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## Congratulations!

Phrased, Intermediate

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Choreographed to: Congratulations by Cliff Richard,  
CD: Guys From The 60s & 70s Part 2

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Sequence: A, B, A, B, A, Tag, Ending  
On "CON - GRA - TU", both hands spread out in front of chest to sides.  
Start footwork with Lyrics, "LA(1) - TIONS (2)"

### PART A

#### STEP OUT, STEP IN, JAZZ BOX

- 1-4 Step right forward out, step left forward out, step right back to center, step left next to right  
5-8 Cross right over left, step left diagonal back, step right to right, cross left over right

#### ROLLING FULL TURN, KICK STEP 2X

- 1-4 ¼ right turn step right forward, ½ right turn step left back, ¼ right turn step right to right, flick left behind right shin (figure 4) clicking fingers  
5-8 Kick left, step left beside right, kick right, step right beside left

#### STEP OUT, STEP IN, JAZZ BOX

- 1-4 Step left forward out, step right forward out, step left back to center, step right next to left  
5-8 Cross left over right, step right diagonal back, step left to left, cross right over left

#### ROLLING FULL TURN, KICK STEP 2X

- 1-4 ¼ left turn step left forward, ½ left turn step right back, ¼ left turn step left to left, flick right behind left shin (figure 4) clicking fingers  
5-8 Kick right, step right, kick left, step left

### PART B

#### TOE STRUT 4X, KICK, STEP, UNWIND ½ LEFT TURN

- 1&2&3&4 ¼ right turn right toe strut, left toe strut, right toe strut, left toe strut (body slightly lean back, face facing 12:00)  
5-6 Kick right forward, step right back  
7-8 Touch left back, unwind ½ left turn

#### TOE STRUT 4X, KICK, STEP, UNWIND ¼ LEFT TURN

- 1&2&3&4 Right toe strut, left toe strut, right toe strut, left toe strut (body slightly lean back, face facing 12:00)  
5-6 Kick right forward, step right back  
7-8 Touch left back, unwind ¼ left turn

#### SHUFFLE FORWARD, PIVOT ½ LEFT TURN, JUMP APART

- 1a2-3a4 Right shuffle forward, left shuffle forward (slightly detached)  
5-6 Step right forward, pivot ½ left turn  
7-8 Step right forward, pivot ½ left turn

#### HORSE SHOE WALK ½ RIGHT TURN

- 1-4 Walk in the shape of a horseshoe back to front wall  
5 Jump feet apart

#### HIP BUMP (JUST FOLLOW MUSIC, NO COUNTS)

- TAM ter-tam ter-tam TAM ter-tam ter-tam TAM  
Bump hips left, right-left, right-left, etc  
Clap hands on the last TAM

#### HIP BUMP TO THE LEFT

- 1-4 Hips bump back, bump right, bump forward, bump left (follow music to Bom, Bom..)

#### TAG

Hold for 2 counts to start the tag, music slow to fast

#### STEP, HOLD, TOGETHER, HOLD

- 1-4 Step right to right, hold, step left next to right, hold (hold hands with your neighbors)  
5-6 Step right to right, kick left to right diagonal  
7-8 Step left to left, kick right to left diagonal

#### VINE RIGHT, KICK FORWARD, VINE LEFT, KICK FORWARD

- 1-4 Step right to right, step left behind right, step right to right, kick left to right diagonal  
5-8 Step left to left, step right behind left, step left to left, kick right to left diagonal
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**2X PADDLE LEFT TURN, PIVOT ½ LEFT TURN, 2X PADDLE RIGHT TURN, PIVOT ½ RIGHT TURN**

1&2& Step right forward, ¼ left turn on ball left, step right forward, ¼ left turn on ball left

3&4 Step right forward, pivot ½ left turn, step right forward

5&6& Step left forward, ¼ right turn on ball right, step left forward, ¼ right turn on ball right

7&8 Step left forward, pivot ½ right turn, step left forward

**ENDING:** Full Part A & only Sec 4 of Part A & only Sec 9 & 10 of Part B, finish with right step forward  
(bend RIGHT leg & both hands spread out to sides)

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