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# Dear Dancers



Tis that time of the year again! Seems like the last one was just six months ago, never mind a full twelve, where oh! where does the time go?

What is it about Christmas that makes most of us go crazy? Shopping, planning, cooking, wrapping... Trying our hands at recipes that we would never look at any other time of the year, looking for ingredients we have no idea of how they look or taste (I spent a week once looking for kumquats for the festive ham. Kumquats, I ask you!), buying gifts that we know will have to be wrapped with the receipt enclosed, sending cards to people we

never speak to (or would want to for that matter), stressing ourselves stupid bringing home the equivalent of provisions that a small country would need if invaded. I don't know why we all do these things and yet, I like it all.

No, really I do. I think the magic of Christmas is this moment of togetherness we create and cherish. All the things we do are undeniably gestures meant for others, people whom we love and that everyday life rarely allow to spend any real time with.

But Christmas, as we are so often reminded, is not so wonderful for everyone. In Dear Dancers this month I would like to ask you to spare a thought for those who have lost a friend, a spouse or worse of all, a child this year. How will they feel? How will they cope? When you are alone, there is no crueller time than this time of the year, it accentuates, highlights and brings forward your loneliness, your sadness.

And because Line dancers are such a fantastic bunch of people, one way to really make a difference this year is to open our eyes and include the loneliest dancer in our celebrations. By that I mean just write a simple greeting card, wrap a little gift, buy someone a drink after class... Just let that person know that they are not totally forgotten and are somehow part of your life and your thoughts will make a difference, I guarantee it.

I am pretty sure many of you already do these things. After all, you are a Line dancer and I know you show your generosity of spirit every single day.

And in the meantime, should you end up like I will, still running, still buying things you don't really want or need, still stressing over details, sit down, take a breather and remember it could be much worse. You could be a turkey!

I hope you have the most wonderful time this year, you, your family and your dear ones. I hope it will be a time of celebration and joy and dancing. I hope you will find peace in your heart and mind. Only one thing left to do for me and the team ....Wish you all the loveliest, greatest, best-est Christmas ever!

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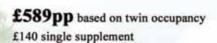
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Few artists in Nashville can match *Reba McEntire* for vocal style or vision. She recently spoke to *Richard Kirk* for this exclusive Linedancer Magazine interview.

Few singers can match Reba McEntire and her career. She has won an unprecedented seven Country Music Association Awards, 15 American Awards, 12 Academy of Country Music Awards and many more including two Grammys. She has also sold over 55 million albums and had 34 Number one hits.

Her new album, 'Keep On Loving You', when released in the USA earlier this year shot straight into the Number one slot on both the Billboard Top Country and Top 200 Album charts.

As a singer and artist Reba is very much involved in the songs and choices made. Not for her waiting for managers to make decisions, no siree! She co-produces her records, a rarity for women in any genre of music and has always kept a very keen eye on the ebb and flow of her career and the quality of the songs she chooses. For this new album, Reba made an unusual decision. She chose to work with two producers.

"Different people bring different things to a project. Tony Brown and I have been working together since 1989 andI thought it would be interesting to bring in another producer to see how he would handle different songs. I had chosen 13 songs to record. They were selected from thousands. I gave Tony the ones I thought he would shine on. The others I thought Mark Bright would enhance and put his style on. I think it worked very well. It is basically the same formula I have always used but with a little more edge. The style of instrumentation is a little more contemporary but I also included my more traditional cuts."

Reba is a complete entertainer and her career on the big screen and television (Tremours, TV series The Gambler and her very own

# loving







sit com Reba) is also worthy of note. The sitcom Reba lasted six seasons and she says: "I loved doing the 'Reba' show. We had more stories to tell. I was really sad it went away. We filmed in Los Angeles. We bought a place there and kept our home in Nashville." Juggling a career like hers and a family cannot be an easy thing. She says: "Our son Shelby has now graduated and he's going to college. He's a 'happy camper' but my husband, Narvel, and I are 'empty nesters' and still working as hard as we ever have."

Reba is indeed one very active lady. "After doing Annie Get Your Gun on Broadway for six months I had a five week tour in the Summer. It was an all girl show with Martina McBride, Jamie O'Neal, Sara Evans and Carol Dawn Johnson. In the Fall, we continued with the 'Reba Show'. I have only ever taken one whole summer off and that was in 2002. Now we are back 100 per cent with the music. I have a new record label, a new album. I like to stay busy."

Reba was born one of four children three girls and a boy- to Clark McEntire, a champion rodeo rider and Jacqueline a gifted singer. The whole family travelled the rodeo circuit and Reba took part as a horseback barrel rider. Her mother said she got her drive, her grit, and her business sense from her father. He was the one who gave her a push into a music career when aged 19, she was encouraged to sing the national anthem at the 1974 National Finals Rodeo in Oklahoma City. Singer Red Seagall who enjoyed the Western way of life heard her and took her to Nashville to record a demo. Within a year, she had signed a contract.

And though rare for an artist of her calibre, Reba has always managed to stay grounded. She explains: "Family is very important to me. Narvel has three children from previous marriage and we have our son. We took a big family vacation this summer. All four kids and grandkids celebrating our 20th wedding anniversary. It's good that Narvel is my manager and we get

to travel all the time. We stay in good communication." Does she sing about herself? "No, not really. The songs I choose for the new album are nothing personal. I just like them. Mainly because they touched my heart and I hope they touch other people too."

Having recorded 33 albums in thirtythree years Reba is at the peak of her craft in this album. Arrangements range from the gentle ballad to the powerful instrumentation. You have to get up and dance to Pink guitar and I'll Have Whatever She's Having. The current single, 'Consider Me Gone' is a real strong woman's song about confrontation. 'She's Turning 50 Today' has lyrics that will resonate with many women across the world "Got those faded jeans on. Gets in the car. Hits the highway and not looking back." But my own personal favourite is 'Maggie Creek Road' a song that reminds me of Bobby Gentry's hit 'Ode To Billy Joe'. This is pure class, just like the lady herself.

We have five copies of Reba's fantastic ner album to give away. For your chance to win one please answer the following question?

What is the name of Reba's son? A Shelby B Narvel C Mark To enter go to www.linedancermagazine.com and click on the "competition" area.

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# Gentleman IIII







More than 45 years after his untimely death, *Jim Reeves* is remembered with a wonderful DVD release this Christmas. *Linedancer* looks back at a legend of country music.

Jim Reeves was born in 1923 in a small town in Texas, Galloway. As a youngster he started to DJ at local events and sang live in between records. He became a member of a band the Moon Mullican's band and made some early Mullican-style recordings like "Each Beat of my Heart" and "My Heart's Like a Welcome Mat" from the late 1940s to the early 1950s.

One day, by chance, he was asked to fill in at a concert and musical history was made. That was the break Jim Reeves needed and he soon started getting Country hits.

Starting with both Fabor Records and Abbott Records, he made a string of successful novelty songs (Mexican Joe, Bimbo) and eventually moved to RCA in 1955. He signed a ten year contract with Stephen Sholes who would produce some of his first recordings with RCA. Interestingly, Sholes signed Presley in the same year.

At first, Reeves continued singing in the "standard" Country style of the day (loud!) but he wanted to change and bring something new. So he softened his voice, lowered his pitch and sang with his lips nearly touching the microphone. This did not go down too well with RCA at first but in 1957, thanks to his producer

Chet Atkins, he used this new style on the song "Four Walls". The song took top position on the country charts and went to number eleven on the popular charts almost instantly.

Today, in the USA in particular, popular music and Country are inextricably linked and it is certainly thanks in part to Jim Reeves who managed to make country more widely accepted. His arrangements grew lusher, the violins louder and soon the "Nashville sound" was fully born!

Songs such as "Adios Amigo," "Welcome To My World", and "Am I Losing You?" demonstrated Jim Reeves talents best. "He'll Have to Go" became a huge hit on both the pop and country music charts, and earned him a platinum record. Again, this was a song that was as Country as it was "pop" and the singer became internationally famous at the start of the 60's. He encountered massive successes in South Africa and toured Ireland and Norway to both countries acclaim.

On July 31, 1964, Reeves and his business partner and manager and pianist Dean Manuel flew from Batesville, Arkansas to Nashville with Jim at the controls. While flying over Brentwood, Tennessee, they encountered a violent thunderstorm.

A subsequent investigation showed that during the flight, Jim Reeves had suffered spatial disorientation. It was later believed he was flying the plane upside down and thought he was increasing altitude to clear the storm.

On the morning of August 2, 1964, the bodies of Reeves and Manuel were found in the wreckage. Thousands turned out to pay their last respects at his funeral. The coffin, draped in flowers from fans, was driven through the streets of Nashville and then to Reeves' final resting place near Carthage, Texas.

There is no doubt that Jim Reeves's influence is still strong today with his music never really forgotten. Even adverts still use his songs, real proof if proof was needed of Jim Reeves commercial viability still strong. Interestingly, he was elected posthumously to the Country Music Hall of Fame in 1967.

At the ceremony the following was said: "The velvet style of 'Gentleman Jim Reeves' was an international influence. His rich voice bought millions of new fans to country music from every corner of the world. Although the crash of his private airplane took his life, posterity will keep his name alive because they will remember him as one of country music's most important performers."













# The Jim Reeves Anthology DVD

This new release is nothing short of amazing for anyone who is a fan of Gentleman Jim. It boasts of over 80 minutes of material including 22 complete songs, a live concert in Oslo and rare photos and footage as well as a candid interview with the singer.

A booklet with interesting facts is also included making this release a must have for any Country fan. *Available nationwide.* 

### Competition

We have five copies of the DVD to give away.
For your chance to win just answer the following What was Jim Reeves nickname?

- **A** Gentleman Jim
- **B** Sir Jim
- **C** Mister Jim

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# evening

History was made at the 2009 CMA awards in November. This prestigious awards evening was full of surprises....

The award event of the year for many, this year's CMA awards were not short of memorable moments. It was a night that celebrated the up and coming artists of Country with Darius Rucker winning New Artist of the Year.

This was a specially great moment as Darius is the first African American to win this particular award, a major individual achievement.

The last African American to win major CMA Awards was Charley Pride as entertainer of the year in 1971 and male vocalist in 1971/72. After his win, Darius commented: "I am proud to be the guy who has taken up where Charlie Pride left off."

The hugely popular Lady Antebellum group received two major awards (Vocal Group and Single of the Year) and it was good to see a new group recognised after the Rascal Flatts run of awards for the last six years.

Many have criticised the CMA in the past for being too safe in their choices but that certainly was not the case for this year.

Other new names were recognised for their contributions, more notably Jamey Johnson for In Color as Song of the Year and Mac



 $\label{eq:McAnally} \mbox{ McAnally for Musician of the Year.}$ 

Brad Paisley won two awards as Male Vocalist of the Year and a shared Musical Event with legend Keith Urban.

But the night belonged to Taylor Swift, which must have been some kind of sweet revenge after the Kanye West incident at the MTV awards

Winning four of the most prestigious awards that night (Entertainer of the Year. Female Vocalist of the year, Music Video and Album of the year), she was cheered wildly by the crowd. "I'll never forget this moment everything that I have ever wanted has just happened to me" she said on stage as her father in the audience was reduced to tears.

She also sang two songs during the show, proving her status as one of today's most exciting country artist there are in Nashville.

This year's show was one of the most glamorous evening of the year and also made history in many respects.

And like a breath of fresh air, it opened the international door of recognition to many new names who, undoubtedly, will become tomorrow's recognised names of Country.



THE WINNERS LIST

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Female Vocalist Of The Year **Taylor Swift** 

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New Artist Of The Year **Darius Rucker** 

Vocal Group Of The Year **Lady Antebellum** 

Vocal Duo Of The Year **Sugarland** 

Single Of The Year

I Run To You Lady Antebellum

Album Of The Year Fearless by Taylor Swift

Song Of The Year In Color by Jamey Johnson

Musical Event
Brad Paisley and Keith Urban

Music Video Love Story by Taylor Swift

Musician Of the Year Mac McAnally

# grapevine



# Chocs Away

Hank and Denise and their Line Dance In Cardiff club took a trip to Torquay for a weekend with Charlotte Macari. They had decided to dress for the occasion and were inspired by the advert on TV for Virgin Airways. They told us: "The costumes were handmade and this made it more fun". As you can see from the picture they done a really good job. They called themselves Virgin Rejects and caused quite a stir at the motorway services and on arrival at the hotel. Every year they dress up for their weekend away and this year even Charlotte Macari joined in as one of the Famous Trolley Dollies. Hank and Denise added: "The ladies ages range from late thirties to 95. 'B' is 95 and is still Line dancing and always first in line to dress up and have a good giggle. They sent pictures to Virgin Customer Services who replied saying they were really impressed with the pictures and have put them on their internal website. Two days later a big box of chocolates arrived compliments of Virgin thanking the girls for all their effort and telling them how they had impressed everyone in the company."





### Happy Birthday Frank

Frank of Frank's Gang from Douglas in the Isle of Man recently celebrated his birthday. He told us: "For my birthday bash I booked Slice The Ice for what turned out to be a brilliant night of Line dancing. Slice The Ice are a duo from Manchester who can both sing and play every style of music imaginable. We danced to the Killers, Rod Stewart, The Four Tops, Van Morrison, The Mavericks, Take That, Keith Urban, Scissor Sisters, etc. They also played a couple of instrumentals to show off some fantastic musicianship. If you want a great dance with a difference check out Slice The Ice I'm sure you won't be disappointed."

### Who Goes There?

The annual Black & White Mask Ball held by Maureen and Michelle, repeated the success of previous years with scores of dancers attending and all of them keen to participate in the fun theme. The girls told us: "Dancers dressed in a variety of black and white outfits, some with feather boas and dickie bows, others in fun black and white costumes, all with masks. The dance floor had a mystery element as everyone tried to guess who was behind each mask. A very broad range of Line dances was played ranging from brand new to golden oldies and all types of music were covered. As usual there was a fun, free guiz with numerous prizes." Maureen & Michelle hold regular socials at The Peace Memorial Hall, Penkridge, Staffs on the second Friday of each month and they are always extremely popular. Watch out for their spectacular Ice Dance Social in December.





Dixie Kickers celebrated Halloween with a social at the New Invention Working Mens Victory Club in Willenhall. Denise Nicholls sent in a photo and told us: "In between the pumpkin and the devil we have my son dressed up, although some said it was an improvement. I dressed up as a witch, some call me that even when it's not Halloween but they are a great bunch really."







# Surfing Woolacombe Bay

Halloween night in Woolacombe Bay, Devon was where Val Vella and her Line dance club the Easy Strollers from Clevedon in Somerset went on a KingsHill Line dance weekend. Val recalls: "We had a great fun weekend, one of my dancers even braved the cold and wind to go surfing, Pictured with us is our leader for the weekend, Sandra, who I would like to thank for keeping us dancing."



# grapevine



# Happy Teaching

A firework themed class was held in November at The Mavericks Line dance club in St Day, Cornwall. They all dressed up with glitter and sparkle. During the tea break The Mavericks teacher, Barrie Penrose, informed the class that on 7th November 1999 he passed his dance teacher exam which meant he has been teaching Line dancing for 10 years. That was not the only surprise, his wife Di presented him

with a cup to celebrate the occasion along with a card and a cake which was enjoyed by everyone. Barrie taught the class the first dance he ever taught, Slap City. They also enjoyed some oldies, Scotia Samba, Hillbilly Rock, Sweet Sweet Smile and Quando, to name a few. We are reliably told that it was a thoroughly great night. Well done Barrie and keep up the good work.

# Poetry Corner

Skid's Line Dancing Class By Brenda Jones in Shropshire.

I've started to go Line Dancing on Monday afternoons, But it's addictive, so you see Tuesday can't come too soon. Skid is the one who teaches us, he's always very smart, And when he wears his cowboy hat he really looks the part.

The music's very catchy, you'll want to have a go, But when Skid says we'll try Duck Soup, most of us groan "Oh No!" Amame is my favourite, I haven't danced it yet But each week, if I persevere much better I will get.

When Skid is there in front of me attention I can give, But when we face another wall I lose the will to live. It's coaster step or sailor's step or shuffle side and rock, Two heels, two toes, right fan, left fan or maybe rumba box.

Since Awel's started coming I think I have improved,
She shows me how to dance at home
when she is in the mood
In time we'll all be perfect, proud of us, Skid will be,
But I'm sure we'll still continue with our lessons,
wait and see!

### Is This A Golden Record?

The photograph shows Dorothy and Phillip Addison celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary at a Halloween social held in Middlesbrough. They had a special evening amongst their Line dancing friends from Achy Breakies & Crazy Stompers Line Dancing Instructor Ann Club. Smith asks: "I wonder if we hold the record, as a class this is the seventh 50th Wedding Anniversary we have celebrated in out 12 years of dancing together. It just goes to prove that Line dancing keeps you young and active, doesn't it. We are all looking forward to the next one.





# Stepping back 10YEARSago

LeAnn Rimes adorned the Linedancer magazine cover ten years ago. A full feature on pages 26 and 27 described how her latest 'Classics' album confirmed her position as everyone's favourite 'Country Sweetheart' but it was only during her recent visit to Europe that the teen sensation discovered she was admired by some of the world's most prominent figures. LeAnn flew to Rome for an audience with the Pope at the Vatican, four days later she performed, How Do I Live and Crazy before the Queen at the Royal Variety Performance. She said how delighted she was to be nominated for International Artist Of The Year in this year's Linedancer Awards. "I think Line dancing's great," she said. "I tried it a while ago and it's

Our Grapevine pages announced the opening of the new musical, Stand By Your Man, dramatising the life and songs of Tammy Wynette. The production featured West End star Helen Hobson.

a lot of fun."

At the top of the Dancers' Top Ten charts printed on page 12 were Into The Arena by Michael Vera-Lobos, Pot Of Gold by Liam Hrycan and Mardi Gras Mambo by Chris Hodgson.

On pages 14 and 15 was a feature about when Linedancer caught up with UCWDC Masters Champion Pedro Machado. Pedro was described as 'one of the most charismatic and fun stars on the Line dance circuit'. With a long list of major titles already amassed over the years, Pedro was eager to have one last bash at the Worlds in Nashville. "One more time," he says. "I know I said this last year too but everybody gave me so much grief that I had to do it one last time. I've won more than I've ever dreamed I'd do in Line dance. I really can't go any higher."

Humour was top of the bill for dancers in Harrogate. On page 29 we told how singing and dancing duo Razor Edge represented the fun side of Line dancing by taking to the stage in various costumes, at this Halloween event they wore black lace tights and corsets. They were not just a novelty act as their versions of country and western classics proved they could sing and play guitar with the best of them.

A feature entitled Musical Youth on page 35 reported on The Mason-Dixon Trio. When it comes to country music they certainly like to keep it in the family. Lead singer and guitarist Keith Moore was joined by his two young sons, George aged 12 on keyboards and drums and Tom aged 10 on bass guitar. Little sister Florence aged 6, a keen Line dancer, was desperate to join the band but at that time her contribution was limited to one number on the accordian. The band supported The Dean Brothers at the Luton Country Music Festival.

It was reported on pages 40 and 41 how choreographers had their big day out at Southport's Floral Hall for the Grand Final of the Linedancer Choreography competition. Over 500 budding choreographers entered the heats and entries came from as far as Canada and Holland. The winning dance was Do You Love Me? Danced to the track of the same name by The Contours. The hip-swirling, four wall, 48 count dance had the audience rocking in the aisles. The choreography was a group effort by the winning team, Shooting Stars. The team consisted of husband and wife Paul and Jane Williams and daughter Amy, Damon Bruce, Donna Lacey and Richard Large. The group said: "We wanted something to make people sit up and watch, we didn't go with chart music because everybody does that.'

Featured on page 43 were two renowned musicians, John Pettifer and Dallas Wayne, who were set to take the British Line dance scene by storm as a duo. John Pettifer found fame with the legendary Cheap Seats. Whilst fans were still in mourning following the band's demise, this talented young man was hard at work in the recording studio. John's new partner Dallas, was described as having more experience, wit and wisdom than any one person deserves. The duo were due to announce their future British tour dates.

A feature on page 57 told how Line dance was popular around the rest of the world but it was said that it struggled to win over the sometimes sceptical and shoulder-shrugging French. "That's absolutely true," said Line dance instructor Clair Symonds. "However, once the French have dipped their toes into the dancing waters, they just love it. It was the same with Rock and Roll in the 50's. In fact, there is now far more enthusiasm in France for Rock than there is in the UK. I'd expect to see the same thing happen in Line dance." The proof of the pudding is in the grapevining!

