

Mele Kalikimaka

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RECORD: Mele Kalikimaka, Jimmy Buffett Christmas Island CD

FOOTWORK: Opposite

RHYTHM: Rumba **Phase:** RAL 3 Speed: CD speed or slow to suit

SEQUENCE: Intro, A, B, A, B, Ending

INTRO

1-4 2 MEASURE WAIT;; CUCARACHA TWICE;;

1-2 BFLY pos wait;;

3-4 Push sd L, rec R, cl L to R, - ; Push sd R, rec L, cl R to L, - ; Arm action: Start with both hnds in between ptrs palm to palm at chest level. On first Cucaracha bring lead hnds in a big up-and-out circle to waist level. Repeat action with trail hnds on second Cucaracha.

A

1-4 BASIC;; ALAMANA;;

1-2 rk fwd L, rec R, sd L, -; rk bk R, rec L, sd R, -;

3-4 Rk fwd Wall L, rec R, sd LOD L release M's R hnd (W's L), -; rk bk COH R, rec L, sd RLOD R (W fwd XLIF trng RF, fwd R cont RF trn, sd RLOD L) ending BFLY Wall,-;

5-8 LARIAT;; FENCE LINE TWICE;;

5-6 Press sd L, rec R, cl L to R, -; press sd R, rec L, cl R to L, (W fwd R, fwd L bhnd M, fwd R, -; fwd L arnd M,

7-8 In Bfly with a slight tilt twd RLOD with M's R & W's L hands low slightly, check thru to RLOD on L, rec R, sd L,-; With a slight tilt twd LOD with M's L & W's R hands low slightly, check thru to LOD on R, rec L, sd R,-;

9-12 _ BASIC; WHIP; FENCE LINE TWICE;;

9-10 Rck fwd L, rec R, sd & bck L, - ; Bck R, rec L trn _ LF, sd R to end BFLY fc wall; [W (5-6): Rck bck R, rec L, sd & fwd R, - ; Fwd L outsd ptr, fwd R trn _ LF, sd L to end BFLY fc COH;]

11-12 Repeat 7-8 A;;

13-16 _ BASIC; WHIP; BREAK BACK TO OPEN; PROGRESSIVE WALK 3;

13-14 Repeat 9-10 A but to face line;;

15-16 trng OP LOD rk bk L, rec R, fwd LOD L, -; fwd R, L, R, -;

B

1-4 CIRCLE AWAY + TOGETHER TO BUTTERFLY;; SIDE WALKS 6;;

1-2 Circle away twd COH(W twd Wall)L, R, L, -; Circle tog twd Wall (W twd COH)R, L, R, -;

3-4 Sd L, Cl R, Sd L; Cl R, Sd L, Cl R;

5-8 NEW YORKER TWICE;; BASIC;;

5-6 Rk thru twd RLOD on L to LOP, rec R fc ptr, sd L; repeat to line;

7-8 Repeat 1-2 A;;

9-12 ALAMANA;; SHOULDER TO SHOULDER TWICE;;

9-10 Repeat 3-4 A;;

11-12 XLIF of R to BFLY scar, rec R to fc, sd L, -; XRIF of L to BFLY/BJO, rec L to fc, sd R, -;

13-16 NEW YORKER TWICE;; HAND TO HAND TWICE;;

13-14 Repeat 5-6 B;;

15-16 Trail hnds jnd trn LF to fc LOD rk bk L, rec R to fc ptr, sd L, -; lead hnds jnd trn
RF to fc RLOD rk bk R, rec L to fc ptr, sd R, -;

Repeat A

Repeat B

ENDING

1-4 BASIC;; ALAMANA;;

1-2 Repeat 1-2 A;;

3-4 Repeat 3-4 A;;

5 SNAP APART + POINT

5 L back and pt FW R;