

Love Letter Waltz 4-2

Choreographer: Dave & Linda Benton & Evan & Mary Wallen
Description: 48 count, beg/inter waltz partner/circle dance
Music: **Love Letters** by Bonnie Raitt & Elton John
Stars Over Texas by Tracy Lawrence 90 bpm
Their Hearts Are Dancing by The Forester Sisters 100 bpm



*Position: Cape Position, facing LOD
Based on line dance by Frank Trace*

Beats / Step Description

FORWARD TRAVELING TWINKLE STEPS

1- Step left right diagonally forward over right, step right to side, step left together
4-6 Step right left diagonally forward over left, step left to side, step right together
Moving toward LOD

BASIC WALTZ FORWARD, WALTZ TURN ½ LEFT

1-3 Step left forward, step together on right, step left together
4-6 Step right back (toe turned in), step on left turning ½ left, step right forward (6:00)
Drop left hand on count 4. Man's hand will be in hammerlock after turn when left hands are joined on count 6

TURNING WALTZ STEP ½ LEFT, BASIC WALTZ BACK

1-3 Step on left starting a turn left, step on right turning ½ left, step left back (12:00)
4-6 Step right back, step left together, step right together
Drop right hands on count one and rejoin on count three after turn is complete

FORWARD TRAVELING TWINKLE STEPS

1-3 Step left diagonally forward right over right, step right to side, step left together
4-6 Step right diagonally forward left over left, step left to side, step right together
Moving toward LOD

TURNING WALTZ STEP ½ LEFT, BASIC WALTZ BACK

1-3 Step on left starting a turn left, step on right turning ½ left, step left back (RLOD)
4-6 Step right back, step left together, step right together
Moving toward LOD

TURN ¼ LEFT WALTZ STEP, VINE RIGHT

1-3 Turn ¼ left and step left forward, turn ¼ left and step back on the right, turn ¼ left and step left forward
4-6 Step RIGHT TO SIDE, cross left behind right, step RIGHT TO SIDE
*Drop hands while turning. Woman will end up behind the man. Hold hands down low facing ILOD
Easy option for steps 1-3: step left forward, turn ¼ right (weight to right), step left together*

WEAVE RIGHT, STEP, DRAG (ILOD)

1-3 Cross left over right, step right to side, cross left behind right
4-6 Take a large step right with right, drag and touch left together

TURN ¼ LEFT WALTZ STEP, CROSS, ROCK, RECOVER (RETURNING TO LOD)

1-3 Turn ¼ left and step left forward, turn ¼ left and step back on the right, turn ¼ left and step left forward
4-6 Cross right over left, step LEFT TO SIDE, recover to right
*Drop right hand on count 1 and join right hands after turn when facing LOD
Easy option for steps 1-3: step left forward, turn ¼ right (weight to right), step left together*

Smile and Begin Again