Ten years ago some of the dances that appeared among the Stepping Off The Page section were Pizziricco, This Broken Heart, Do You Love Me, Country Fire, Everybody Salsa, J'ai Du Boogie and That Time Of Night.

#### **WINNERS OF** LAST MONTH'S COMPETITIONS

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- E. Dunbar, Bedlington, Northumberland
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LS: Hi Guylaine. Though we have met a few times now, I would love to know a little more about you ...

GB: Hello. It's funny, when you asked me for an interview I thought there was not much to tell.... (laughs) anyway, to start right at the beginning I was born in Trois Rivières, a town situated between Montréal and Québec. I am of course a French Canadian.

LS: You have a wonderful accent (Canadian accent in French has a lovely lilting quality). How did you discover dance?

GB: My brother's girlfriend was a dance teacher and that's how it all started! It was like a magic potion. Then my parents who loved ballroom dancing took me to their weekly lessons at Hélène and Roger Picard and I knew there and then this would be my life. I was 12. And it has never ever changed. Dancing to me is like breathing.

LS: Have you always been supported in your dance goals?

GB: Yes, always, though because of the costs I had to work hard as a kid to pay my own way. And then later I met Michel who became the man I married and my constant source of inspiration. He helped me open my dance school and made me realise my potential fully. It is with him that I lived my happiest years, teaching to everyone from children to older dancers and that I learnt my craft. I sewed thousands of costumes, spent every hour that was mine immersed in dance and show stopping productions.

LS: I know that what followed was totally devastating for you. Are you able to tell us?

GB: This is a very personal chapter of my life but yes, I can now talk about it. Three years ago, Michel committed suicide and this was not only sudden and as you say devastating but I found it hard as a dancer to put both sets of emotions together in my heart and in my head. Dance is freedom, sunshine and death and grief the complete opposite. Dance became my best LS: This must have been impossibly difficult.

and had to go and give some lessons, it was the best therapy for me.

LS: Did this change things for you?

GB: Undeniably. It was one of the factors that made me travel to France. It took me a whole year to finalise my thoughts. I did not want to seem to run away. It was also a further heartbreak when I did go. I loved my dancers in La Tuque.

LS: Destiny has had a huge part in your life as a dancer as well, did it not?

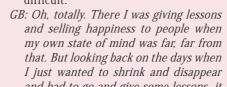
GB: It most certainly did. I discovered Country (la dance Country) and this would change my life completely. I arrived in France in 2004 and Country was just exploding there. I quickly got some breaks as an instructor, choreographer, show performer and producer. I ended up touring France and what an experience that was! At that time I still had my school in Québec and balancing both careers got impossible.

LS: When did you actually move?

GB: Last year in 2008. And I was richly rewarded with the French dancers.

LS: Your name is instantly recognizable in France. Tell us why?

GB: At the risk of sounding as if I am blowing my own trumpet, I had a tour called Guylaine Tour Excellence And Fun which proved a big hit. I partnered with the FFCLD and it allowed me to meet many dancers from the whole of France. I taught some technical elements, some Country Line dance and my very own team workshops



LS: What were those workshops?

GB: I wanted to show dancers the importance of team work and how that spirit can bring you together. So as I travelled, I taught clubs the same routine and they spent some months rehearsing, then we presented our final in the summer at the Country Festival in Cagnes Sur Mer and also at the Western festival of St-Tite in Canada with my Québec dancers and the French dancers who came with us. I am proud that I could bring together two different countries with one passion. Dance.

LS: You also graced the French magazine cover Dreamwest earlier on. You are getting famous.

GB: (laughs) Famous, I don't know. But it is lovely to meet people I don't know and who, straightaway, want to give me a hug and talk to me as a friend because they know of me. I also did a big show with my friend Ian Scott in Paris. He is a talented singer and I have written dances to many of his songs so it was great to be with him and six dancers on one stage. We loved it!

LS: December 2009. How is your life now?

GB: I live in France full time though no permanent address as yet (laughs), as I am always on tour I just haven't had time to fix any roots down as yet. I probably will end up in Paris in a little apartment, something I can call my own. I love Paris, really LOVE it. As for me personally, my life is a busy one and the pay off is the degree of success I have had so far. Lately, I feel more opened and ready to talk about me and who I am, as you have noticed today (laughs again).

LS: Anything you miss from the old life?

GB: What I miss most is how I would like the ones who were there for me in Canada to see what I have become, how much I have grown. I would like them to see that their support was not in vain and that in part, it is thanks to them that I am the woman I am today. I have also understood that happiness is not at the end of a rainbow, but it is within you. And I do love France and the French way of life. I have discovered cheese and champagne. French cinema and restaurants...What's not to like?

LS: France today...the rest of the world tomorrow?

GB: (laughs) Why not? Starting with a visit to the CBA, in 2010, just to see what Line dance is like UK style. Looking forward to discover a new dance culture. And make a lot more friends in a fabulous country....



See Guylaine in action in Online dancer this month and discover more about her trip to St Tite next month.





# Double H Lights Up Blackpool!

Double H's
Blackpool
Illuminations
Linedance
Spectacular took
place at the
Norbreck Castle on
4th - 6th Sept 2009.



It was the weekend of the lights being turned on and the event was every bit as sparkling as the wondrous illuminations!

The superb entertainment was displayed by John Dean, Plain Loco, Natalie, Broadcaster, Gemma'ni and MT Alan duo. And of course the event had the most fantastic instructor with none others than Robbie McGowan Hickey and surprise guest Lizzie Clarke.

Amongst the guests attending was large groups from Northern Ireland - The Honky Tonk Angels, Southern Ireland The Southern Hot Shots, Northampton Crystal Cats, Lancashire Cactus Club, Durham Ladies in Line, Norway Framnes Linedancers who made the whole weekend unmissable. Eileen Henry of Double H Promotions is formally from Bally Castle and she was really proud to see so many from her home town there! The Saturday Night Fancy Dress Theme was Tramps and Toffs and was a real hoot!

And the guests certainly showed their appreciation with their feedback on **www.hhpromotions.com**. Here are a few examples of the comments:





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# Dance Level

# **Beginner**



Rachael McEnaney

1.	Toes	Rachael McEnaney	Toes
2.	The Little Shirt	Audrey Watson	The Little Shirt
3.	This And That	Gary Lafferty	Woman
4.	Smile On Your Face	Audrey Watson F	Put A Smile On Your Face
5.	Topsy Turvy	Sandra Speck	Upside Down
6.	Baby Kate	Niels B. Poulsen	Sister Kate
7.	Almost Tomorrow	Margaret Swift	It's Almost Tomorrow
8.	Can't Tell A Waltz From A Tango	Audri R	I Can't Tell A Waltz
9.	Casanova Cowboy	Rob Fowler	Cowboy Casanova
10.	Under The Sun	Sue Hsu/Kathy Cha	ing Under The Sun

### **Improver**



Robbie McGowan Hickie

1.	Mexicali	Robbie McGowan Hic	kie Mexico
2.	Ay Amor	Ria Vos	Ay Amor
3.	Go Mama Go	K. Sala/R. McGowan	Hickie Let Your Momma Go
4.	Holding On To Yesterday	Peter And Alison	I Told You So
5.	Roomba	Guyton Mundy	I Know You Want Me
6.	Mojo Rhythm	Rob Fowler Don'	t You Throw That Mojo On Me
7.	Action	Darren Bailey	A Little Less Talk
8.	Galway Girls	Chris Hodgson	Galway Girl
9.	Love Love Love	Maggie Gallagher	Love Love Love
10.	Chica Boom Boom	Vikki Morris	Boom Boom Goes My Heart

## **Intermediate**



Craig Bennett

1.	Playing With Fire	Craig Bennett	Bad Boys
2.	Speak With Your Heart	Peter And Alison Do	on't Tell Me You're Not In Love
3.	Sister Kate	Ria Vos	Sister Kate
4.	Jesse James	Rachael McEnaney	Just Like Jesse James
5.	Louisiana Swing	K. Sala/R. McGowan I	Hickie Home To Louisiana
6.	What Do You See	Robbie McGowan Hick	kie What Do You See
7.	Why Don't We Just Dance	Peter And Alison	Why Don't We Just Dance
8.	Coochie Bang Bang	Scott Blevins	Miss Kiss Kiss Bang
9.	You And I	Oli Geir And Hugrun	Someday
10.	<b>Evacuate The Dancefloor</b>	Craig Bennett	Evacuate The Dance Floor

### **Advanced**



Craig Bennett

1.	Poker Face	Craig Bennett	Poker Face
2.	Whiter Than White	Kim Ray	A Whiter Shade Of Pale
3.	My Angel	Kim Ray	You
4.	J Ho	Maggie Galllagher	Jai Ho
5.	Strength In Numbers	Peter And Alison	If No One Will Listen
6.	Because	N. Fitzgerald/J. Harris	Because
7.	Shoes Of Another Man	Jo Thompson Szymanski	Shoes Of Another
8.	Redcoat Tiger	Maggie Gallagher	The Redcoats
9.	Loosen Up	L. & P. Stott/R. Lindsay	Turn Me Loose
10.	Magic	Shaz Walton	Love And Sex And Magic

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# Dancers Choice Top Tens

### **Current**

Go Mama Go



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1.	Playing With Fire	Craig Bennett	Bad Boys
2.	Speak With Your Heart	Peter And Alison Don't Tell	Me You're Not In Love
3.	Sister Kate	Ria Vos	Sister Kate
4.	Jesse James	Rachael McEnaney	Just Like Jesse Jame
5.	Mexicali	Robbie McGowan Hickie	Mexico
6.	Ay Amor	Ria Vos	Ay Amor
7.	Louisiana Swing	K. Sala/R. McGowan Hickie	Home To Louisiana
8.	What Do You See	Robbie McGowan Hickie	What Do You See

Robbie McGowan Hickie What Do You See K. Sala/R. McGowan Hickie Lot Your Momma Go 10. Why Don't We Just Dance Peter And Alison Why Don't We Just Dance

# 5 Years Ago



1.	Caught In The Act	Ann Wood	Who's Been S	leeping In My Bed
2.	Where We've Been	Lana Harvey Wil	son	Remember When
3.	Until The End	Maggie Gallaghe	r	Stuck On You
4.	Side By Side	Patricia E. Stott		We Work It Out
5.	<b>Doctor Doctor</b>	Masters In Line	Bad C	ase Of Loving You
6.	Shiv-A-Ree	Maggie Gallaghe	r	Goodnight Moon
7.	Slow Burn	John Robinson/K	athy Hunyadi	Fire
8.	Ready To Fly	Robbie McGowa	n Hickie	Ready To Fly
9.	Maybe I Could	Robbie McGowa	n Hickie	I Might
10.	All Day Long	Gary Lafferty		Mr. Mom

# 10 Years Ago



Michael Vera-Lobos

1.	Into The Arena	Michael Vera-Lobos	Now I Can Dance
2.	Pot Of Gold	Liam Hrycan	Dance Above The Rainbow
3.	Mardi Gras Mambo	Chris Hodgson	Mambo #5
4.	Islands In The Stream	Karen Jones	Islands In The Stream
5.	Black Coffee	Helen O'Malley	Sometimes When We Touch
6.	Picnic Polka	David Padden	Cowboy Sweetheart
7.	Alive And Kickin	Daniel Whittaker	That Don't Impress Me Much
8.	Syncopated Rhythm	Michelle & Rob Fowler	Syncopated Rhythm
9.	Rose Garden	Jo Thompson	Rose Garden
10.	Pretend	Ed Lawton	Pretend

### **All Time**



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1.	Pot Of Gold	Liam Hrycan Dar	nce Above The Rainbow
2.	Into The Arena	Michael Vera-Lobos	Now I Can Dance
3.	Islands In The Stream	Karen Jones	Islands In The Stream
4.	Chill Factor	D. Whittaker/H. Westhead	Love You Too Much
5.	Somebody Like You	Alan Birchall	Somebody Like You
6.	Patient Heart	M. Vera-Lobos/L. Foord	Patient Heart
7.	Amame	Robbie McGowan Hickie	Amame
8.	Feet Don't Fail Me Now	Peter Metelnick	Hillbilly Shoes
9.	Have Fun Go Mad	Scott Blevins	Have Fun Go Mad
10.	Razor Sharp	Steve Sunter	Siamsa

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# Dance Club

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1. Go Mama Go

4. Time To Swing

5. Burning Love

3. Feet To The Rhythm

2. Amame

K Sala/R McGowan	Hickie	Let Your Momma Go
Robbie McGowan Hi	ckie	Amame
C. Simmons/C. Bass	S	Stompin'
A. Palmer/S. Cox		Time To Swing
Christian Sildatke		Burning Love
Rachael McEnaney		Toes
Poh Fowler		Chook To Chook

7. Cheek To Cheek 8. Kentucky Girl

9. Who Did You Call Darlin' Kevin & Maria Smith

10. You And I

Rob Fowler Meeco Oli Geir & Hugrun

Blue Kentucky Girl

Who Did You Call Darlin' Someday

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Patricia Stott

Maggie Gallagher

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Andrew, Simon & Sheila

1.	In Control	Andrew Palmer/Simon & Sl	nelia Cox Up
	Toes	Rachael McEnaney	Toes
3.	Go Mama Go	K. Sala/R. McGowan Hickie	e Let Your Momma Go
4.	Vivacious	Walton/Martin/Sherlock	The Way You Make Me Feel
5.	Bad Influence	Jo & John Kinser/M. Furnel	Bad Influence
6.	Poker Face	Craig Bennett	Poker Face
7.	Boyfriend Of The Year	Yvonne Anderson	Favourite Boyfriend
8.	Jai Ho	Maggie Gallagher	Jai Ho
9.	Wanna Be Elvis	Robbie McGowan Hickie	Elvis Tonight
10.	Amame	Robbie McGowan Hickie	Amame

#### **Dance In Line** Carlisle, Cumbria

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Gaye Teather

	Indestructible Playing With Fire	Gaye Teather Craig Bennett	It Ain't Killed Me Yet Bad Boys
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	Speak With Your Heart	Peter And Alison	Don't Tell Me You're Not In Love
4.	Broken Stones	Dee Musk	Broken Stones
5.	Jesse James	Rachael McEnaney	Just Like Jesse James
6.	Roomba	Guyton Mundy	I Know You Want Me
7.	Release Me	Dee Musk	Release Me
8.	Life Without U	Maggie Gallagher	My Life Would Suck Without You
9.	Belle La Bete	M. & J. Caley/D Mor	rgan Beauty And The Beast
10.	<b>Evacuate The Dancefloor</b>	Craig Bennett	Evacuate The Dance Floor

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# Top Ten By Country

### **Gibraltar**



#### Craig Bennett

1.	Playing With Fire	Craig Bennett		Bad Boys
2.	Argentina	Maggie Gallagher	Don't (	Cry For Me Argentina
3.	Action	Darren Bailey		A Little Less Talk
4.	Louisiana Swing	K. Sala/R. McGowan H	ickie	Home To Louisiana
5.	What Do You See	Robbie McGowan Hicki	е	What Do You See
6.	<b>Evacuate The Dancefloor</b>	Craig Bennett	Evacı	uate The Dance Floor
7.	Run	Peter And Alison		Run
8.	Time To Swing	Andrew Palmer/Sheila	Сох	Time To Swing
9.	Roomba	Guyton Mundy		I Know You Want Me
10.	Holding On To Yesterday	Peter And Alison		I Told You So

#### **France**



#### Rachael McEnaney

1.	Jesse James	Rachael McEnaney .	lust Like Jesse James
2.	Roomba	Guyton Mundy	I Know You Want Me
3.	Feel	Scott Blevins M	ake You Feel My Love
4.	Unchain My Heart	Raymond and Line Sarlemijn	Unchain My Heart
5.	Amame	Robbie McGowan Hickie	Amame
6.	Spotlight	Dee Musk	Spotlight
7.	Toes	Rachael McEnaney	Toes
8.	Woman	Derek Robinson	Woman
9.	Yesterday	David Sinfield	Only Yesterday
10.	Walk Of Life	Rachael McEnaney	Walk Of Life

# **Spain**



#### Dee Musk

1.	Forever Is Over	Dee Musk	Forever Is Over
2.	Bad Boys	Jo & John Kinser/Mark Furnel	I Bad Boys
3.	What About	Maggie Gallagher	What About Now
4.	Some Kind Of Wonderful	Peter And Alison Some	e Kind Of Wonderful
5.	Forever Road	Daniel Whittaker	Forever Road
6.	It's Your World	Craig Bennett/Daniel Trepat	It's Your World
7.	I'll Have What She's Having!	A. Palmer/S. Cox/G. Teather	I'll Have What
8.	Mexicali	Robbie McGowan Hickie	Mexico
9.	Louisiana Swing	K.Sala/R. McGowan Hickie	Home To Louisiana

### **Sweden**



#### **Guyton Mundy**

1.	Roomba	Guyton Mundy	I Know You Want Me
2.	Ay Amor	Ria Vos	Ay Amor
3.	Holding On To Yesterday	Peter And Alison	I Told You So
4.	Speak With Your Heart	Peter And Alison	Don't Tell Me You're Not In Love
5.	Just Dance Away	Maggie Gallagher	Dance Away
6.	Coochie Bang Bang	Scott Blevins	Miss Kiss Kiss Bang
7.	I Lied	Andrew Palmer/Sheila	a Cox Said I Love You
8.	Mexicali	Robbie McGowan Hick	kie Mexico
9.	Sister Kate	Ria Vos	Sister Kate
10.	You And I	Oli Geir And Hugrun	Someday

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# Al Dance

Nancy Morgan is a well known choreographer and respected instructor. Though she works mainly in the USA, she has recently linked to the Czec republic and Tom Dvorak's events. Laurent wanted to find out more from this amazing lady....

Nancy Morgan was born in 1957 in Tampa, Florida and was one of four children. She says: "My childhood was not a happy one. My mother and I never got along and I ended up at 18 on the streets as she threw me out of the house." A difficult 18 months followed where a young Nancy lived in a dirty shack, bathed in rivers and had to steal food to survive. One night, she was assaulted at gun point and jumped out of a moving car to save her own life. At 19, she became pregnant and stayed for a while at a friend's house.

Nancy says: "My mother came by and promised me things would be better if I came home. My baby and I needed a home desperately. I moved back in." However, as before, the situation soon became untenable with more threats and insults exchanged on a daily basis. The crunch came when Nancy was forced to put the baby up for adoption as her mother threatened to throw both of them out on the streets if she did not agree. Nancy simply says: "I had no choice, I was 19. I cried most of that year away." She left home for good.

At 23, she knew she wanted to turn her life around and joined the Air force. "That was the best thing I ever did." A brilliant career in the Army followed with Nancy being

deployed twice (in Kuwait in 1991 when she won her first war medal and ten years later to Iraq). She says: "I had the honour of meeting George W Bush and his wife and they both signed my uniform collars, which made me the first person in US military history to have a uniform defaced by the President during War or any other time." She retired in 2006.

Some people would have been quite content with this string of achievements but not Nancy. Parallel to all this was her discovery of Country Western Dancing in 1990. She says: "I was not very lucky in life, and went through two abusive marriages. But I was in awe of the dancing, I did it all. Line dancing, two Stepping, Waltzing and Pattern Partner dancing...I showed up every day and danced, danced, danced, danced."

In the late 90's, Nancy started competing. She remembers that "We bought our costumes off the shelf and they had to be Country." After taking her very first First place Trophy she continued to compete in couple while Line dancing in clubs and taking lessons.

In 1991, Nancy started to write choreographies with another choregrapher Serena Cannon. She says: "From then, I started to compete in choregraphy as well."

In 1995, she started out as an instructor and brought dances to Tampa that are still popular today. Swamp Thang by Max Perry, Bump In the Dark by Jo Thompson and I'm A Cowboy by Nancy herself are a few that made the grade. She says: "I was never very conventional in my teaching. I like to make people laugh."

Nancy was also called to choreograph a show in Tampa, taught many times at the illustrious JG2 event and has met many stars like Randy Travis, Willie Nelson and Charlie Daniels.

Today, Nancy is a happily married woman. She says: "I met my husband in 1999 and we got married in 2001. We moved to Arkansas and it is very peaceful here. I could never imagine living anywhere else."

