

FISHIN' IN THE DARK

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 Record: Warner Bros. 7-28311-A by Wendy Waldman & Jim Photoglo Nitty Gritty Dirt Band  
 Footwork: Opposite, Directions for M except where noted  
 Sequence: INTRO - AA - B - Bridge - AA - BB - Bridge - TAG PHASE II + 1 Fishtail

INTRO

(1) WAIT; (2) WAIT; (3-4) 2 TWO STEPS AWAY;; (5-6) STRUT TOG 4;; (7) APT, -, PT, -;  
(8) TOG, -, TCH TO SCP, -;

- 1-2 In OP both feg LOD wait two meas;;
- 3-4 Circle away LF (W RF) L,R,L,-; R,L,R,-;
- 5-6 Strut tog L, -,R, -; L, -,R join M's R hnd & W's L hnd, -;
- 7-8 Step apt L, -,pt R, -; tog R, -,tch L to SCP, -;

PART A

(1-2) 2 FWD TWO STEPS;; (3-4) BOX;; (5) SCIS TO SCAR; (6) SCIS TO BJO; (7) FISHTAIL;  
(8) WALK, -, 2 TO FC, -; (9-10) 2 TRNG TWO STEPS;; (11) TWL VINE, -, 2, -; (12) WALK, -, 2, -;

- 1-2 SCP fwd LOD L, cl R,fwd L, -; fwd R,cl L,fwd R to CP, -;
- 3-4 M feg WALL box sd L,cl R,fwd L, -; sd R,cl L,bk R, -;
- 5-6 Sd L,cl R, XLIF (W XRIB) to SCAR, -; sd R,cl L,XRIF (W XLIB) to BJO LOD, -;
- 7-8 XLIB of R (W XRIB), sd R, fwd L, XRIB (W XLIF); walk L, -,R to fc, -;
- 9-10 CP M feg WALL do 2 RF trng two steps L,R,L, -; R,L,R, -;
- 11-12 Vine sd L, -,XRIB (W twirls RF under lead hndis R, -,L, -) to SCP, -; walk L, -,R, -;

PART B

(1-2) FC TO FC & BK TO BK ALL THE WAY AROUND FC REV;; (3) RK BK, -, REC, -;

(4) FWD HITCH 3; (5) RK BK, -, REC, -; (6) SCIS THRU; (7) VINE 4; (8) WALK, -, 2, -;

- 1 BFLY WALL sd L LOD, cl R drop lead hndis, sd L trng LF (W RF) away from ptr to bk to bk pos, -;
- 2 Sd R LOD, cl L drop trailing hndis, sd R trng LF (W RF) to fc rev join M's L & W's R hndis end LOP, -;
- 3-4 Rk bk L, -,rec R, -; fwd L, cl R, bk L, -;
- 5-6 Rk bk R, -, rec L, -; sd R RLod, cl L, thru R to CP WALL, -;
- 7 Vine sd L LOD, X RIB (W XLIF), sd L, RIF (W XLIB);
- 8 Blend to SCP & walk L, -,R, -;

(9) VINE APT KICK & CLAP; (10) VINE BK TOG FC TCH; (11) VINE 3 TCH LOD;

(12) WRAP 3 TCH; (13) UNWRAP 3 TCH; (14) CHG SDS 3 FC REV;

- 9 Sd L COH (W WALL), XRIB (W XLIB), sd L, kick R across in frt of L & clap;
- 10 Sd R WALL (W COH), XLIB (W XRIB), sd R trng to fc ptr, tch L to BFLY WALL;
- 11 Sd L LOD, XRIB (W XLIB), sd L, tch R;
- 12 Sd R RLod, XLIB, sd R, tch L (W wrap LF L,R,L,tch R); \*
- 13 Step in pl L,R,L, tch R (W unwrap RF R,L,R,tch L);
- 14 Drop lead hndis chg sds R,L,R under jnd M's R & W's L hndis to OP RLod, -;

\* NOTE: Retain double handhold meas 12-13.

(15) VINE APT KICK; (16) VINE BK TOG FC TCH; (17) VINE 3 TCH LOD; (18) WRAP 3 TCH;

(19) UNWRAP 3 TCH; (20) CHG SDS 3 to BFLY;

15-20 Repeat Meas 9-14 end BFLY;;;;;

BRIDGE

(1-4) S OPEN VINE 8;;;

- 1 Drop trailing hndis & retain lead hndis sd L LOD, -, XRIB (W XLIB), -;
- 2 Sd L, -, XRIF (W XRIB), -;
- 3-4 Repeat Bridge Meas 1-2;;

TAG

(1) APT, -, PT, -; (2) TOG, -, TCH, -; (3) APT, -, TCH, -; (4) TOG, -, PT, -;

- 1 Release lead hndis & join trailing hndis step apt L, -, pt R, -;

2-3 Step tog R, -, tch L, -; apt L, -, tch R, -;

4 Step tog R to  $\frac{1}{2}$  OP, -, pt L DC (W DW) & extend free arms to the sd & curved upward, -;

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