of hand)

5-6& Turn ¼ right step R to R, step L forward, pivot ½ R transferring weight onto R

7-8& Turn ¼ right step L forward, rock R back, recover weight onto L (Bring arms down)

**SEC 3 FORWARD 1 SLOW STEP, FORWARD 2 QUICK STEPS, FORWARD 2 SLOW STEPS,
SIDE, HOLD, SIDE, HOLD**

1-2& Step R forward, step L forward, step R forward

3-4 Step L forward, step R forward (Slowly raise arms to sides and around back in back basket hold)

5-6 Step L to L, hold (Look left)

7-8 Step R to R, hold (Look right)

**SEC 4 BACK 1 SLOW STEP, BACK 2 QUICK STEPS, BACK 2 SLOW STEPS,
SIDE, BACK ROCK RECOVER, SIDE, TOUCH**

1-2& Step L back, step R back, step L back (Lower arms)

3-4 Step R back, step L back

5-6& Step R to R, rock L back, recover weight onto R

7-8 Step L to L, touch R beside L (Place L hand on L hip & hold R arm up, facing palm of hand)

SEC 5 ¼ R TURN, ½ R PIVOT TURN, FORWARD, ¼ R TURN, SIDE, BACK ROCK, RECOVER, ½ R, ½ R

1-2& Turn ¼ right step R to R, step L forward, pivot ½ R transferring weight onto R

3-4 Step L forward, turn ¼ right step R forward

5-6& Step L to L, rock R back, recover weight onto L

7-8 Turn ½ right step R to R, turn ½ right step L back