Nancy embodies the true spirit of a dancer. Her life has had its share of ups and downs but it can be said that dance played a part in finding happiness. Nancy Morgan is a true Line dancer and today, she is spreading her enthusiasm and energy throughout the world.

But her personal story continues in the most amazing way as the next pages are about to reveal....

# Minacle 1















Tim and his son Tom Dvorak

Nancy and Tim

# Rague

You have just read all about Nancy and her incredible life. Well, it gets better.... And all thanks to Line dancing and a gentleman called Tom Dvorak.

In 2008, Nancy was invited by Tom to the Czech republic. Readers of Linedancer have already been introduced to Tom and the city of Pisek where he comes from. It is fair to say that Tom is trying hard to raise Line dance's profile and does extremely well as a dance ambassador.

Nancy says: "When I was invited I was very nervous. There I was in a country when I knew no one. I should not have worried as soon as I arrived I was welcomed like one of the family. That first time I taught about 140 people and I gave Tom a binder full of dances, both old and new from every choreographer I could think of." This first meeting would cement what would become a true friendship between Nancy, Tom and it seems many dancers in the Czech republic.

She was invited again in 2009. Nancy takes up the story. "I taught at the Louisiana Pisek dance Event in October this year. There were well over 200 dancers there this year, about double from last time, a great sight to see. This was also the first time a Line dance competition was held there and with over 75 entries from ages six to 80, it was a definite success. Nancy says: "I was

actually thrilled to see that thanks to Tom there were a lot more styles of dancing the Czechs could learn. Jazz, Ballet, Flamenco and belly dancing to name but a few!"

Once the event over, Nancy was invited to the Tylova Secondary School where she taught more dancing to eager young pupils. She says: "They had so much fun, it was just great to be there. I taught them Comic Strip, Cotton Eyed Joe, Cupid Shuffle and Just Mad." She also learnt on that trip how much the Czechs loved Maggie G. She says: "They LOVE Irish dancing, another form of dance altogether which you can also learn there."

From there, Nancy went on to Prague for another dance event. She says: "What happened next happened in Prague, and in a way, it is all thanks to Tom, for inviting me there and for me being at the right time in the right place."

And then a miracle happened. A true miracle for Nancy.

She says: "I received an e mail and as I read it, I felt overawed. A man told me that he

had been adopted and was born on the same day as my baby. I wrote back with some adoption information. He wrote back with some of the things he knew about. I went to his Facebook, saw his picture and could not believe it. I knew that was him, my long lost child. My son. His name is Tim Sloan and I had not seen him for 32 years, since the day he was taken from me. He had found me because my name was known thanks to Line dance." To add to Nancy total delight she also found out she was a grandmother.

"I have talked to Tim every day since. He told me he had looked for me all of his life. I was never able to have another child after him so I finally feel whole, I have my son back, I am blessed."

Nancy has come full circle. From tough beginnings, she shaped a great career for herself, has become a name in Line dance circles and now her private life is a happy, full one. She concludes: "Dance has always been everything to me and in a way, it is thanks to dance that my own son found me again. I am so grateful to God and those who are my friends and have supported me throughout all those years."

# tampa







The Tampa Bay
Line Dance
Classic is a world
renowned event
and Vivienne Scott
shares with us
what makes it so
special for so many
dancers.

Arline Winerman, the Tampa Classic organizer, makes regular changes to her staff, bringing in new instructors and choreographers from the UK and Europe whom her dancers don't normally get a chance to meet and as a result the event seems always new and interesting.

So this year, Maggie Gallagher, Craig Bennett, Neville and Julie as well as Francien Sittrop from Holland were welcomed by all the dancers. Other Line dance stars there were John Robinson, Scott Blevins, Michael Barr, Michael Burton, Junior Willis, Mark Cosenza and Glen Pospieszny, Bracken Ellis-Potter, Rosie Multari and new faces to the event Amy Christian-Sohn and Rob Glover, a veritable who's who of the International Line dance scene.

Florida is blessed with excellent instructors and they always fill their classes at this event. This year instructing were Marilyn McNeil, Kathy G, Maurice Rowe, Sandy Albano, Patrick Fleming and Ferrell Mazzato. I was also delighted to travel down from Canada to teach at the event for the seventh year.

Attendance was bigger than ever this year and the floors were packed for many of the dances taught. The event starts with a free Thursday evening dance and then straight into workshops at 9am on the Friday morning going to 3pm on Sunday.

There are four classes each hour including one room for beginners/improvers and periods during the day are set aside for open dancing. Hardworking DJS as always with DJ Wildman Louis, Big Dave and Olivia Ray present made this event unforgettable.

I like the intimacy of Tampa in that you're always meeting up with people as you meander from room to room. There were excellent vendors this year and people enjoyed checking out their wares as they travelled from class to class.

Dance previews moved along fairly swiftly so dancers didn't have to sit down too long. The idea is to allow everyone to hear the music and get some idea of the flow of the dance so they can choose which class to go to. And again in the evening, there were reviews of the dances



# Classic 2009







taught so you could have a second go at the dance you learnt first thing in the morning!

Saturday morning brought the Pro-Am Competition. This is a terrific way to put your toe in the water if you're interested in competing. Strictly for fun, you dance with your instructor beside you for confidence. All the contestants did well and certainly seemed to enjoy themselves as did their supporters.

The show on Saturday evening was full of excellent performances starting with precision team work by The Sweet & Sassy Villages Line Dance Team followed by some chuckles with Maggie, John Robinson and Jill Babinec, and also Dolly Parton (aka Bracken Ellis) and Junior Willis. As well, Junior treated us to an excellent clogging routine and it was a treat to see John Robinson perform, what an impressive dancer he is.

And then Maggie took to the floor to tell us a little about Irish step dancing and to demonstrate some of the moves. At one point I swear she leapt three feet from the floor, she seemed literally to fly through the air. It was just a phenomenal performance and the audience barely breathed as they watched her.

Maggie amassed many new fans on this trip over the pond. Her warmth and openness drew people to her and her excellent instruction and sense of humour soon set everyone at ease in her classes.

The Tampa Bay Classic is a very well attended event in the US that manages to retain an intimate feel to it. Yet the hotel, recently updated, is large and has a host of terrific facilities that I have seldom seen anywhere else.

But for me the person who symbolizes Tampa is Arline. She is the most welcoming and warmest host and she genuinely cares about the dancers. She is always around and available for a chat and at the same time is very well organized. However, unfortunately, next year will be the last year Arline will host this event, she has decided to hang up her Tampa Bay Line dance shoes.



She will announce in January 2010 who will be taking over. I wish whoever it is every success, but at the same time I know dancers will keenly feel the loss of Arline at the helm.

The theme next year is Black and White as Arline wants to go out in style with lots of glitz.



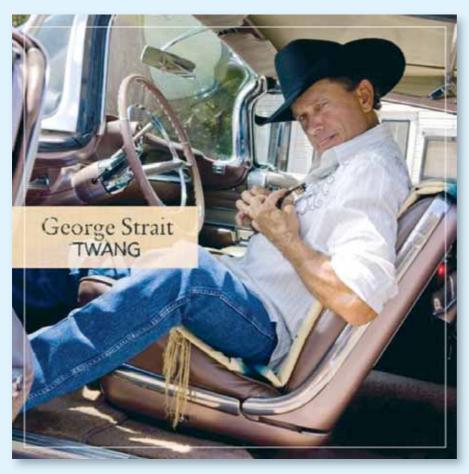


A Hit Excellent Very Good Good Poor Half star

#### by Tim Ruzgar Linedancer Magazine's Music Reviewer



# **ALBUM OF THE MONTH**



TWANG
HUMP HEAD
HUMP 059

George Strait is legend in country music who has stuck to his pure country roots throughout his incredible career. George has consistently released high quality albums over the twenty odd years and now delivers a brand new one.

George opens with Twang (80/160bpm) which is a cracking two stepper, pure country at its finest, and this is sure to be a really big hit with those that still love to dance to country music.

Where Have I Been All My Life (93bpm) was written by Sherrie Austin, a big star herself a while back, and this is a

gorgeous song about how one mellows as life passes you buy. Superb!

I Gotta Get To You (116bpm) is a super little cha cha style song that will make a delightful dance track with the right choreography. George sounds just as good as ever and proves that he is still among the very best.

Easy As You Go (94bpm) this is classic George Strait, a lovely country song with good lyrics and good musical backing staying true to the genre. Another fine dance prospect too.

Living For The Night (78bpm) George proves that he is an excellent song writer as he co-wrote this track, a beautiful nightclub two step. George's vocals accompanied by some fine harmonies make this a delight to listen to.

Same Kind Of Crazy (148bpm) has a cracking east coast swing tempo number and as it was written by Delbert McLinton you know it's going to be a great dance track.

Out Of Sight Out Of Mind (96bpm) George co-wrote this beautiful waltz track and I am sure that as many people still love a good waltz, this will prove to be a big hit.

Arkansas Dave (84bpm) this is a pure cowboy song, the kind that George loves, and I am sure that you will too.

The Breath You Take (74bpm) this is one of the best country songs you have ever heard and it makes the album worth the price alone. It is a stunning song which is a perfect nightclub two step and it could be a massive dance hit.

He's Got That Something Special (128bpm) this is another of George's compositions and another good up tempo track which also applies to Hot Grease And Zydeco (146bpm) which is a real country rocker.

Beautiful Day For Goodbye (96bpm) George delivers a second waltz somewhat in the style of George Jones and once again you are spoilt with a good dance track.

The curtain comes down with *El Ray* (80bpm) on which George demonstrates that he can sing in Spanish as well with this fun packed Tex Mex number.

This is a superb country album packed with good music and plenty of dance tracks and you simply must buy it!

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# SAM & RUBY – THE HERE AND THE NOW RYKO RECORDS – RCD10970A

Sam Brooker is from Wisconsin whilst Ruby Amanfu was born in Ghana and raised in Tennessee. Their music is described as a mixture of Americana roots with a unique blend of pop, folk and R&B.

What Do I Do Now (73bpm) opens proceedings and it is a harmonious number which instantly lets you know that this is not a standard country music album.

This I Know (86bpm) is a wonderful track that could be a big mainstream chart hit.

Too Much (99bpm) by now you begin to realise that this album is something very special. This will surely appeal to choreographers as a dance track.

Sarah (86bpm) Ruby takes the lead on this cool contemporary track which is soulful and has shades of Amy Winehouse about it.

*More* (86bpm) one of the nicest waltz tracks I have heard for some time and I will be very surprised if there isn't a dance released to this song very soon.

The Suitcase Song (78bpm) tells a story from a unique perspective and this has a strong Dolly Parton influence to it.

Won't Let Go (135bpm) is east coast swing in rhythm and once again it's another excellent dance prospect!

*Need Me Less* (78bpm) the tempo changes to nightclub two step and the violin accompaniment to the song enhances the vocals perfectly.

Heaven's My Home (110bpm) once again your ears are treated to some beautiful music and vocals.

The Here And The Now (99bpm) this is yet again a beautiful waltz that should delight both choreographers and dancers alike.

*Chillin'* (94bpm) a cool funky track that will make a good dance number.

Ain't Love Something (76bpm) the beautiful string arrangement takes this song to a whole new level, simply outstanding.

This stunning album is as far from anything in the country music genre as it can possibly be BUT it has some good tracks for dancing or just to chill out to. I highly recommend it.



REBA

- KEEP ON LOVING YOU

HUMP HEAD - HUMP 066

Reba McEntire has won countless awards including CMAs and Grammy's. We now have a chance to check out her latest album.

Reba sets the tone with Strange (87bpm) a bouncy song with a good beat that is a good opener!

Just When I Thought I'd Stopped Loving You (124bpm) nobody delivers a sassy song like Reba and this has a good dance beat.

I Keep On Loving You (122bpm) Reba delivers a nightclub two step song that is an absolute joy to listen to, awash with steel quitar.

I Want A Cowboy (105bpm) This is a fun tongue in cheek number and I can see this one appealing to most people.

Consider Me Gone (95bpm) I love Reba's distinctive voice on this song which has great appeal as a dance track.

**But Why** (70bpm) is a super night club two step on which Reba shines.

*Pink Guitar* (131bpm) This song is a power packed country rocker and one of the best dance prospects on the album.

She's Turning 50Today (116bpm) it's Cuban rhythm this time and Reba's beautiful vocal delivery makes this an absolute joy to listen to

*Eight Crazy Hours* (75bpm) we have yet another night club two step and yet another absolutely stunning song.

Nothing To Lose (128bpm) the tempo this time is Polka and Reba delivers a high energy power packed number that is a cracking dance track.

*Over You* (70bpm) it seems that night club two's are the order of the day as we are offered yet another little beauty.

Maggie Creek Road (87bpm) Reba loves a real "story with a message" song, just like this one

The finale comes courtesy of *I'll Have What She's Having* (100bpm) which is a tongue in cheek Texas swing number and a perfect little dance tune.

Reba McEntire is now 54 years old and she has retained the magic in her beautiful voice. This may not be the strongest album Reba has ever done but it certainly is classy and has plenty of good dance tracks so why not treat yourself today?



#### JOHN FOGERTY - The blue ridge rangers Rides again

VERVE FORECAST/UMTV - 0602527143262

John Fogerty was the backbone behind Creedence Clearwater Revival and he has released many solo albums over the years.

The album starts with John Prine's *Paradise* (116bpm) a waltz track with a very traditional country sound.

Never Ending Song Of Love (102/204bpm) was a big hit for The New Seekers back in the seventies and John gives this a "mountain music" flavour.

Garden Party (72bpm) is Rick Nelson's smash hit and John is joined by The Eagles' Don Henley and Timothy B. Schmit.

*I Don't Care* (92bpm) here John covers a big Buck Owens song and it does have a great dance beat.

**Back Home Again** (126bpm) this is John Denver's song and nobody does John Denver songs better than the man himself.

I'll Be There (78bpm) John belts this out in his own inimitable style it could be a nice track for a beginner dance.

Change In The Weather (110bpm) is the only new song from John and what a cracker it is. It is pure country rock and I am sure like me, you will love it.

Moody River (131bpm) has a nice bouncy beat and it is one of those tracks that you just want to get up and dance to.

*Heaven's Just A Sin Away* (85bpm) I remember a good version of this by Dwight Yoakam and John does a fine job.

Fallin' Fallin' (116bpm) has a very traditional country and western sound just like something you would perhaps hear at a barn dance!

*Haunted House* (108bpm) a superb dance beat and with a good dance choreographed to it, it could make massive appeal.

The finale is courtesy of the Everly's *When Will I Be Loved* (128bpm) on which John is joined by non other than the great Bruce Springsteen! This fabulous track has all the right credentials to be a big dance hit.

John Fogerty is revered as singer/songwriter that has made him a Grammy winner. He still retains all the magic that has surrounded him for four decades and he proves that by the bucket load with this brilliant new album.

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#### These pages will give you an insight to what is proving popular and will help you to make informed decisions on what to teach.

We thank those instructors who have contributed to this page. We appreciate their input and can assure our readers that these endorsements are given in the spirit of friendship on the floor. They do not contain any element of self-promotion or friendship endorsements. We welcome dance reviews from smaller local clubs!

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Video clips of the above dances and many more available at www.linedancermagazine.com



**PAUL MILLS**Southern Breeze
Gillingham, Dorset

#### **Bad Influence**

64 Count - Four Wall - Improver Jo And John Kinser/Mark Furnell Bad Influence - Pink

This is a great dance and Boys Will Be Boys can be used as a floor split to keep everyone dancing. There are two easy restarts and it's reasonably easy to learn but with enough content to test Improver and interest Intermediate dancers. It is a popular and lively song.

#### Vivacious

48 Count — Four Wall — Intermediate Shaz Walton/Ben Martin/Dawn Sherlock The Way You Make Me Feel - Michael Jackson

This was taught following our dancers requesting a dance to a Michael Jackson track following his demise. When it appeared in the Blast From The Past section of September's Linedancer we decided to teach it and it has been a very successful and popular dance. It is not a dance for the unfit. It has some unusual combinations but we found it can be mastered in the first week with only walk-throughs needed in following weeks.

#### Wildcats Go

1 Count – One Wall – Intermediate Leong Mei Ling

Now Or Never - High School Musical Cast

We were looking for a dance to appeal to the younger element of the class and after watching the video we taught it to the 11–16 age group. It is a show stopping dance with plenty of cool arm movements and is great for demonstrations. Unfortunately after the first presentation, all our dancers wanted to learn it. It is a great tune, takes considerable stamina, attitude and youngsters can relate to it and impress their non-dancing friends.

#### **Island of Dreams**

64 Count – Four Wall – Improver Sandy Daykin

The Island Of Dreams - The Springfields

Everyone enjoys upbeat dances but occasionally it's nice to slow it down and do something not too energetic or difficult. We played this music to our class and they all started to sing along to the track, which is always a good sign and therefore we have just taught it. There are no restarts and no steps that have not been done before. It appeals to all age groups and skill levels.



**PAUL TURNEY**Dance In Line
Carlisle, Cumbria

#### Help

64 Count – Two Wall – Improver Gary Lafferty

Help – The Bornagen Beatles

This is an easy Improver dance to the above track or the original Fab Four if you already have that. This dance is fairly pacey but fits well to the music. Intermediate dancers will have no problem with the steps and there was only one section that took a bit of work with my Improvers. You start facing 9 o'clock which sis different but does give Help an unusual beginning which helps, excuse the pun, dancers remember it.

#### Belle La Bete

32 Count — Two Wall — Intermediate Jan And Mark Caley/Dave Morgan Beauty And The Beast — Diamond Rio

When I heard there was a dance to Beauty And The Beast I had to give it a go as this is my favourite Disney story and piece of music. At first the music didn't grab me as it's different to the classic Disney track that I know and love but after running through it, the dance and the music go together really well.

#### Born To Love U

64 Count – Four Wall – Improver Sadiah Heggernes

I Was Born To Love You - Freddie Mercury

A great track for this dance with only one small four count tag. As there is no syncopation within this dance it's comfortable for Improvers but there is a good variety of steps to hold dancers interest. I think it's a great dance to introduce vaudeville steps to dancers without the usual complication of them being syncopated and therefore twice the speed of the music and challenging to fit in.

#### Indestructible

64 Count — Two Wall — Intermediate Gaye Teather

It Ain't Killed Me Yet – Eric Church

What a great rocking country track this is and the dance fits perfectly. There is one restart on wall three. I've had such fun teaching this dance, personal highlights being the jazz jumps back at the end and getting my air guitar out at the start of the track. This is definitely my number one dance at the moment.

# nce reviews



JO MYERS

Krazy Feet
Haresfinch, St Helens

#### **Playing With Fire**

64 Count – Four Wall - Intermediate Craig Bennett

Bad Boys – Alexandra Burke

The opening step touches, out out, back step touches and body dips immediately identify this dance, so no one queries, 'what comes next?'. It is a great dance to hugely popular music with an easy tag which is danced after walls two and four. It has deservedly made number one.

#### Mexicali

64 Count- Four Wall — Improver *Robbie McGowan Hickie* Mexico — Tobias Rene

This is at the easier end of the Intermediate scale, even with the tag which comes at the end of wall two. A rumba box, then back rocks followed by half turn sweeps demonstrate once again Robbie's creativity. The 'Tex-Mex' music is a welcome addition to other music genres.

#### Sister Kate

32 Count — Four Wall — Intermediate *Ria Vos* 

Sister Kate – Ditty Bops

The clever choreography in this fun dance has made it a great success and it seems that more dancers join the floor each week when it is played. Tricky timing in section two can initially be a challenge but the feel good factor of this dance is infectious. The track is bouncy and the little tags of additional charleston steps are obvious.

#### Like It Rough

32 Count- Four Wall - Beginner Lawrence Allen

Like It Rough — Lady Gaga

Being Beginner level there is nothing difficult in this dance but it has sufficient content to make it appealing to all levels of dancer. There is one shuffle half turn to the left and later a jazz box quarter turn right. The whole class took to this dance straight away.



**DANCING FEET**Meeco Muraguchi
Kawanishi, Japan

#### You And I

64 Count — Four Wall - Intermediate Oli Geir And Hugrun

Someday - Hera Björk

What beautiful music they have used. It is a very gorgeous dance. All of my students are very happy to learn this dance. There is an eight count tag. The dance steps are separated into two parts. It starts to slow tempo music, you dance Part A which is elegant and after the tag the music tempo goes faster and you dance part B which is a little energetic.

#### Who Did You Call Darlin'

64 Count – Four Wall - Improver Kevin And Maria Smith

Who Did You Call Darlin' - Heather Myles

This is a good little dance which my members requested to try. The track is by a female country singer whom I have met here in Japan. The lively dance steps fit well to this rhythmical music. Good to any aged dancers.

#### Go Mama Go

64 Count - Four Wall - Improver

Kate Sala And Robbie McGowan Hickie

Let Your Momma Go – Ann Tayler

We all like this lovely music and the refined choreography of this dance When I taught this the students were a little confused at the tag section. They looked so happy when they got over that part and they are dancing this dance with smiling faces. It is the most popular dance in my class now.

#### Cheek To Cheek

64 Count – Two Wall – Improver Rob Fowler

Cheek To Cheek — Glenn Rogers

This dance is also an old one but is still very popular among our senior students. They love swing jazz band music with elegant choreography including arm movement.

#### **Burning Love**

32 Count - 4 Wall - Beginner

Christian Sildatke

Burning Love - Wynonna

This dance is so active and fun. Younger dancers love this dance. Our students performed this dance on the stage as a kind of show and the audiences really enjoyed it and started to dance also.



**MARIE KNIGHT** 

Country Knights Borehamwood, Herts/Greenford, Middx

#### High Test Love

32 Count - Four Wall — Beginner Max Perry

High Test Love – Scooter Lee

An oldie but a goodie! This is a great little Beginner dance. It has the perfect pace and the steps keep the dancers interest. The music is fun and this is always a popular choice at our socials, with Beginners and Intermediate dancers filling the floor alike.

#### No More Cloudy Days

32 Count – Four Wall – Improver

Alan Birchall

No More Cloudy Days - The Eagles

Although this dance is nearly a year old, we have recently been asked to teach it. The dance is well choreographed and has a lovely flow that is perfect for the music. This is a dance that will be around for a long time!

#### Mexicali

64 Count – Four Wall - Improver

Robbie McGowan Hickie

Mexico - Tobias Rene

This dance has no 'and' counts so it's great for the high end Improvers and easy Intermediates. There is one 16 count tag on wall two but this does help with the phasing of the music. This is an enjoyable dance and we love the Latino feel.

#### Speak With Your Heart

 $32 \ Count - Four \ Wall - Intermediate$ 

Peter And Aliso

Don't Tell Me You're Not In Love - Collin Raye

This was a great choice of music and I'm sure this is why the dance is proving so popular. The steps are interesting as they do go slightly out of phase. There is also an eight count tag at the end of wall four but this cleverly brings the dancers round to the front wall again.

#### Sister Kate

32 Count - Four Wall - Intermediate

Ria Vos

Sister Kate – Ditty Bops

What a fantastic dance. The music is fun and the steps are entertaining for both dancers and spectators alike. The second section is probably the trickiest and there are three very easy tags but this is one that you can definitely add your own style to. I just love it.

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# **Boosting Morale**

Line dancer Cathy Williams, told us about the success of the eighth Annual Line Dance social held at St. John's Hall in Southport recently: "It was very well supported by over 100 people and the magnificent sum of £1023 was raised bringing the total since 2002 to £6601.50. The committee would like to extend a very big thank you to Graham Mackie for the music and to all who have supported these events. Every penny of the money will be used by the support group, Lift Up at Southport Hospital in Merseyside for breast cancer patients who are undergoing chemotherapy treatment. This will be in the form of a day out of pampering, all of which helps to boost patient morale. Once again a big thank you and god bless you all."



### An Event For All Occasions

Alan and Barb Heighway of Feel The Beat Line dance club in Telford have been busy organising more successful events. "Our annual coach trip to the seaside was a visit to Llandudno for a weekend's Line dance party. There were some of our dancers and a group from Wolverhampton. The Saturday night fancy dress theme of Summer Holiday resulted in a big variety of beachwear on display," they told us. "Even though we had plenty of sunshine, the morning workshops were well supported with Fly Baby Blue, Put A Smile On Your Face and Sail Away which were dances taught for the Holiday theme. We also raised £100 on the raffle for the Hope House Children's Hospice which was brilliant." The next event resulted in the streets of Ketley in Telford being deserted as the Feel The Beat Line dancers arrived for their Halloween Party of the Year wearing their Halloween wear. Alan and Bard added: "The most beautifully dressed witches and ghouls walked down the red carpet for this long anticipated event and our Ketley Hall was suitably decked out with big Black cobwebs, skulls, spiders, snakes and bats to add to the atmosphere. We also raised £50 for Children in need."





#### Texans Wear It Pink



The Texan Dudes club held their annual weekend in Bournemouth recently. Lavinia and Mick told us: "Leading up to the weekend we held a Wear it Pink class and also decided to Wear It Pink on the coach journey and £192 was raised for Cancer Research. With the theme of the weekend being Hollywood Musicals, Saturday was a fantastic show featuring The Blue's Brothers, the nuns from The Sound Of Music, Mary Poppins, Bugsy Malone's and their molls, flappers from Sweet Charity, Sandy from Grease, two Carmen Miranda's aka Chris and Lavinia, Dorothy from the Wizard of Oz and many, many more stars from the big screen, all absolutely fabulous! All would have been worthy winners of the prestigious award on offer. It was an exceedingly difficult task to pick a winner but it went to Elaine for her Nancy from the musical Oliver. She looked fabulous and her attention to detail caught the judge's eye. We want to say a huge thank you for the collection that was made for us which is going towards our holiday. We would like to thank everybody so much for your kind words on the card, which we will treasure. All in all a brilliantly successful weekend, here's to the next one."

## Help For Heroes

Jill O'Brien of Jill's Line Dancers from Horsham in West Sussex recently held a Line dance social with a raffle for Help For Heroes. She told us: "The evening was very well attended and the proceeds amounted to £300. A special raffle prize was a signed book, kindly donated by one of my dancers Chris Bolingford, called 'Do The Birds Still Sing in Hell', memoirs of an ex-POW written by 90yr old Horace Greasley. There is a possibility that his book will be made into a blockbuster Hollywood movie in the near future. Horace has already been filmed by Channel 5 in a documentary to be shown later this year. A percentage from the sale of his book and movie will be given to Help for Heroes. Help for Heroes is a very worthy charity and I hope other Line dancing clubs will consider putting on a social evening to help with their fundraising."



#### LDF

In response to Dear Dancers in issue 162 of the Linedancer magazine, Cathy Hodgson of Cath's Kickers in North Yorkshire has expressed her support for the Linedancer Foundation charity. She has arranged an event of her sponsored A-Z of Line dances Saturday 27th February 2010 at Calcutt & Forest Moor Village Hall, Blands Hill, Knaresborough, North Yorkshire. Doors open at 7.30pm with the actual sponsored Line dance starting at 8pm. Entry £1.50 and raffle proceeds will go to LDF. Please contact Cath via e-mail to book an entry ticket, cathskickers@line5678.fsworld.co.uk.

## FORTHCOMING CHARITY EVENTS

SAT 12TH DECEMBER 2009 Route 66 from Worthing will be holding a charity Line dance in aid of Barnabas Hospice at Davison High School, Selborne Road, Worthing. 7.30pm - 11pm. Tickets £10.00. Glenn Rogers and Four Card Trick will be performing and there will also be a western wear and jewellery store. The Line dance disco is being provided by Mike Derrik. For further enquiries contact Margaret on 01903 502836.

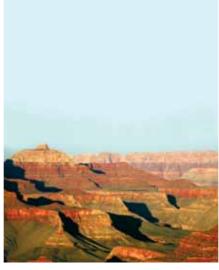
SAT 6TH FEBRUARY 2010
The Whitby Sports & Social
Club (Shell Club), Dunkirk
Lane, Whitby, Ellesmere Port.
A Line dance social is being
held in memory of Shirley
Colebourn with all proceeds
going to The Hospice of the
Good Shepherd, Backford,
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SAT 27TH FEBRUARY 2010 Line dance social in aid of The Guide Dogs For The Blind Association at The Land Rover Sports & Social Club, Billsmore Green, off Rowood Drive, Solihull B92 9LN. 7-30pm to 11-30pm. The theme is 'Hats & Masks'. Tickets £5. Contact Jan on 0121 742 1640 or Joyce on 0121 744 1492 between 5 & 6pm.

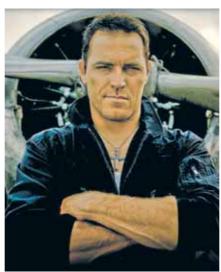
SAT 13TH MARCH 2010 East Coast Liners are holding their 3rd Daffodil Dance to raise funds for Marie Curie Cancer Care, at Carlton Colville Community Centre, Hall Road, Carlton Colville, Lowestoft from 7.30 'til late. A warm welcome to all. Bar, huge Raffle and 'Pot Luck' buffet, please bring a plate of goodies for the table. Last years event raised £1,581.50. Tickets £5 from Norma: Tel 01502-562953. mobile 078359921147 or e-mail normaread@talktalk.net

# GRAND CANON





Vivienne Scott
never fails to
amaze Linedancer
magazine readers
with her discovery
of fresh new
singing talent from
Canada. Here she
chats with George
Canyon, a true
country artist.





Canada's hottest country star, George Canyon is intrigued by the Line dance connection as we start to talk and he reminisces about his time playing in country clubs and bars across North America. "In many places, you couldn't see the dance floor for dancers", he chuckled "it was terrific".

Born in Nova Scotia, Canada, George grew up surrounded by music. "It was everywhere" he told me, "from rock, to folk, to country, to Celtic". His mum and aunt used to sing together and although he was very shy as a youngster, they would persuade him to join His family loved camping and of course, it was a natural thing to sing around the campfire. His big dream at that time was to be a pilot, not a musician but due to some health concerns (diabetes) he had to rethink his life drastically. Flying would always remain his passion and many years later George took his pilot's license. After several visits to Kandahar in Afghanistan in 2008 Canada's Defence Minister appointed George to the position of Honorary Colonel at 14 Wing Greenwood, the largest air base on the east coast.

A rugged, handsome man, George is often pictured in a cowboy hat, guitar in hand, standing in front of his plane or sitting in the cockpit. Because of his health problems, George now works tirelessly with youngsters with diabetes. He has crisscrossed his small plane across Canada

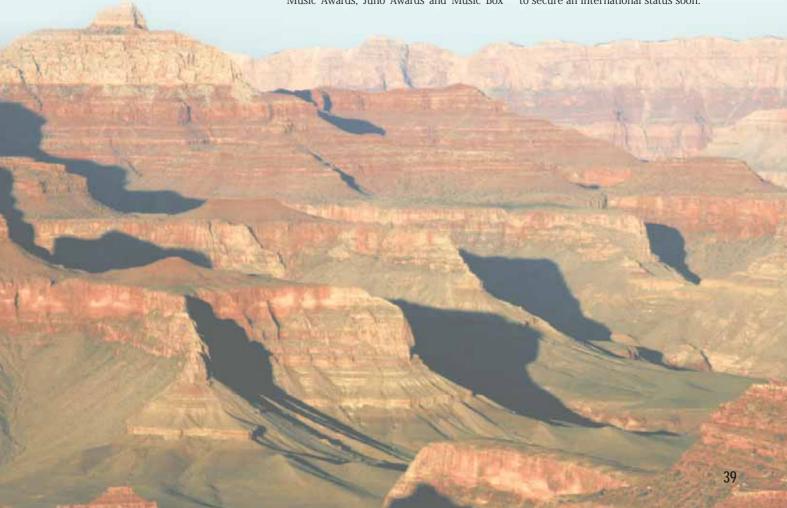
landing in small towns in order to speak to these young people and their parents. Here is a man who cares indeed, his compassion and empathy come across in his lyrics. George noted that he gravitated to country music because it told stories and from 1990 country music became his life. At some points he was working a full time job during the day, playing gigs at night and also producing and engineering for other artists in his home studio. However it was not until 2004 that the wider public became aware of this talented Canadian musician through the US television show 'Nashville Star 2'. "I wasn't even going to try out" George said. It was his wife Jennifer who insisted that he would always regret it, if I didn't seize the opportunity. In fact Jennifer worked three jobs during the day to enable him to sing at night. No wonder his love for her is so obvious. He told me that "it was the most incredible experience and gave me the opportunity for a record deal which I had been working for since 1990." His professional world completely changed after this success. George reckons that "music is in the ear of the beholder". Modestly he noted, "Someone might love my voice and someone else hate it. It's all personal preference". That said, many many thousands of viewers obviously loved George's voice and the man himself enough to vote him second place in the competition. Immediately after that achievement George signed with Universal South Records and released his debut album. One Good Friend, in 2004. Since then he has won numerous awards (Canadian Country Music Awards. Juno Awards and Music Box

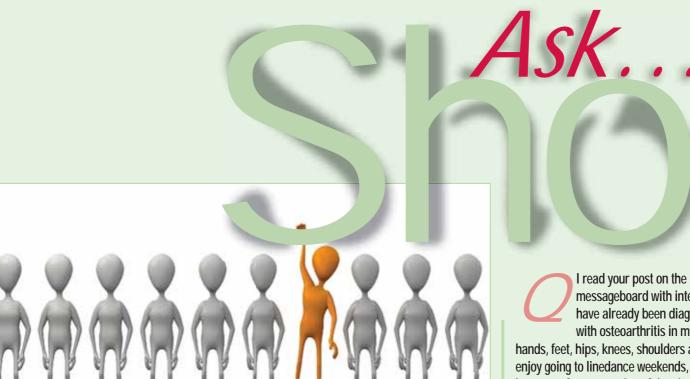
Awards in Paris). He was awarded CCMA's 'Humanitarian of the Year', last year, perhaps his most precious award of all. The singer has also been seen on TV acting in the acclaimed television series 'Trailer Park Boys'.

So what is it about George's latest album 'What I Do' that caught my attention? First of all, most of the tracks seemed perfect for our Line dance community ranging from the toe tapping dance-up-a-storm country bar track 'Pretty Drunk Out Tonight' to the smooth cha 'Fool In Me'; the two-steppin' 'twinkle in the eye' 'Betty's Buns' and the catchy 'Back To Life'. At the same time, as a parent, the lyrics to 'Just Like You' and 'What I Do' went straight to my heart. Both these songs were written with his two children in mind and George reckons they say what most dad's think. George places himself front and centre in his music. His themes centre round his family, moral issues he wrestles with and his faith which plays a very important part in

Is it likely that George might head over to the U.K. at any point? Well, it turns out that George has Scottish blood and he would most definitely be thrilled to visit again to hopefully encounter dance floors full of enthusiastic Line dancers!

Make no mistakes, George Canyon is here to stay and his music will thrill many dancers and non dancers alike. He is certainly one of Canada's finest country singers and is bound to secure an international status soon.





Tracy, the first thing I want to say to you, is well done for wanting to keep active and also for losing weight, as this will reduce pressure on your affected weight bearing joints – hips, knees and ankles. A lot of people with arthritis, who could exercise, don't, and they miss out on the benefits that exercise can offer them. Having said that, it is important to get advice from a physiotherapist or exercise specialist regarding how to do the exercises correctly and in the best way for you and your arthritis. Your health professional can also advise if you should be treating post exercise swelling with ice to help to reduce it.

As you know osteoarthritis affects the joints - healthy cartilage loses its ability to act as a shock absorber and over time becomes brittle and thin or sometimes wears out completely. The bones of the joint, without the protection of the cartilage can then rub together causing pain, inflammation and even excess bone build up - where the joint can take on a knobbly appearance as often seen in finger joints. Extra fluid in the joint can also cause swelling. Joints may become stiff and can be painful when you try to move them. So you need to do exercises that will help to protect them from further damage and also help to support and stabilise your joints. Warming up your joints before doing acitivities like dancing is essential as is a gentle cool down afterwards.

You enjoy your Line dancing and it obviously encourages you to be active which is excellent. But as activities go it is not providing the gentle, joint focused exercises that you need daily for your arthritis and to help you cope with joints that stiffen up after Line dancing. The sorts of exercises I am talking about include, range of movement (ROM) exercises – moving a joint gently through its range of movement to help to keep it flexible - and strengthening exercises to strengthen the muscles that surround your

joints for support and stability. Doing a daily programme of ROM and stregthening exercises should, over time, make walking, moving and your Line dancing feel easier. I discovered that BUPA have recently put exercise demonstration videos online especially for people with arthritis. I think you'll find them very useful. I found the easiest way to access the videos was by googling - BUPA arthritis video.

If you enjoy spending time in a heated pool then you might also want to consider doing some some gentle ROM and resistence exercises in warm water while the water supports your joints.

Whatever exercises you do remember to start with only a few repetitions, say three, and gradually build up over time to 10. When you first begin, you may not be able to achieve the full range of movement in a joint but some people find it suprising how quickly their ROM increases. I have had clients in the past who have done gentle Pilates based exercises with me with great results. One lady had very restricted movement in her shoulder due to arthritis but after a few sessions she was able to lift her arm above her head, a movement that she didn't think she would be able to do again. The secret is to do the exercise gently, accurately and regularly.

Many Line dancers have found my foot exercises done with spikey balls help generally to ease out tension in the feet and keep the feet flexible. They can be used daily as well as before and after dancing. Line dancers with arthritis and diabetes have reported excellent results with them. Check out my website where you can download the exercises for free – www.decodanz.co.uk. Other websites offering useful information and booklets to download include:- www.arthritica ssociation.org.uk and www.arthritiscare.org.uk. I trust this is helpful Tracy and do let me know how you get on.

messageboard with interest. I have already been diagnosed with osteoarthritis in my hands, feet, hips, knees, shoulders and enjoy going to linedance weekends, however after an evening of dancing away, I end up with stiffness and pain in my ankles, knees and hips. I also occasionally get a flare up of bursitis in my hips. I do not take painkillers every day, but on an as and when basis. I go on linedance holidays abroad and suffered with swollen ankles whilst in Tenerife last September. Any suggestions on exercises that will alleviate this would be very useful. I have recently been on Slimming World and lost a stone and a half which helps. I also have diabetes type II. I'm hoping that you will be able to help, don't mind if they are "aqua" exercises in a pool as long as something helps!! Just have to get on with it!!

Tracy, Romford, Essex



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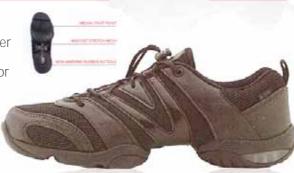


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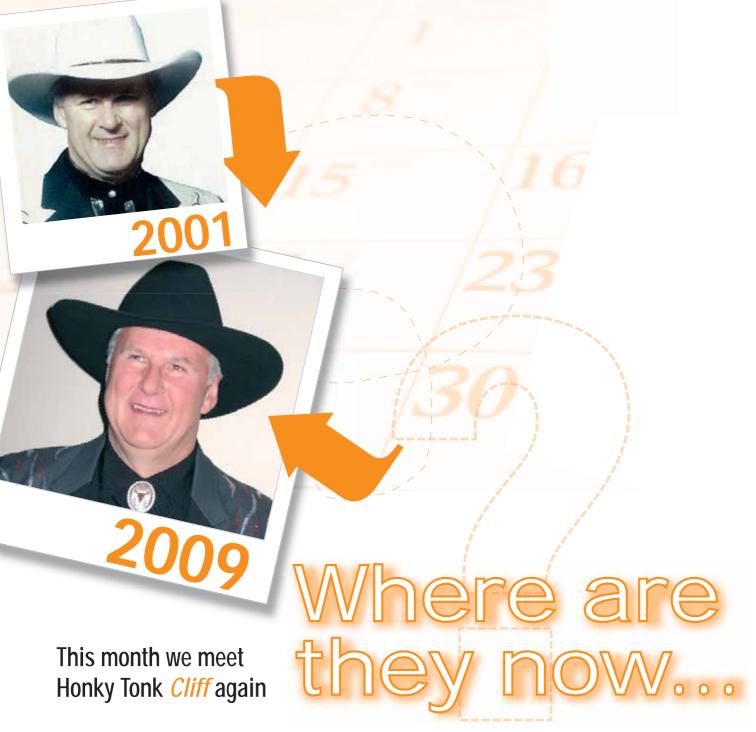




## At Christmas Linedancer Magazine Radio

LMR is a real success, it's official! With listening figures averaging 7000 listeners each week, we are thrilled that its mix of yesterday and today's Line dance hits has proved so popular. And LMR is also a real hit all over the world. Listeners from European countries such as Germany, France, Spain, the Czech Republic, as well as Canada and the USA and of course the UK, love tuning in each day.





August 2001 was the month when we first met Cliff and his daughter Tina Argyle. At the time, the pair worked together running classes and social evenings in Leicestershire. Nothing was too much trouble for them when it came to looking after their dancers. "A welcome atmosphere in pleasant surroundings goes hand in hand with presentation" was their motto. In the article, Tina went on to explain that Country was the music she grew up with, knew and loved and that her Dad, at first, would tag along to help with playing sounds but had discovered and had fallen in love with Dj ing. Tina said: "It's great working with my Dad. We have always had such a lot in common and similar tastes in music."

Tina eventually taught her Dad how to dance and Cliff became a fully fledged Line dancer. Cliff recalled how at first, he would struggle counting the dances in. But he

also described how happy he was, once the dancers came to him with positive feedback. As for dressing the part, he said: "People pay to be entertained and to my mind putting on the gear is part of the entertainment."

Eight years on, Cliff does not look any different from the photos of that issue. Line dancing must account for his fitness. But have things changed? Cliff says: "They have. When Tina started with a bad throat, I covered the odd class night. Then she went on to have an operation and was off for a full three months... That was my baptism of fire. I continued teaching and really enjoyed it. I have to say that the classes were amazing and gave me full support way back then."

As things got back to normal and Tina came back, she asked Cliff to teach now and again so as to continue with his personal experience. Classes were so popular that the

pair decided to start a new one in Ibstock. Cliff says: "At that stage, Tina had no time to spare and she persuaded me to go it alone. Today, this club is still going strong and as Tina has moved to Norwich, I also decided to take over the other classes." Considering Cliff could never imagine himself teaching a single person, to have this many dancers from three separate classes each week relying on his talents is proof of his popularity.

When asked about why he has managed to keep success going, Cliff says: "I don't think it is that hard. I like to keep it fun and while learning dances, have a good laugh. Or two. It really does help. Line dancing is a great pastime, but it is a hobby and like all hobbies it must keep people amused."

Cliff and Tina did start 14 years ago and Cliff reckons that many who started



then are still dancing at his classes today alongside many newcomers. He says: "Tina and I always keep in touch to see what's being taught. We do still get bookings for weekends together and it is a real bonus to

The future of Line dancing is assured as far as he is concerned. "There may be more pop music and people may be more relaxed in their dress but there are now lots of weekend getaways abroad for people who love dancing. So even if there are too many dances and none of them last that long, does it really matter? As long as we have dancers coming every week to learn things and support their clubs and their socials, I don't think it does." He embraces the more international dance scene too. "It is fantastic the way so many great dances are written all over the world, the wider Line dance becomes the

DJ I work hard to make sure dancers get the best possible experience and today I enjoy teaching so much. Now then, considering I once said I would never teach who knows what will be next.... I may even end up choreographing a dance!"



## A Christmas present

Last year's Great Give Away was a real success and many of you entered the competition. We are doing it again! Read on to find out how you could get a real surprise from your favourite magazine...

Here's your chance to win one of five CD bundles that will make your festivities go with a swing. We are offering you the chance of a twelve CD package including many of the titles we have reviewed and introduced all through the year. We cannot guarantee a pre Christmas delivery as the parcels will be sent out on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> December but with a little luck...who knows?

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Good luck and MERRY CHRISTMAS to all!



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## Do'Ya

2 W	2 WALL LINE DANCE - 64 COUNTS - EASY/INTERMEDIATE			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	DIRECTION	
Section 1  1 2 & 3 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 8 & 1	Side, Coaster Step, Step Pivot Turn, Sweep, Weave, Side Rock Cross Step left to left side. Step right back. Step left beside right. Step right forward. Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right. Make 1/2 turn right and step left back. Sweep right from front to back. Cross right behind left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left. Rock left to left side. Recover onto right. Cross left over right.	Step Coaster Step Step Pivot Turn Sweep Behind Side Cross Side Rock Cross	Left On the spot Turning right Left Right	
Section 2  2 &  3  4 & 5  Restart 2  6 & 7 &  8 &  1  Restart 1	1/4 Turn, 1/2 Turn, 1/2 Turn, Forward Shuffle, Mambo, Sweep, Sailor 1/2 Turn Turn 1/4 left and step right back. Turn 1/2 left and step left forward. Turn 1/2 left and step right back. (9:00) Step left forward. Close right beside left. Step left forward. Wall 9: On count 5 restart dance again from the beginning. Rock forward on right. Rock back on left. Step right in place. Sweep left back. Cross left behind right. Turn 1/2 left and step right back. Step left forward on left diagonal. (3:00) Wall 4: Step left to side in place of forward diagonal and start dance again.	Quarter Half Half Left Shuffle Mambo Step Sweep Behind Turn Step	Turning left Forward On the spot Turning left Forward	
Section 3 2 & 3 4 & 5 6 & 7 8 & 1	Cross Rock Side, Back Rock 1/4 Turn, Step, Pivot 1/2, Step, Rock 1/4 Turn Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left. Step right to right side. Rock left behind right. Recover onto right. Turn 1/4 left and step left forward. Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left. Step right forward. (6:00) Rock left forward. Recover onto right. Turn 1/4 left and step left to side. (3:00)	Cross Rock Side Back Rock Turn Step Pivot Step Rock & Turn	Right Turning left	
Section 4 2 & 3 4 & 5 6 & 7 8 & (1)	Cross, Unwind 1/2, Cross, Side Rock Cross x 2, Rock 1/4 Turn, 1/4 Turn Cross right over left. Unwind 1/2 turn left. Cross right over left. (9:00) Rock left to left side. Recover onto right. Cross left over right. Rock right to right side. Recover onto left. Cross right over left. Rock left to left side. Turn 1/4 right recovering onto right. (12:00) Turn 1/4 right in preparation for Wall 2 by stepping left to side. (3:00)	Cross Unwind Cross Side Rock Cross Side Rock Cross Rock Turn Turn	Turning left Right Left Turning right	
<b>Tag</b> 1 - 2	End of Wall 10 (facing 12:00): Sways Sway left. Sway right.	Sway Sway	On the spot	
Ending 1 & 2	Start last Wall (facing 6:00), dance Section 1 then  Turn 1/4 left and step right back. Turn 1/4 left and step left to side.  Cross right over left. (12:00)	Turn Turn Cross	Turning left Left	

Choreographed by: Mark & Jan Caley (UK) 2001

Choreographed to: 'Do You Wanna Dance' by The Olsen Brothers (165 bpm) Start on main vocals (36 secs)

Alternative Music: 'Louisiana Saturday Night' by Mel McDaniel from Most Awesome 6 CD (165 bpm) or 'Straighten Up and Fly Right' by Neal McCoy from Step In Line Again CD (167 bpm)



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## RDFFF Please Don't Leave Me

	4 WALL - 32 COUNTS - ABSOLUTI	E BEGINNE	R
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	DIRECTION
Section 1	Grapevine Right With Touch, Side Touch x 2		
1 - 2	Step right to right side. Cross left behind right.	Side Behind	Right
3 - 4	Step right to right side. Touch left beside right.	Side Touch	
5 - 6	Step left to left side. Touch right beside left.	Left Touch	Left
7 - 8	Step right to right side. Touch left beside right.	Right Touch	Right
Section 2	Grapevine Left With Touch, Side Touch, Side Brush		
1 - 2	Step left to left side. Cross right behind left.	Side Behind	Left
3 - 4	Step left to left side. Touch right beside left.	Side Touch	
5 - 6	Step right to right side. Touch left beside right.	Right Touch	Right
7 - 8	Step left to left side. Brush right forward.	Left Brush	Left
Section 3	Right Lock Step Brush, Left Lock Step Brush		
1 - 2	Step right forward. Lock left behind right.	Right Lock	Forward
3 - 4	Step right forward. Brush left forward.	Right Brush	
5 - 6	Step left forward. Lock right behind left.	Left Lock	
7 - 8	Step left forward. Brush right forward.	Left Brush	
Section 4	Rocking Chair, Step Pivot 1/2, Step Pivot 1/4		
1 - 2	Rock forward on right. Recover onto left.	Forward Rock	On the spot
3 - 4	Rock back on right. Recover onto left.	Back Rock	
5 - 6	Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left (weight onto left).	Step Pivot	Turning left
7 - 8	Step right forward. Pivot 1/4 turn left (weight onto left).	Step Pivot	

Choreographed by: Bob Francis (UK) October 2009

Choreographed to: 'Please Don't Leave Me' by Pink (144bpm) from CD Funhouse or Please

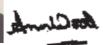
Don't Leave Me; also available as download from amazon.co.uk or iTunes

(16 count intro offer drum beats)





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## Rockin My Life Away

	4 WALL - 48 COUNTS - BEGINNER			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	Direction	
Section 1 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Side, Hold, Back Rock (x 2) Step right to right side. Hold. Rock back on left. Recover onto right. Step left to left side. Hold. Rock back on right. Recover onto left.	Side Hold Back Rock Side Hold Back Rock	Right On the spot Left On the spot	
Section 2 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8 Option	Step, Hold, Step Pivot 1/2 Step, Hold, Full Turn Step right forward. Hold. Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right (weight onto right). Step left forward. Hold. Make 1/2 turn left stepping right back. Make 1/2 turn left stepping left forward. Replace full turn with Walk forward right, walk forward left.	Step Hold Step Pivot Step Hold Turn Turn	Forward Turning right Forward Turning left	
Section 3 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Side, Hold, Cross Rock (x 2) Step right to right side. Hold. Cross rock left over right. Recover onto right. Step left to left side. Hold. Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left.	Side Hold Cross Rock Side Hold Cross Rock	Right On the spot Left On the spot	
Section 4 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Side, Hold, Weave 1/4 Turn, Hold Step right to right side. Hold. Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Cross left behind right. Step right 1/4 turn right. Step left forward. Hold.	Side Hold Cross Side Behind Turn Step Hold	Right Turning right Forward	
Section 5 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Side Rock, Cross, Hold (x 2)  Rock right to right side. Recover onto left.  Cross right over left. Hold.  Rock left to left side. Recover onto right.  Cross left over right. Hold.	Side Rock Cross Hold Side Rock Cross Hold	On the spot Left On the spot Right	
Section 6 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 8	Step, Pivot 1/2, Step, Hold, Run x 3, Hold Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left. Step right forward. Hold. Run forward, stepping - left, right, left. Hold.	Step Pivot Step Hold Run Run Run Hold	Turning left Forward Forward	

Choreographed by: Ann Wood

Choreographed to: 'Rockin' My Life Away' by Kenny Johnson (170 bpm); available as free download from www.linedancermagazine.com

(32 count intro - start on vocals)

Music Suggestion: 'Rockin' My Life Away' by Jerry Lee Lewis from CD By Inovation Only, Album One



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## Casanova Cowboy

4 WALL - 32 COUNT - BEGINNER			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	DIRECTION
Section 1	Walk x 2, Triple Step, 1/2 Turn x 2, Coaster Step		
1 - 2	Walk forward right. Walk forward left.	Right Left	Forward
3 & 4	Step right behind left. Step left slightly forward. Step right slightly back.	Right Left Right	On the spot
5 - 6	Make 1/2 turn left stepping left forward. Make 1/2 turn left stepping right back.	Turn Turn	Turning left
7 & 8	Step left back. Step right beside left. Step left forward.	Coaster Step	On the spot
Section 2	Forward Travelling Hip Bumps, Forward Rock, Shuffle 3/4 Turn		
1	Step right forward on right diagonal bumping right hip forward.	Step	Forward
& 2	Bump left hip back. Bump right hip forward.	Bump Bump	On the spot
3	Step left forward on left diagonal bumping left hip forward.	Step	Forward
& 4	Bump right hip back. Bump left hip forward.	Bump Bump	On the spot
5 - 6	Rock forward on right. Recover onto left.	Forward Rock	
7 & 8	Shuffle step 3/4 turn right, stepping - right, left, right.	Shuffle Turn	Turning right
Section 3	Side Rock, Cross & Heel, & Cross Sweep, Syncopated Box Step		
1 - 2	Rock left to left side. Recover onto right.	Side Rock	On the spot
3 & 4	Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Touch left heel diagonally left.	Cross & Heel	Right
& 5 - 6	Step left beside right. Cross right over left. Sweep left in front of right.	& Cross Sweep	On the spot
7 & 8	Cross left over right. Step right back. Step left to left side.	Cross & Side	
Section 4	Cross Touch, Cross Touch, Right Sailor Step, Left Sailor 1/2 Turn		
1 - 2	Cross right over left. Touch left to left side.	Cross Touch	Left
3 - 4	Cross left over right. Touch right to right side.	Cross Touch	Right
5 & 6	Cross right behind left. Step left to left side. Step right to place.	Sailor Step	On the spot
7 & 8	Turn 1/2 left crossing left behind right. Step right to side. Step left to place.	Sailor Turn	Turning left

Choreographed by: Rob Fowler (UK) October 2009

Choreographed to: 'Cowboy Casanova' by Carrie Underwood from CD Play On;

also available as download from amazon.co.uk or iTunes (start on vocals)





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Approved by: Viviene S.

## Fool In Me

4 WALL - 32 COUNT - IMPROVER			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	Direction
Section 1	Step, Forward Rock, Shuffle 3/4 Turn, Side, Behind, Shuffle 1/4 Turn Step right forward.	Forward	Forward
2 - 3	Rock forward on left. Recover onto right.	Rock Recover	On the spot
4 & 5	Shuffle step 3/4 turn left, stepping - left, right, left.	Shuffle Turn	Turning left
6 - 7	Step right to right side. Cross left behind right.	Side Behind	Right
8 & 1	Step right to side. Step left beside right. Turn 1/4 right and step right forward.	Shuffle Turn	Turning right
Section 2	Step 1/2, Sweep Side, Behind Side Cross, Sway, Sway 1/4, Forward Sway Rock		
2 - 3	Turn 1/2 right and step left back. Sweep right to right side.	Turn Sweep	Turning right
4 & 5	Cross right behind left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left.	Behind Side Cross	Left
6 - 7	Step sway left to left side. Sway right making 1/4 turn left.	Sway Turn	Turning left
8 - 1	Rock sway forward on left. Recover onto right.	Sway Rock	On the spot
Section 3	Full Turn Travelling Back, Left Lock Back, Coaster Step, Step Forward		
2 - 3	Turn 1/2 left and step left forward. Turn 1/2 left and step right back.	Turn Turn	Turning left
4 & 5	Step left back. Lock right across in front of left. Step left back.	Back Lock	Back
6 & 7	Step right back. Step left beside right. Step right forward.	Coaster Step	On the spot
8	Step left forward.	Step	Forward
Section 4	Walk Forward x 2, Step, Pivot 1/2, Step, 1/2 Box x 2		
1 - 2	Step right forward. Step left forward.	Right Left	Forward
Option	Make 2-count full turn over left shoulder travelling forward.		
3 & 4	Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left (weight on left). Step right forward.	Step Pivot Step	Turning left
5 & 6	Step left to left side. Step right beside left. Step left forward.	Left Together Step	Forward
7 & 8	Step right to right side. Step left beside right. Step right forward.	Right Together Step	
&	Step left beside right.	Together	
Ending	Facing front, Section 2, counts 6, 7, 8, 1:		
	Sway left. Sway right. Sway left. Step onto right.	Sways	On the spot

Choreographed by: Vivienne Scott & Fred Buckley (Can) October 2009

Choreographed to: 'Fool In Me' by George Canyon (96 bpm) from CD What I Do

(16 count intro, start on vocals)



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## I Can Dream

4 WALL. 32 COUNTS. IMPROVER			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	Direction
Section 1	Forward Rock, Shuffle 1/2, Step, Pivot 1/4, Cross shuffle		
1 - 2	Rock forward on right. Recover onto left.	Forward Rock	On the spot
3 & 4	Shuffle step 1/2 turn right, stepping - right, left, right.	Shuffle Turn	Turning right
5 - 6	Step left forward. Pivot 1/4 turn right.	Step Turn	
7 & 8	Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Cross left over right.	Cross Shuffle	Right
Section 2	Side Rock, Behind Side Cross (x 2)		
1 - 2	Rock right to right side. Recover onto left.	Side Rock	On the spot
3 & 4	Cross right behind left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left.	Behind Side Cross	Left
5 - 6	Rock left to left side. Recover onto right.	Side Rock	On the spot
7 & 8	Cross left behind right. Step right to right side. Cross left over right.	Behind Side Cross	Right
Section 3	Paddle Turn x 2 Making 1/4 Turn, Cross Rock, Chasse		
1 - 2	Step right forward. Pivot 1/8 turn left.	Paddle Turn	Turning left
3 - 4	Step right forward. Pivot 1/8 turn left.	Paddle Turn	
5 - 6	Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left.	Cross Rock	On the spot
7 & 8	Step right to right side. Close left beside right. Step right to right side.	Side Close Side	Right
Section 4	Weave With Sweep, Behind, 1/4 Turn, Step, Pivot 1/2		
1 - 2	Cross left over right. Step right to right side.	Cross Side	Right
3 - 4	Cross left behind right. Sweep right out to side.	Behind Sweep	
5 - 6	Cross right behind left. Step left to left side making 1/4 turn left.	Behind Turn	Turning left
7 - 8	Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left.	Step Pivot	

Choreographed by: Ron Tate (UK) September 2009

Choreographed to: 'I Can Dream' by Alan Gregory (104 bpm) from CD I Can Dream;

also available as free download from www.alangregory.me.uk

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## Shake Your Moneymaker

4 WALL - 48 COUNTS - IMPROVER			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	Direction
Section 1  1 - 2  3 - 4  5 - 6  7 - 8	Step, Lock, Step, Scuff (x 2) Step right forward to right diagonal. Lock left behind right. Step right forward to right diagonal. Scuff left beside right. Step left forward to left diagonal. Lock right behind left. Step left forward to left diagonal. Scuff right beside left.	Right Lock Right Scuff Left Lock Left Scuff	Forward
Section 2  1 - 2  3 - 4  5 - 6  7 - 8	Step, Pivot 1/2, Step, Hold, Stomp Forward x 2, Hold Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left. Step right forward. Hold. Stomp left forward. Stomp right forward. Stomp left forward. Hold.	Step Pivot Step Hold Stomp Stomp Stomp Hold	Turning left Forward
Section 3 1 - 4 5 - 8	Side Rock & Cross, Hold (x 2)  Rock right to right side. Recover onto left. Cross right over left. Hold.  Rock left to left side. Recover onto right. Cross left over right. Hold.	Rock & Cross Hold Rock & Cross Hold	Left Right
Section 4 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 8	1/4 Hitch Turn, 1/2 Hitch Turn, Step, Pivot 1/2, Step, Hold  Make 1/4 turn left and step right back. Hitch left knee.  Make 1/2 turn left and step left forward. Hitch right knee.  Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left. Step right forward. Hold.	Turn Hitch Turn Hitch Step Pivot Step Hold	Turning left Turning left
Section 5 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Heel Walk x 2, Back, Together, Toe-Heel Splits, Together Walk forward on left heel. Walk right heel to right side Step back on left foot. Step right beside left. Split toes apart. Split heels apart. Return both heels to centre. Return toes to centre.	Heel Heel Back Together Toes Heels Heels Toes	Forward Back On the spot
Section 6  1 - 2  3 - 4  5 - 6  7 - 8	1/4 Monterey Turn x 2  Touch right toe out to right side. Turn 1/4 right and step right beside left.  Touch left toe out to left side. Step left beside right.  Touch right toe out to right side. Turn 1/4 right and step right beside left.  Touch left toe out to left side. Step left beside right.	Touch Turn Touch Together Touch Turn Touch Together	Turning right On the spot Turning right On the spot

Choreographed by: Paul McAdam (UK) October 2009

**Choreographed to:** 'Shake Your Moneymaker' by Fleetwood Mac from CD Black Magic Woman - The Best Of; also available as download from

amazon.co.uk or iTunes

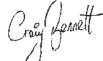




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## Senorita

	2 WALL - 32 COUNT - IMPROVER			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	DIRECTION	
Section 1 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 & 8 Restart	Forward Rock, Coaster Step, Forward Rock, 1/2 Turn Shuffle Rock forward on right. Recover onto left. Step right back. Step left beside right. Step right forward. Rock forward on left. Recover onto right. Turn 1/2 left stepping left forward. Step right in place. Step left forward. Wall 4: Repeat Section 1 then start dance again (dance Section 1 total of 3 times)	Forward Rock Coaster Step Forward Rock Turn Shuffle	On the spot Turning left	
Section 2 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 & 8	Forward Rock, Coaster Step, Forward Rock, 1/4 Turn Shuffle Rock forward on right. Recover onto left. Step right back. Step left beside right. Step right forward. Rock forward on left. Recover onto right. Turn 1/4 left stepping left to side. Step right in place. Step left to side.	Forward Rock Coaster Step Forward Rock Turn Shuffle	On the spot Turning left	
Section 3 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Cross, Point (x 2) Forward Rock, Back Rock Cross right over left. Point left to left side. Cross left over right. Point right to right side. Rock forward on right. Recover onto left. Rock back on right. Recover onto left.	Cross Point Cross Point Forward Rock Back Rock	Left Right On the spot	
Section 4 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Forward Rock, 1/4 Turn Chasse, Cross, Side, Behind, Side Rock forward on right. Recover onto left. Turn 1/4 right stepping right to side. Close left beside right. Step right to side. Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Cross left behind right. Step right to right side.	Forward Rock Turn Chasse Cross Side Behind Side	On the spot Turning right Right	
Section 5 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Cross Rock, Chasse, Cross, Side, Hold, Stomp Cross rock left over right. Recover onto right. Step left to left side. Close right beside left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left. Step left to left side. Hold. Stomp right beside left.	Cross Rock Side Close Side Cross Side Hold Stomp	On the spot Left On the spot	
Section 6 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Paddle 1/2 Turn Step, Paddle 1/2 Turn Step  Touch right toe to side making 1/8 turn left. Repeat paddle making 1/4 turn.  Touch right toe to side making 1/8 turn left. Repeat stepping onto right.  Touch left toe to side making 1/8 turn right. Repeat paddle making 1/4 turn.  Touch left to side making 1/8 turn right. Repeat stepping onto left.	Paddle Paddle Paddle Paddle Paddle Paddle Paddle Paddle	Turning left Turning right	
<b>Tag</b> 1 - 2	End of Wall 7: Bump hips right. Bump hips left.	Hip Bumps	On the spot	

Choreographed by: Craig Bennett (UK) October 2009

Choreographed to: 'I Love Senoritas' by Alex Swings and Oscar Sings from CD Heart 4 Sale; also available as download from amazon.co.uk

Restart: There is one Restart, during Wall 4, following repeat of Section 1

Tag: There is a 2-count Tag danced at the end of Wall 7



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## Slow Rain

	4 WALL - 32 COUNTS - INTERMEDIATE			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	DIRECTION	
Section 1	Side, Back Rock, Chasse, 1/4 Turn Crossover, 1/4 Turn Shuffle			
1 - 3	Step right to right side. Rock back on left. Recover onto right.	Side Back Rock	Right	
4 & 5	Step left to left side. Close right beside left. Step left to left side.	Side Close Side	Left	
Styling	Counts 4 & 5: use Cuban motion if you can.			
6 - 7	Turn 1/4 left cross-rocking right over left. Recover onto left in place.	Crossover Turn	Turning left	
8	Pivoting on ball of left turn 1/4 right and step right forward.	Turn	Turning right	
& 1	Close left beside right. Step right forward.	Close Step	Forward	
Section 2	1/4 Turn, Pivot 1/2, Chase 1/2 Turn, Forward Rock, Back Lock Step			
2	Pivoting on ball of right turn 1/4 right and step left forward.	Turn	Turning right	
3	Pivot 1/2 turn right (weight onto right).	Pivot		
4 & 5	Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right (weight onto right). Step left forward.	Step Pivot Step		
6 - 7	Rock forward on right. Recover onto left.	Rock Recover	On the spot	
8 & 1	Step right back. Lock left across right. Step right back.	Back Lock Back	Back	
Section 3	Back Rock, 1/2 Turn, Back Rock, Step, Side Rock, Cross			
2 - 3	Rock back on left. Recover onto right.	Back Rock	On the spot	
4 - 5	Pivoting on ball of right turn 1/2 right and step onto left. Rock back on right.	Turn Rock	Turning right	
6 - 7	Recover onto left. Step right forward.	Recover Step	Forward	
8 & 1	Rock left to left side. Recover onto right. Cross left over right.	Rock & Cross	Right	
Section 4	Sway x 2, Step, Pivot 1/2, Walk x 2, Forward Rock, (Side)			
2 - 3	Step right to right side and sway right. Sway left.	Sway Sway	On the spot	
4 - 5	Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left (weight onto left).	Step Pivot	Turning left	
6 - 7	Walk forward right. Walk forward left.	Walk Walk	Forward	
8 & (1)	Rock ball of right forward. Recover onto left. (Step right to right side).	Rock & (Side)	Right	

Choreographed by: Barry and Dari Anne Amato (USA) June 2009

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Choreographed to: 'Slow Rain' by Rhonda Towns (97 bpm) from CD I Wanna Be

Loved By You; also available as download from amazon.co.uk

or iTunes (16 count intro)







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4 WALL - 48 COUNT - INTERMEDIATE			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	Direction
Section 1 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 & 6 7 - 8	Side, Bounce, Bounce & Point, Kick Ball Step, Step, Pivot 1/2 Step left to left side. Bounce both heels (knees pop forward slightly). Bounce both heels (knees pop). Step right beside left. Point left to left side. Kick left forward. Step left beside right. Step right forward. Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right.	Side Bounce Bounce & Point Kick Ball Step Step Pivot	Left On the spot Forward Turning right
Section 2 1 - 2 & 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	1/4 Turn, Behind & Rock, Back, 1/2 Turn x 2, Step Make 1/4 turn right stepping left to left side. Cross right behind left. Step left to left side. Rock forward on right. Recover onto left. Step right back. Make 1/2 turn left stepping left forward. Make 1/2 turn left stepping right back. Step left behind right lifting right heel.	Turn Behind & Forward Rock Back Turn Turn Step	Turning right On the spot Turning left
Section 3 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Walk x 2, Mambo 1/4 Turn, Cross, Side (Dip), Flick/Kick, Cross Walk forward right. Walk forward left. Rock forward on right. Rock back on left. Turn 1/4 right stepping right to side. Cross left over right. Step right to side, bending knees to dip down slightly. Step left beside right, kicking right out to right side. Cross right over left.	Right Left Mambo Turn Cross Side Step/Kick Cross	Forward Turning right Right Left
Section 4 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 & 6 & 7 - 8	1/4 Turn, Side, Cross, Side, Sailor Step & Side, Cross Make 1/4 turn right stepping left back. Step right to right side. Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Cross left behind right. Step right to right side. Step left to place. Cross right behind left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left.	Turn Side Cross Side Sailor Step & Side Cross	Turning right Right On the spot Left
Section 5 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 & 8	Side, Together, Back, 1/2 Turn, Side, Back, Cross Turn Turn Step left to left side. Step right beside left. Step left back. Make 1/2 turn right stepping right forward. Step left to left side. Step right back. Lock left across right. Turn 1/4 right stepping right to right side. Turn 1/4 right stepping left forward.	Side Together Back Turn Side Back Cross Turn Turn	Left Turning right Back Turning right
Section 6 1 & 2 & 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Kick Out Out, & Side, Rock Step, 1/4 Turn, Walk x 2 Kick right forward. Step right to right side. Step left to left side. Step right beside left. Step left to left side. Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left. Make 1/4 turn right stepping right forward. Walk forward left. Walk forward right.	Kick Out Out & Side Rock Recover Turn Left Right	On the spot Turning right Forward
TAG 1 - 3 4 NOTE	At the end of Wall 3, a 4-count alarm will sound: Paddle 1/2 Turn, Stomp Make 1/2 turn right with 3 flat footed paddles, touch left to floor 3 times Stomp left beside right.  After the Tag, for all remaining Walls dance to count 32 and then restart.	Paddle Turn Stomp	Turning right On the spot
Ending	Wall 10 (starts facing back): Dance first 7 counts of dance and stomp forward on left.		

Choreographed by: Neville Fitzgerald & Julie Harris (UK) September 2009

Choreographed to: 'Say It' by Booty Luv from CD Single; also available as download from amazon.co.uk or iTunes (start on vocals)

Tag:

There is a 4-count Tag at the end of Wall 3. After that (and alarm sound) dance only first 32 counts for remaining Walls, which changes dance from 2 Walls and 48 counts to 4 Walls and 32 counts











## Tango Tonig

4	4 WALL - 60 COUNTS PHRASED - INTERMEDIATE			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	Direction	
PART A Section 1 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Cross Rock, Cross, Hitch, Cross Rock, Cross, Hold Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left. Cross right over left. Hitch left. Cross rock left over right. Recover onto right. Cross left over right. Hold.	Cross Rock Cross Hitch Cross Rock Cross Hold	On the spot Left On the spot Right	
Section 2 1 - 2 Styling 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 & 8	Step, Pivot 1/2, Forward Shuffle, Step, Pivot 1/4, Cross Shuffle Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 left (weight onto right and pop left knee). Optional: raise right arm and click fingers. Step left forward. Close right beside left. Step left forward. Step right forward. Pivot 1/4 turn left. (3:00) Cross right over left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left.	Step Pivot  Left Shuffle Step Turn Cross Shuffle	Turning left Forward Turning left Left	
Section 3 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 & 8 Option Note	Back, Sweep, Back, Sweep, Back Rock, Triple Full Turn Step left back. Sweep right out to right side and back. Cross right slightly behind left. Sweep left out to left side and back. Rock back on left. Recover onto right. Triple step full turn right, stepping - left, right, left. (3:00) Replace full turn with Forward lock step - left, right, left. During the 3rd pattern, dance only first 24 counts of A. See sequence.	Back Sweep Behind Sweep Back Rock Full turn	Back On the spot Turning right	
Section 4 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 & 6 7 - 8	Sway, Sway, Step, Pivot 1/2, Forward Shuffle, Stomp, Hold Sway right. Sway left. Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left. Step right forward. Close left beside right. Step right forward. Stomp left beside right. Recover on left	Sway Sway Step Pivot Right Shuffle Stomp Hold	On the spot Turning left Forward On the spot	
PART B Section 1 1 - 4 5 - 7 8	Extended Weave Left With Flick Cross right over left. Step left to side. Cross right behind left. Step left to side. Cross right over left. Step left to side. Cross right behind left. Flick left foot up and out to left side, slightly turning body to right. (6:00)	Weave Weave Flick	Left	
Section 2 1 - 4 5 - 7 8	Extended Weave Right With Flick Cross left over right. Step right to side. Cross left behind right. Step right to side. Cross left over right. Step right to side. Cross left behind right. Flick right foot up and out to right side, slightly turning body to left. (6:00)	Weave Weave Flick	Right	
Section 3 1 & 2 3 - 4 5 & 6 7 - 8	Cross Shuffle, 1/4 Turn x 2, Cross Shuffle, Side Rock Cross right over left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left. Turning 1/4 right step left back. Turning 1/4 right step right to side. (12:00) Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Cross left over right. Rock right to right side. Recover on left.	Cross Shuffle Turn Turn Cross Shuffle Side Rock	Left Turning right Right On the spot	
Section 4 1 - 4	Side, Drag, Stomp Step right big step to right. Drag left to right (2 counts). Stomp left beside right.	Side Drag Stomp	Right	
<b>Tag</b> 1 - 4	End of every 2nd B pattern: Jazz Box Cross right over left. Step left back. Step right to side. Step left beside right.	Jazz Box	On the spot	
Ending 1 - 4 Styling	Dance first 8 counts of A (facing 3:00), then Step right forward. Pivot 1/4 turn left. Stomp right beside left and hold. Raise right arm on last count.	Step Turn Stomp	Turning left	

Choreographed by: Kathy Chang & Sue Hsu (USA) August 2009

Choreographed to: 'Tango Tango' by Petra Nielsen (120 bpm) from CD Eurovision Song Contest Sweden: Melodifestivalen 2004 (Final); available from www.eurovision-dvd.com/cds.html (32 count intro)

**Choreographers' Note:** Sequence is AA BB Tag, AA BB Tag, A(24) BB Tag, Ending The music makes the changes obvious!

Tag: There is a 4-count Tag, danced at the end of every 2nd B pattern





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## You And I (page 1)

4 WALL - 128 COUNTS PHRASED - INTERMEDIATE			
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	DIRECTION
PART A Section 1 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Slide, Hold, Back Rock, Side, Hold, Behind, 1/4 Turn Slide left long step to left side. Hold. Rock right back behind left. Recover onto right. Step right long step to right side. Hold. Step left behind right. Make 1/4 turn right stepping right forward. (3:00)	Slide Hold Back Rock Side Hold Behind Turn	Left On the spot Right Turning right
Section 2 1 - 2 3 - 6 7 - 8	Step, Pivot 1/2, Forward Shuffle, Hold, Forward Rock Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right (weight on left). (9:00) Step right forward. Close left beside right. Step right forward. Hold Rock forward on left. Recover onto right.	Step Pivot Shuffle Hold Rock Recover	Turning right Forward On the spot
Section 3 1 - 2 3 4 - 6 7 - 8	Back, Hold, Sweep Coaster Step 1/4 Turn, Hold, Forward Rock Step left back. Hold. Sweep right out from front making 1/4 turn right and stepping right back. Step left beside right. Step right forward. Hold. (12:00) Rock forward on left. Recover onto right.	Back Hold Turn Coaster Hold Forward Rock	Back Turning right On the spot
Section 4 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Back, Sweep, Behind, Sweep, Behind, Step, Step, Hold Step left back. Sweep right out and around from front. Step right behind left. Sweep left out and around from front. Step left behind right. Step right forward on right diagonal. Step left forward on right diagonal. Hold.	Back Sweep Behind Sweep Behind Step Step Hold	Back Forward
Section 5 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Step, Hold, Back, Behind, Side, Hold, Cross Rock Step right forward on right diagonal. Hold. Step left back. Step right behind left. Step left to left side. Hold. Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left.	Forward Hold Back Behind Side Hold Cross Rock	Forward Back Left On the spot
Section 6 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 8	1/4 Turn, Step, Pivot 1/2, Sway, Hold, Sway, Hold Make 1/4 turn right stepping right forward. Hold. (3:00) Step left forward. Pivot 3/4 turn right. (12:00) Sway left. Hold. Sway right. Hold.	Turn Hold Step Pivot Sway Sway	Turning right On the spot
Section 7 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	1/2 Turn, Hold, Cross Rock, Side, Hold, Cross Rock Make 1/2 turn right stepping left to left side. Hold. (6:00) Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left. Step right to right side. Hold. Cross rock left over right. Recover onto left.	Turn Hold Cross Rock Side Hold Cross Rock	Turning right On the spot Right On the spot
Section 8 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	1/4 Turn, Hold, Step, Pivot 1/4, Cross, Hold, Side, Together Make 1/4 turn left stepping left forward. Hold. Step right forward. Pivot 1/4 turn left. (12:00) Cross right over left. Hold. Step left to left side. Step right beside left.	Turn Hold Step Turn Cross Hold Side Together	Turning left Left
<b>Tag</b> 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 - 8	Danced only once at the end of the second A pattern: Step left to left side. Hold. Rock back on right behind left. Recover onto left. Step right to right side. Hold. Touch left beside right. Hold.	Side Hold Back Rock Side Hold Touch Hold	Left On the spot <b>Continued</b>





## You And I (page 2)

4 WALL - 128 COUNTS PHRASED - INTERMEDIATE				
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	Direction	
PART B Section 1 1 & 2 3 - 4 5 & 6 7 - 8	Chasse, Back Rock, Kick Ball Cross, Side Rock Step left to left side. Close right beside left. Step left to left side. Rock back on right. Recover onto left. Kick right diagonally right. Step right beside left. Cross left over right. Rock right to right side. Recover onto left.	Side Close Side Back Rock Kick Ball Cross Side Rock	Left On the spot Right On the spot	
Section 2 1 & 2 3 - 4 5 - 6 7 & 8	Sailor 1/2 Turn, Step, Touch, Point, Hitch 1/2 Turn, Forward Lock Step Cross right behind left. Turn 1/4 right stepping left to side. Step right 1/4 right. Step left forward. Touch right toe forward.  Point right to right side. Hitch right knee and make 1/4 turn right. (12:00) Step right forward. Lock left behind right. Step right forward.	Sailor Turn Step Touch Point Turn Right Lock Right	Turning right Forward Turning right Forward	
Section 3 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 & 6 7 & 8	Forward Rock, Shuffle 1/2 Turn x 2, Coaster Step Rock forward on left. Recover onto right. Shuffle step 1/2 turn left, stepping - left, right, left. Shuffle step 1/2 turn left, stepping - right, left, right. Step left back. Step right beside left. Step left forward.	Forward Rock Shuffle Turn Shuffle Turn Coaster Step	On the spot Turning left On the spot	
Section 4 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 & 8	Walk Forward x 2, Forward Mambo Step, Walk Back x 2, Coaster Cross Walk forward right. Walk forward left. Rock forward on right. Rock back on left. Step right back. Walk back on left. Walk back right. Step left back. Step right beside left. Cross left over right.	Right Left Mambo Step Back Back Coaster Cross	Forward On the spot Back On the spot	
Section 5 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 & 8	Side Rock, Cross Shuffle, Side Rock, Cross Shuffle Rock right to right side. Recover onto left. Cross right over left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left. Rock left to left side. Recover onto right. Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Cross left over right.	Side Rock Cross Shuffle Side Rock Cross Shuffle	On the spot Left On the spot Right	
Section 6 1 - 2 3 - 4 5 & 6 7 - 8	1/2 Turn, Cross Rock, Chasse 1/4 Turn, Full Turn (Travelling Forward) Make 1/4 turn left stepping right back. Make 1/4 turn left stepping left to side. Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left. Step right to side. Close left beside right. Turn 1/4 right stepping right forward. Make 1/2 turn right stepping left back. Make 1/2 turn right stepping right forward.	Turn Turn Cross Rock Side Close Turn Full Turn	Turning left On the spot Turning right	
Section 7 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Forward Rock, Coaster Step, Step, Pivot 1/2, Walk Forward x 2 Rock forward on left. Recover onto right. Step left back. Step right beside left. Step left forward. Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left. Walk forward right. Walk forward left.	Forward Rock Coaster Step Step Pivot Right Left	On the spot Turning left Forward	
Section 8 1 - 2 3 & 4 5 - 6 7 - 8	Forward Rock, Coaster Step, Cross, Side, Back Rock Rock forward on right. Recover onto left. Step right back. Step left beside right. Step right forward. Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Rock back on left. Recover onto right.	Forward Rock Coaster Step Cross Side Back Rock	On the spot Right On the spot	

Choreographers Notes: Pattern sequence is AA, Tag, B to end of dance

Tag: An 8-count Tag is danced after the second pattern of Part A

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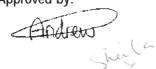
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4 WALL - 32 COUNTS - ADVANCED					
STEPS	Actual Footwork	Calling Suggestion	DIRECTION		
Section 1  1 2 & 3 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 8 & 1	Side, Coaster Step, Step Pivot Turn, Sweep, Weave, Side Rock Cross Step left to left side. Step right back. Step left beside right. Step right forward. Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right. Make 1/2 turn right and step left back. Sweep right from front to back. Cross right behind left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left. Rock left to left side. Recover onto right. Cross left over right.	Step Coaster Step Step Pivot Turn Sweep Behind Side Cross Side Rock Cross	Left On the spot Turning right Left Right		
Section 2 2 & 3 4 & 5 Restart 2 6 & 7 & 8 & 1 Restart 1	1/4 Turn, 1/2 Turn, 1/2 Turn, Forward Shuffle, Mambo, Sweep, Sailor 1/2 Turn Turn 1/4 left and step right back. Turn 1/2 left and step left forward. Turn 1/2 left and step right back. (9:00) Step left forward. Close right beside left. Step left forward. Wall 9: On count 5 restart dance again from the beginning. Rock forward on right. Rock back on left. Step right in place. Sweep left back. Cross left behind right. Turn 1/2 left and step right back. Step left forward on left diagonal. (3:00) Wall 4: Step left to side in place of forward diagonal and start dance again.	Quarter Half Half Left Shuffle  Mambo Step Sweep Behind Turn Step	Turning left Forward On the spot Turning left Forward		
Section 3 2 & 3 4 & 5 6 & 7 8 & 1	Cross Rock Side, Back Rock 1/4 Turn, Step, Pivot 1/2, Step, Rock 1/4 Turn Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left. Step right to right side. Rock left behind right. Recover onto right. Turn 1/4 left and step left forward. Step right forward. Pivot 1/2 turn left. Step right forward. (6:00) Rock left forward. Recover onto right. Turn 1/4 left and step left to side. (3:00)	Cross Rock Side Back Rock Turn Step Pivot Step Rock & Turn	Right Turning left		
Section 4 2 & 3 4 & 5 6 & 7 8 & (1)	Cross, Unwind 1/2, Cross, Side Rock Cross x 2, Rock 1/4 Turn, 1/4 Turn Cross right over left. Unwind 1/2 turn left. Cross right over left. (9:00) Rock left to left side. Recover onto right. Cross left over right. Rock right to right side. Recover onto left. Cross right over left. Rock left to left side. Turn 1/4 right recovering onto right. (12:00) Turn 1/4 right in preparation for Wall 2 by stepping left to side. (3:00)	Cross Unwind Cross Side Rock Cross Side Rock Cross Rock Turn Turn	Turning left Right Left Turning right		
<b>Tag</b> 1 - 2	End of Wall 10 (facing 12:00): Sways Sway left. Sway right.	Sway Sway	On the spot		
Ending 1 & 2	Start last Wall (facing 6:00), dance Section 1 then Turn 1/4 left and step right back. Turn 1/4 left and step left to side. Cross right over left. (12:00)	Turn Turn Cross	Turning left Left		

Choreographed by: Andrew and Sheila (UK) June 2009

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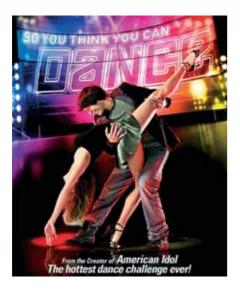
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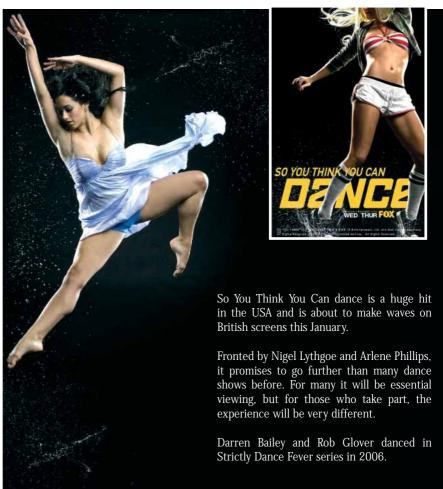
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Behind the scenes though is a very different experience from what you see ....





## It's Only TV!







#### **ROB GLOVER**

I got involved because I was so excited after the first series which had so many Line dancers appearing. Jodie Binsteed (now Seedel), Danny Last, Claire Adams and James McLaughlin were all fantastic and I was lucky enough to be in the audience for the live shows a couple of times. I just knew I had to audition for the second series!

The audition process was a drawn out affair, with hours of waiting in lines and many stages to get through. The excitement really began on our second set of auditions held before Arlene Phillips, Wayne Sleep, Ben Richards and Stacey Haynes. When I got selected for Boot Camp with a few other hundreds I never realised what a roller coaster I was embarking upon. Boot camp lasted five days and each day brought its news of who was leaving and who was staying on.

The final audition was with the four judges sitting with the producers and Graham Norton on stage with us. This was filmed for TV and we had to listen to not very nice comments after each one of our performances. That is when we learnt our fate. Either we made it or we did not.

I was truly excited to be chosen and to be standing next to Darren Bailey, Aravan McCann, Paul Culshaw and Fellow Scouser Clare Roberts. I knew we would be in for some fun in the mansion where we would all stay.

The experience was, shall I say, very unique. Here I was, in a large house with other people talking, living and breathing dance 24/7. I could not have been happier! But the restrictions imposed by the Beeb were tough.

There was no outside contact allowed at all, all our phone conversations were timed and recorded with just one phone available to all. Then all the footage of our dancing, living in the house and phone conversations would be used for a thirty second reel each Saturday preceding our performance. And we did not know before hand what the film would show. We had no say in the music choices either.

In a way that was exciting because it appealed to the choreographer in me, though my partner and I (Dawn Nelson) would sometimes have heated debates, most of them filmed, all good for TV I guess.

The hardest part would be to get the routines all perfect for the live band version of the music, which we would hear for the first time on the Saturday afternoon, a tough call made tougher again with the BBC interrupting for quick interviews of different couples, eating up precious minutes for all the contestants.

We all felt the pressure. From early starts (6 am in the studio), brand new styles each

week, two day deadlines for choreography for camera positions and light/sound cues, dress fittings, hair, makeup, group dances and masterclasses to spraytan sessions on Fridays while we had fish and chips!

The judges had little to do with us. On the first live show, I was sitting next to Arlene in the make-up room and I noticed her reading a script with my name on it. I read a bullet point list of comments she would make about my dancing though I had not as yet performed.... But the judges comments on the whole were great, helping me to deal with and understand performances and also understand what makes a television show great, a balance between negatives and sheer brilliance.

I will always be grateful to Arlene and Vanessa Lee Hicks (choreographer and coach of the show) for their help at a later stage in putting me in touch with a London agent who helped my career tremendously. They are still influential to me today.

I would do it again at a moment's notice, for me being on the show was truly memorable and a once in a life time adventure. My advice to anyone thinking of doing this?

GO FOR IT. Give it your all. Have no regrets and be prepared to work your ... off. A friend once said to me: "Technique is not something you have, it's something you do."







## It's Only TV!







#### DARREN BAILEY

It feels so long ago now for me and Lana.

My parents were the ones involving me in the show. I had no clue my Mum had sent off for an application form and filled it in. Later on, I found out Lana's Mum had done exactly the same thing. At that time we had not met.

Lana auditioned in London and I in Cardiff. We auditioned as individuals and as we arrived at that very first audition, the BBC promptly took a picture of us all looking our most bedraggled as none of us knew this was going to happen!

The weekend auditions in London would prove the hardest as you were paired up with an unknown partner. That is when I met Lana. We were both given some choreographies to learn and at the end of the day had to perform in front of the real judges.

All in all, I think we probably auditioned about ten times before we knew we had been chosen.

On the last day of auditions, only 20 couples were left and ten had to go. It was an  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

emotional day, full of sadness to see your friends leave but full of joy if you had been chosen. It was really hard on everybody.

Then as the weeks went on, I found that the only part where I could be myself totally was in my dancing. The rest of the time, we were told what to do, what to say and how to act. There was very little control any of us had on what the viewer would see on Saturdays.

All the contestants were friendly and I remember we all got on like a house on fire. Unfortunately, clever editing would mean that if you play acted with someone it could be made to look like an argument in the little films used by the BBC. But that's TV for you.

The pressure was constant with many people reminding you daily what was at stake and making things even more emotional than they already were. Lana and I tried hard to keep ourselves to ourselves and concentrate on what was important.

We wanted to do well and we wanted to learn a lot more than what we knew. Behind the scenes, the judges were truly helpful and nice. On screen they could say things for maximum effect and a lot of dancers would struggle with those comments later.

Lana and I were lucky in that we had quite a smooth ride compared to most.

The results part of the show were by far the worse for the competitors. To this day Lana and I have trouble watching Strictly and X Factor results. You fear for your life and for your friends too.

Knowing that you have put in so much effort during the week and that someone won't be at the breakfast table in the morning is awful. And yet, you feel so thankful when the public puts your through.

The experience changed our lives for good. Who would have thought we would ever dance on a West End or Broadway stage?

Anyone who enters a competition like this must always remember why they are there in the first place, concentrate on the dancing and close their eyes to everything else. Shows like this can make you but they can crush you too.











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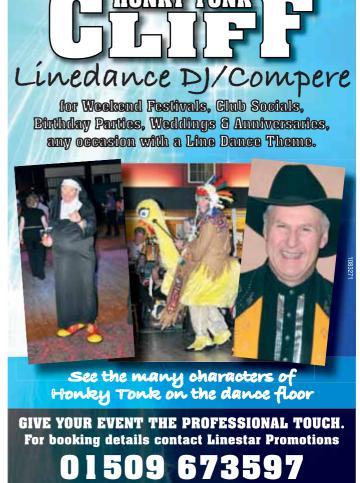
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Liberty's Charlie 07796043441

#### **CLEVELAND**

#### Hartlepool

First In Line Judith Kennedy 07946 730993

#### Middlesbrough Sutton Centre Dancers

James Himsworth 07853396854

#### Middlesbrough Achy Breakies & Crazy Stompers Ann Smith

#### 01642 277778 **CORNWALL**

#### Rodmin HRDW

Helen 01840 213814

#### Bude Poughill Dancers

Hilary 07900041322

#### Crantock Newquay

Silver Spurs Corena 07974 185138

#### Helston

A Chance To Dance Wyn & Merv 01326560307

#### Newquay

Kernewek Stompers Margaret Atherton 01726860387

Nr Newquay In2Line of St Columb Minor Wendy Simpson 01208 831446

#### ■Ref-1615 St Day

Mavericks Barrie Penrose 07835253248

#### Withiel, Nr Bodmin

01208 831446

Kernewek Stompers of Withiel Wendy Simpson

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CUMBRIA Barrow-in-Furness Drifters Dance Bernardine Boyd

#### 01229828736 Carlisle

Dance In Line Paul Turney 07803 900258 Ref:1114

#### Carlisle A & B Stompers

Ann & Bill 01228548053 Keswick

#### Keswick Krazy Kickers

Claire 01768773318 Ref:1944

#### Penrith Dance 2XS

Harry & Liz 01768 88635 Whitehaven Star Stompers

#### 01946694156

Harold

**DERBYSHIRE** Allestree, Derby Jetsets Line Dance Jane Middleton

#### 0115 930 9445 Bakewell, Darley Dale,

Matlock Timberline Dance Steve 01629 636386

#### Ref:1898 Derby

Kateskrazykickers 07974154882

#### Derby, Alvaston, Borrowash

Larrimer Linedancing Lynne Breakwell 01332 852680

#### Staveley Cityliners

Glenys 01142750446

#### Thringstone, Linton, Swadlincote, Barrowon-Trent

The Dance Ranch Kim Alcock 07809 548366

#### DFVON

Ref:1647

Barnstaple, Bideford Stetsons & Spurs Patricia 01237 472464

Braunton, Chulmleigh, Swimbridge

S.M.J.Western Dance Sandra Johns 01271375797 or 07989237135 SRef:1790

Luv 2 Danz Monica 01392 467738

Exeter

Honiton Westernspirit Marina

07985234149 Lynton, Lynmouth

Lyn Line Dancers Heidi 01598 752640

Pyworthy Silver Stars Brenda Martin 01409 253015

Torquay Floorshakers Chris Jackson 05602 528565

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Bournemouth Jon's Line

Jon Williams 01202434202 or 07936945715

Bournemouth Hot Steppers Rosie Kantsas

01202 530900 Bournemouth **Dream Catchers** 

Norma Inglis & Doris Mullins 01202 257332

Bournemouth, Poole Country Rebels Brian Neale 07932456135 Ref:2419

Bournemouth Wallisdown

Alamo Line Dance Club Pauline Westcott 01202 531955

Bridnort Lyric School Of Dancing Teresa Grinter

01308 425828 Dorchester

A B C Steppin In Line Bob Francis 01305852026

Dorchester L & B Line Lyn 01300320559

Drimpton Route 66 Sue Marks

01460 65728

Ferndown Luv 2 LineDanz Club Ros King 01202 861690

Gillingham Southern Breeze

Paul or Lynn 01747 824642 Highcliffe

**Řebel Riders** Chris & Martyn Hocking 01425 673414

Parkstone, Poole **Bucking Broncos** Ron & Hazel 01202693389

Portland

CaroLiners Caroline Milverton 01305821596 Sherborne

> Sherborne Linedancers Norma Purnell 01935 817314

Tarrant Keyneston, Witchampton Chasing Lines Karen Hill 01258 840519

Weymouth Borderline Scuffers Paul & In 01305 773033

Weymouth Dixie Six Angie 07837 575978

**DURHAM** 

Bishop Auckland RAFA Helen Smith

07988595028 Ref-2659

Bishop Auckland Vip Linedance Vivien Tinker 07941812390

Darlington Texas Toetappers

Mary Latcham 01325263038 Durham

Ladies In Line Audri R 07913 352 077 Ref:2608

**ESSEX** 

Ardleigh, Lawford, Manningtree Debbie's Boot Scootin'

Dancers Debbie Millar 01206 230806

Basildon

Culpepper Country Club Cassey Rowe 01268285996

**Braintree** 

Crazy Chicks Linedancers Ann Gandy/Marion French 01376 322224/01376 326479

Chadwell Heath Rob's Raiders Line Dance Rob or Terri 02085950969 or 07776402237

Dagenham Ronabillies Mr R Boyton

07977753791 **Fastwood** Woody's Line Dance

Pat Wood 01268777171

Elm Park Rob's Raiders Line Dance Rob or Terri 02085950969 or 07776402237

**FIsenham** Studs & Stars

Dawn 07746753009 Gravs

> Dixieliners Dave/Ann 01375386679/ mob07803081902 Ref: 2674

Hainault

The Cowboy Way/Daylight Stompers Sally Macdonald

020 8500 0301 Harlow

Studs & Stars Dawn 07746753009

Leigh On Sea Lourdes Linedancing Teresa & Bernard 01268 281488

Maldon

Step In Line Lorna Dennis 07912 567032

Mistley Mistley Movers Lawrence Morrison 01255434000

Newport (Saffron Walden), Quendon Studs & Stars Dawn 07746753009

Rainham, Redbridge, Ilford, Romford, Gants Hill

Kelado Kickers Pat Gladman 01708 551629

Rayleigh Woody's Line Dance Pat Wood 01268777171

Rettendon Berntres Line Dancers Teresa & Bernard 01268 281488

Romford Hills n Toes

Hillary Kurt-Webster 01708 702468 - 07961 427527

Thundersley, Hadleigh, Leigh-on-Sea, Southendon-Sea, Basildon,

Texas Twisters Viv 07770848059

Tiptree, West Mersea Rob's Raiders Line Dance Rob Francis 07776 402237

Witham, Braintree Sureline Sundancers **Bob Hamilton** 0780 1223061

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Avening, Gloucester, Stroud

Sunset Stompers Steve Holmes 01453 731749

Avening, Cam, Dursley Sunset Stompers Maureen Wingate 01453 548680

Cheltenham, Gloucester Buckles 'n' Boots Andy & Kay Ashworth 01452 855481

Gloucester, Podsmead, Tuffley

Shootin' Stars Jackie Barber 01452 551322 Ref-2687

Painswick, Stroud, Whitminster Jolly Stompers Julie Cole 01453752480

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**MANCHESTER** 

Audenshaw

G & LI ine Dancers

01614946804

Bolton Alan B's Alan Birchall

01204 654503 Greater Manchester

Fiddle & Steel CMDC Pat Needham 0161 652 4361 Ref: 2695

Heywood

Ruckin' Horses I DC

Sarah Massey 01204401018 Ref:2534

Manchester Boots n Bows Marie

07903 376 429

Manchester, Hyde The Village Hyde Linedancers Anthony Rose 07593973879

Middleton, Manchester 5 Star Dance Ranch Sheila

07976 769157

Partington Cinclair's Nicola 07927722224

Ref:1083

Stockport NW Line Dance Club Adrian

07709910256 Ref:2183

Stockport Tricia's Tenderfoots Tricia Bentley

07956 661582 Swinton

Buckin' Horses LDC Sarah Massey 01204401018 Ref-2533

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Basingstoke Silver Wings Sue

01256 321972

Basingstoke, Buckskin, Alresford

**Booted Out LDC** Sue Hughes 01256 331046

Basingstoke, Old Basing Southern Cross Malcolm 01256 331951

Bedhampton, Portchester, Widley, Waterlooville

BJ's Line Dancing Bev 023 9236 1330

Eastliegh, Southampton Trickee Moves Clive 02380 782268

Fareham, Portsmouth Amigos Line Dance Club Mick Storey 01329 832024

Grayshott Fine Lines Hazel Morris 07730755203

Ref:2671

Havant, Petersfield. Rowlands Castle

Driftwood Corinne

023 92611257 New Milton

Rebel Riders Chris & Martyn Hocking 01425 673414

Southampton Copythorne Rita Turvey

02380865642 Southampton Oakliners

Debbie Lees 02380 471642 ■Ref-1424

Southampton, Portsmouth

The 2C's Chris or Christine 01489576729

Southampton, St Deny's Western Wranglers Wayne Dawkins

07973189062 Stubbington, Titchfield, F areham

Southern Steppers Ian Harris (01329) 288360

HEREFORDSHIRE

Hereford

Crazy Boots Alison Harrington 01981570486 Ref:1872

Watford, Ruislip, Kilburn, northchurch Wendy's Wildkatz

Wendy Knight 07913516974 Ref: 2006

HERTFORDSHIRE

Baldock Friends in Line Sue or Kath

01462 732589/634524 **Bishops Stortford** Studs & Stars

Dawn 07746753009

Hatfield Steppin' Time Margaret Hall

01707655866 Rickmansworth

G & B George 01923 778187

Royston Dance World (Countyline Dance Club) Sue Hutchison (01767) 654992

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Watford, Croxley Green Wave Liners Viv Bishop 079566755574

**ISLE OF WIGHT** 

Cowes

Western Shufflers Dave 01983290117

Isle of Wight Krazy Boots Katrina Kelly 01983 402754 Ref:2660

Isle of Wight Wight Lines And Vines Kim Dove 01983404456

Lake

Line Dance Legends Kerry Sims 01983568910

Newport Vectis C M C Dave Young 01983290117

KENT

Belvedere Scuffs 'n' Struts Karen and Barbara 01634 314881

Birchington, Monkton, Westgate

Line Rangers Theo Loyla 01843 833643

Borstal, Walderslade, Rainham, Strood, Hoo, Rochester, Maidstone, Pony Express

Linda Eatwell 01634 811895

Darenth

Lonestar Linedancing Val Plummer 01634 256279 Ref-2061

Dartford Len Goodmans

Sue Barratt or Maria Hennings Hunt 01322 222508 or 078 118

23467 ■Ref-1131

Deal, East Studdal, Dover

Two Left Feet Daphne 07889 369 507

Farningham, Sevenoaks, West Kingsdown Linda's Linedancing Linda Gee 01732 870116

Ref:2228 Folkestone, Hythe, Hawkinge Check Shirts

Julie 01303 274178 Gravesend

The Gravesend Stompers Nicci 07545060652

Gravesend **Country Roads** Pam

01424 221991 Herne Bay, Greenhill Denims & Diammonds Julie-ann Saver

07754999963 Hoo Lonestar Linedancing Val Plummer

01634 256279 ●Ref:2139 Orpington Chance2dance

Shirley 01689-890659 Ref-2607 Orpington, Petts Wood,

Hayes Calgary Stampede Line Dancers Julie Mott 01689 876940

Ref:1050 Rainham

Revival 2000 Sheena Mackie 01634 235091

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Rainham, Gillingham Texas Bluebonnets Trevor and Linda 01634 363482

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Sandwich The Super Troupers Lee

07960 433605

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Temple Ewell, Nr Dover Two Left Feet Daphne

07889 369 507 Tenterden

Deep South LDC Pam Murphy 01580 241389

Tunbridge Wells, Rusthall, Southborough, Sevennaks

Pink Cadillacs Gillie Pope 01323639738

#### LANCASHIRE

Aughton

Texas Rose Linedancing Pam Lea 0151 929 3742

Barnoldswick

EeeZee Linedance Deana Randle 07811 053586

Blackpool, Grimsargh, Bamber Bridge, Preston Liberty Belles

Dave Fife 01253 352591

Blackpool, St Annes, Cleveleys, Larkholme, Ormskirk

Fancy Feet Jean Webb 07984188972

Blackpool, Stalmine Julie's Step In Line Julie Hudson 01253 811719

Bolton

Glenys' Linedancing Glenys 07900566127

Bolton

Alan B's Alan Birchall 01204 654503

Bolton

Val & Pete's Val Simm 01204 655695

**Bolton** 

Buckin' Horses LDC Sarah

01204401018 Ref:2145

Bolton, Horwich Julie's LDC

Julie 01204 692265

Brierfield, Burnley, Colne Cactus Club Pam Hartley 01282 691313

Bury

Brandlesholme Bootscooters Sue Kav 01617978321

Chorley, Eccleston, Euxton

Gill's Linedancing Gill 07969656287

Fleetwood, Bispham, Cleveleys

Lancashire Rose Line Club Doreen Egan 07766 310260

Horwich, Bolton Elaine's Dancers Flaine

01204 694609 Ref:2524

Leigh and Walkden D's Dance Ranch

Dorothy 07775528397

Little Lever, Bolton A Touch Of Class Teresa Croasdale 01204 861242

Longridge Barbers Bandits John Barber 07974863141

Mellor, Blackburn Happy Feet Marjorie

01254 814121 Morecambe **Dancing Cowboys** 

George Smith 01524833427 Preston

Alan B's Alan Birchall 01204 654503 Preston

Western Express C & W Dance Club Dougie 01253 699009

Preston The Dance Studio Julie Carr 07776450866

Preston, Leyland, Bamber Bridge DanceFusion

Ann 01545 613974

Rochdale Milnrow Rebels

Garv 07985 789944

Skelmersdale Fancy Feet LDC

Chrissie Hodason 01704 879516

Wigan Janet's Line Dance Janet 01257 253462

**LEICESTERSHIRE** 

Leicester DanceXplosion Neville Fitzgerald 07971590260

LINCOLNSHIRE

Bourne, Stamford, Rippingdale Bourne To Line Dance Donna Andrew 01778 421932 OR 07718972329

Grantham **Busy Boots** 

01476 576823 Ref:1902

Grimsby KC Line Dancing Key And Chelle 01472 316504

Lincoln

Sioux/Cherry Reepers Susan Gaisford 01522 750441 SRef:1858

Marton

Marton Stompers Richard 01427 617205

Scunthorpe Redhourn Liners Richard 01427 617205

Skegness Kool Coasters Theresa & Byron 01754 763127

Skegness Richmond County Liners Raye & Barry 01754 820267

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Chiswick Karosel Country Kim Swan 07904351064

East London PB's Wild Horse Linedance Club

Barbara Lowe 07759695525

Eltham

Stepping Out Improvers Maria Hennings Hunt 078 118 23467 Ref:1128

Eltham, Mottingham Wichita Line Dancing Nita

020 8289 9009

Enfield Ultimate Moves Clint Childs 07521891009

Kilburn, Ruislip Wendy's Wildkatz Wendy 07913516974

■Ref-2194 London

Timezone Lesley 07968 036373

London, Kilburn, Cricklewood

LLove This Bar Stephen 07866011626

South Norwood JD's London

.Jenny 07808 621286

Stratford E15 LJ's American Line Dance Club

Lisa and Joe 01440 760821 Ref:2010

Walthamstow

Timezone Lesley

07968 036373 Wimbledon

Hotshots Linedance Club Janice Golding 020 8949 3612

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**Bootle** 

Boots 'n' Shooters Owen Williams 0151 286 3610 Ref:1279

Fazakerley Boots 'n' Shooters Owen Williams 0151 286 3610

Formby, Ince Blundell, Netherton, Thatto Heath Texas Rose Linedancing Pam Lea

0151 929 3742

Formby, Liverpool Wild Bills LDC Chrissie Hodgson 01704 879516

Liverpool Line Dance With Catherine Catherine Durr

07501349423 Liverpool, Maghull Cactus Jims

07904180136

Liverpool Maria's Nutters Maria

01512817497 Liverpool, Widnes Twilight Diamonds Colin Smith

07826 310779 Maghull Cactus Jims lim

07904180136 Southport

Shy Boots And Stompers Betty Drummond 01704 392 300

St Helens Best Of Friends Harold & Barbara 01042 510323

Ref:2355 St Helens Krazv Feet Jo Myers

01744 629336 Upton, West Kirby Rhythm In Line Jackie

0151 678 3275 Wallasey, Wirral Bronze Bootscooters Brenda or Bill 0151 630 3909

Walton, Fazakerley, Tuebrook Lynda's Stompers

Lynda or Ellen 01514750081 West Kirby, Wirral New Frontier

Steve 07984169939

**MIDDLESEX** 

Alperton, Wembley Prairie LDC

Geraldine 02089985484/ 07763505717 Ref:2664

Eastcote, Hillingdon, Pinner, Ruislip, S. Harrow

1st Steps Beginners/ Intermediates Stephanie 07958 643307

Edgware, Mill Hill, Burnt Oak

Dancinline Laurel Ingram 020 8958 4123/07932 662 646

Edmonton Creative Crew Denise Brownlow 07828104710

Harefield Starliners Sandy 07807748012 Hayes Charville Susan Wynne

01895 832351 Hounslow Strait Lines

Judy Baily 07958 455403 Northchurch Wendy's Wildkatz Wendy Knight

07913516974 Ref:1414

Northwood G&B George 01923 778187

Northwood Wave Liners Viv Rishon

07956675574 Southall, West Drayton, Forest Hill

Westliners Michele 07901741089

**NORFOLK** 

Bungay, Great Yarmouth Crazy Legs Paul 01493 669155

Downham Market R C Liners

07505 545216

Gorleston J T's Line Dance Club 07788 408801

Mulbarton, Wymondham, Long Stratton Tina Argyle

Tina 01508 578071 Norwich

Applejax I inda 01603 747037

©Ref:2670 Norwich The Wild Stallion

Mandy Andrews 07789 773634 **NORTHAMPTONSHIRE** 

Corby Trailblazers Amanda

07968 576976 Kettering Rocking Horse Rebels

Dianne Panter 01536 760129 Northampton The Villae Stompers

Mo Palmer 01604 754518 Ref:2677

**NORTHUMBERLAND** Berwick Upon Tweed, Powburn

Berwick & District Linedancers Barbara McEnaney 07877597216

Embleton Partners-in-Line Elizabeth Henderson 01665 576154 ■Ref-1594

Morpeth Arizona Linedance Club Dave Baycroft 07868424587

Seahouses Partners-in-Line Flizabeth Henderson 01665 576 154

**NOTTINGHAMSHIRE** 

Newark-on-Trent Colts 'n' Fillies

> Ann 07773681646

Nottingham Jetsets Line Dance Jane Middleton 0115 930 9445

Nottingham L Divas Linda 0115 9810301

■Ref-2396 Retford

Pauline's Line Dancing Pauline Brittan 07855 272358

Retford

Julie's Loose Boots Julie Dunn 07866138173

Worksop, Edwinstowe Pet Shop Girls P.A.L.S. June Yates 01623 835551

**OXFORDSHIRE** 

Banbury Banbury Boot Scooters Colin Clarke

01295 258916 Carterton Crazy 'D' Stompers Dianne Evans

01993 212566 **SHROPSHIRE** 

Bridgnorth Silver Star LDC Madeleine

01952 275112 Craven Arms, Ludlow Southern Cross Dave Bishop

01588672141 Edamond, Newport Jems & Pearls

Joyce Plaskett 01630 654069 Oswestry, Gobowen Crazy Boots

Sarah 07957405467 Oswestry, Shrewsbury dancerS AND RAvers Sandra Speck

01691 611839/ 07884180833

Telford

Telford Fidlin Feet Line Dance Club Kath Fidler

Feel The Beat Alan & Barb Heighway 01952 414284 Wem Whitchurch,

01952 256127

Preston Brockhurst Kick Some Country Stephen Rutter 0772 960 6781

Ref:2665 **SOMERSET** 

Bath

**CC Stompers** Maureen Conrov 01225316280

Burnham On Sea Burnham's Pride Sue Smith 01934 631671

Chard, Donvatt, **Buckland St Mary Country Spirit** Val 01460 65007

Clevedon Easy Strollers 01275 875235

Clevedon, Nailsea, Yatton S.M. Stompers Sandra Moloney

01934 835268 Keynsham Scuffs n' Stuff ludie

01761490178 Nether Stowey, Old Cleeve

Quantock Hillbillies Brenda McLeod 01278 741273

South Petherton Route 66 Sue Marks 01460 65728

**Taunton** Laredo Line Kathy Lucas 01278 661409

**Taunton** Denise's Dance Centre Denise Welch

01823 321142 Ref: 2673 Taunton

High Spirits (Wheelchair Line Dancers) Kath Miles 01458 447119 ■Ref-2040

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Cannock

Texas Dance Ranch Angie Stokes 015430673929

Cannock, Wimblebury XAquarians

Jane 07515 931389

Lichfield Loose Boots Tina Townsend 0121 352 1089

Lichfield Circle 'S' Sandra

01543 304005 Newcastle OK Linedancing Bernard & Sarah Williams

01782 631642 Stafford Stars And Stripes Elaine Tuncliffe

07837 238903 Stoke On Trent Triple K Linedancers

Karen Birks 07890838773 Stoke on Trent

Rosies Rebels Linda McCabe 01785615623

Stoke-on-Trent Hazel's Silverspurs

Hazel Pace 01538 360886

Tamworth Lucky Stars Max

01827 65079 or 07977060812 Ref-1689

Wimblebury, Cannock

XAquarians 07515 931389

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Bury St. Edmunds, Stowmarket, Melton, Wetherden, F M.I.B. (Men In Black) Kalvin & Pat 01449 612263

Gt Cornard JT Steppers Jean Tomkins 01787 377343 Ref:2371

Haverhill LJ's American Line Dance Club

01440760821 Ref-2336 Kessingland, Lowestoft

Crazy Legs Paul 01493 669155

Lowestoft East Coast Liners Norma 01502 562953

Newmarket AJ's Linedancing Alf or Jacqui 01638 560137

Newton Green, Sudbury JT Steppers

Jean Tomkins 01787 377343 Ref:2370

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Addington Village JD's London

Jenny 07808 621286

Camberley Viscount Linedancing Roy Collins 01628662275

Camberley Diamond Jo's 07917 714583

Caterham, Chaldon Line Dancezing

Nicky 01883 349485 Egham

Jay Dees Doris 01276 23218

Farnham, Fleet Rhythm n' Rock Sue Hawkes 01252 793055

Guildford Fine Lines Hazel Morris

07730755203 Hinchley Wood

Screaming Eagles Sylvia 0208 395 4045

Mitcham

Screaming Eagles Georgina Hefferman 0208 715 2268 ■Ref·1041

Mitcham, Morden, New Malden

Screaming Eagles Sylvia 0208 395 4045

Morden, Tolworth, Merton

Hotshots Linedance Club Janice Golding 020 8949 3612

Normandy, Guildford Normandy Stompers Judy Nicholson 01483 810034

Purley

Line Dancezing Nicky 01883 349485

Smallfield, Horley AC's Annie Harris 01293 820909

Surbiton Two Left Feet

Lauren

07952 047265 **Tolworth Surbiton** 

Sundowners LDC Peter Day 07885543886

West Byfleet New Boots Claire Roberts 01932 355736

Woking, Sheerwater Fine Lines Hazel Morris 07730755203

SUSSEX (EAST)

Battle, Bexhill, St Leonards, Three Oaks, Hastings

Tush 'n' Tequila John Sinclair 01424 213919

Bexhill on Sea Saks Linedance Experience Shirley Kerry 07595835480

Eastbourne Calamity Jayne's Jayne 07719 614988

Fastbourne Linedancing With Lynda Lynda 01323 727961

Eastbourne Rodeo Moon loan 07840904220

Eastbourne Line Dance With Sean Sean 07747 637215

Eastbourne Lone Star Liners Ros Burtenshaw 01323 504463

Forest Row AC's Annie Harris 01293 820909

Hailsham **RJ Liners** Rosemary Selmes 01323 844801

Hastings, St Leonardson-Sea Kickers Country Club

Lyn Hall 01424 447 537/0784 9920 131

Ref:1363 Lewes

Steps Dance Club Chester Funnell 01273475096

Newhaven, Seaford Studio In Line Territa and Donna

01323 873558 Ref:1945

Seaford, Newhaven New Retro Workshop 01323 895760

Ref:1890 Willingdon, Eastbourne Lone Star Liners Ros Burtenshaw 01323 504463

SUSSEX (WEST)

Birdham, Aldwick, Oving Country Folk Phil 01243 670173 Ref: 2686

Burgess Hill, Haywards Heath

Join The Line Corinne 01444 414697

Clymping, Arundel Dixie Belles Jenny Bembridge 01243585298

Horley Beavercreek Chris & Roy Bevis 01293 437501

Horsham Flying High Line Dancers 01403268268

Horsham Jill's Line Dancers Jill 01403 266625

LittleHampton Dixie Belles Jenny Bembridge

01243585298 Worthing Route 66 Mike Derrik

01903 502836

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Newcastle

Awesome Linedance Club Dave Baycroft 07868424587

Newcastle Arizona Linedance Club Dave Baycroft 07868424587

Newcastle Upon Tyne Feelgood Linedancers S Copeland 01912366075

Ref:2344

North Shields Jan's Jigglers Janet Law 0191 2582306

●Ref:2078 South Shields, Cleadon, Jarrow

Dance Moves Jean Leithead 0191 454 7698

Ref:2683 WARWICKSHIRE

Coventry

Country Fever/ Hot Tamales Pat Holliday 01676 534657

Nuneaton, Bulkington, Arley, Hartshill, Ansley Sam's Line Dancers Samantha Haywood 02476748755

WEST MIDLANDS

Aldridge J P Linedancing

Pat 0121 308 5192

Birmingham Citystompers LDC Graham Nuttall 07977979330

Birmingham Western Warriors Dance Club

Susan Davies 01216056987 Coventry

Country Fever / Hot Tamales Pat Holliday 07779419994

Dudley Louisiana's Lin 07901 656043 Great Barr, Sutton Coldfield

Martin's Rhythmic Cowboys Martin Blandford 07958 228338

Sutton Coldfield J P Linedancing

0121-308-5192

Willenhall.

Wolverhampton Walk This Way Maureen or Michelle 01902 789579

Wolverhampton, Coseley, Cannock

Triple M Dance Academy Maggie 07881 - 538780

WILTSHIRE

Mere

Southern Breeze Paul or Lvnn 01747 824642

WORCESTERSHIRE

Redditch Bootleggers Richard

07832 218448 YORKSHIRE (EAST)

Hull

Grrowler's (Willerby, Hull) John or Maureen Rowell 01723-364736

YORKSHIRE (NORTH)

Bedale / Richmond Sioux City LDC Hazel Wood 01748 821621

Harrogate Sioux Tribe Susan 07718 283143

Middlesbrough Sutton Centre James Himsworth

07853396854 Northallerton Laughter Lines Western Dance Andy and Jackie Fallows

01609 781266 Scarborough

The Wright Line Diana Lowery 01723 - 582246

Thirsk Laughter Lines Western Dance Andy and Jackie Fallows

01609 781266 York

Renes Revellers Rene & David Purdy 01904 470292

Ynrk

York

Heel Toe Linedancers Peter 07787361952

Grrowler's (York)

Maureen or John Rowell 01723 - 364736

YORKSHIRE (SOUTH) Doncaster

Marionettes Marion Tidmarsh 01302 890153

Ref:2684 Harworth, Bircotes

Ali-Dancers Alison Carrington 07745 395211

Sheffield Goin' Stompin' Margaret Ford

0114 247 1880 Sheffield

Arizona Shufflers Tracev Barrett 07875974394

Ref:1673

Sheffield Cityliners Glenys 01142750446

YORKSHIRE (WEST)

Bradford

Stompers LDC Raymond & Christine Darvill 01275 541528

Bradford, Guiseley, Leeds Rodeo Girl Line Dancing Donna 01274 427042 /

07972321166 Bradford, Leeds Texasrose Linedancing Margaret Swift 01274 581224

Bradford P & J Idle Stompers Phil Turpin

01274 770424 Bradford Jeanscene Wendy Craven 01274 616043

Ref:1816 Bradford, Halifax, Wibsey Spurs Line Dance Club Monica Broadbent 01274 594030

Bradford, Leeds Stetson Stompers Mick Greasby 01274741120

Cottingley, Keighley, Harecroft Aire Valley Stompers

Wendy Docherty 07917 390545 Denholme, Wilsden LineViners

07971 528175 Horbury Wakefield, Huddersfield Applejacks LDC

Pauline Bell 01924 478203 Huddersfield Veron's Stompers Veronica Harrison

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This is a big thank you to Linedancer magazine for my 2009 year of Line dancing venues around the country in my motor home. I would like to thank the following line dance teachers and classes for making me so welcome on my trips: Betty Drummond - Shy Boots & Stompers in Southport; Bob Hamilton - Sureline Sundancers in Essex; Nicci's Line Dance in Southam; Monica Broadbent - Spurs Line Dance Club in Bradford and Halifax; Janet Lesley in Halifax. I have also met Julie Hudson at Brean Country Music Festival in Somerset and we had a great time, Julie is a Line dance teacher in Blackpool and is a good friend of mine now, thanks to Line dancing. Over the past few years on my motor home trips I have joined many other classes, all sought through Linedancer magazine and I thank them too for making me so welcome, they are: Ami Walker - Black Velvet Dance in York; Liz Carr - Carr-o'-Liners in Ayr; Diana Lowery - The Wright Line in Scarborough; Margaret Hazelton - Somerset Stompers in Weston-Super-Mare; Corena - Silver Spurs in Newquay; Paul - Crazy Legs in Great Yarmouth. All these people that I have met are the best and have made me feel part of their classes even though I only attended once and on my own. Thanks a million to you all. You are very special and thanks Linedancer for giving me the contacts and thanks to my Line dance teachers Monica and Janet for teaching me all the amazing dances which allowed me to join in with Line dance classes all over the country. Here's to 2010 and my motor home Line dancing trail.

Anne Booth Bradford, West Yorkshire

#### Fab Weekend!

It was another successful weekend with Maggie Gallagher in Dawlish. Maggie taught us great dances like Sexy Chick and Love Love Love. Craig Bennett taught us his new dance Playing With Fire. DJ Big Dave kept all the dancers happy by playing all their requests until the early hours of the morning. Thanks for a great weekend.

Jill and Jan Walton-On-Thames, Surrey

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# Rhonda Towns

BA: Hi there. You are a very accomplished entertainer in all sorts of arenas but let's go back to the beginning. You are the daughter of a pastor so obviously this must have had some kind of influence bringing you into music?

RT: Well I grew up in the church. Actually, both my parents are ministers. And it has always been a part of my life. I used to sing in the choir and that branched out into the school choir and then into college. When you look at country music, it is very much intertwined with gospel. I just love country music... I really do.

#### BA: Who are some of your influences in country?

**RT:** I go back to some of the traditional singers. Like Patsy Cline, of course Reba McEntire, Loretta Lynn, just listen to her and that innocence in her voice, that sweetness. I don't try to sing like anybody else so when you hear me, you hear that authentic distinct voice of Rhonda Towns. And so, those are some of the women that have influenced me.

# BA: Great. So, now did your appearance on Star Search (popular US TV talent show) ultimately lead you to Nashville?

RT: Yes it did. My first producer was Norro Wilson and he produced four songs for me. "Slow Rain," was one of those songs. And I tell you, this song is timeless. It really is. We just did a remix on it and I'm so looking forward to really great things with this song.

BA: Well we're excited about "Slow Rain" too, and we're going to be talking more about that and its involvement with the dance community. Let's talk about your album.

RT: You know it's been out now going on three years. I actually released the first single off the album back in 2005. I pretty much started Dawn records which is my own independent label. It all started right from my house in Arizona and went just from there. We released "Something Better," and also a video and things have just progressed. Where there is a will there is a way. My mom always taught me that there is no such thing as can't and you know it gets hard sometimes.

BA: We've got a Line dance and we've got what's called a patterned partner dance on "Slow Rain" as well. So, we are really excited to get this music out into the dance community. Do you dance?

RT: I do dance but I'm a kinda goofy dancer...but I can dance though, I can dance.

BA: Are you trying to work towards a major record deal or just to tour as an independent artist? What is the ultimate goal for you?

RT: You know what... I want it all. Just like that song says Rhonda Towns, "I Want To Be Loved By You," my first release. I want to be a well rounded entertainer and stick to my values.

BA: What advice would you give to other aspiring female artists that are trying to break barriers and get involved in the music industry?

**RT:** Stay close to your faith because that is your strength and power. And just think about what you do. There are some sharks out there... there really are... but at the same time keep your family around you. And then listen to that sixth sense...that's the main thing.

BA: Well Rhonda, we appreciate so much you being here...and we are so excited working with you. We want everybody to be on the lookout for your album... remind us of the title?

RT: Rhonda Towns, "I Want To Be Loved By You."

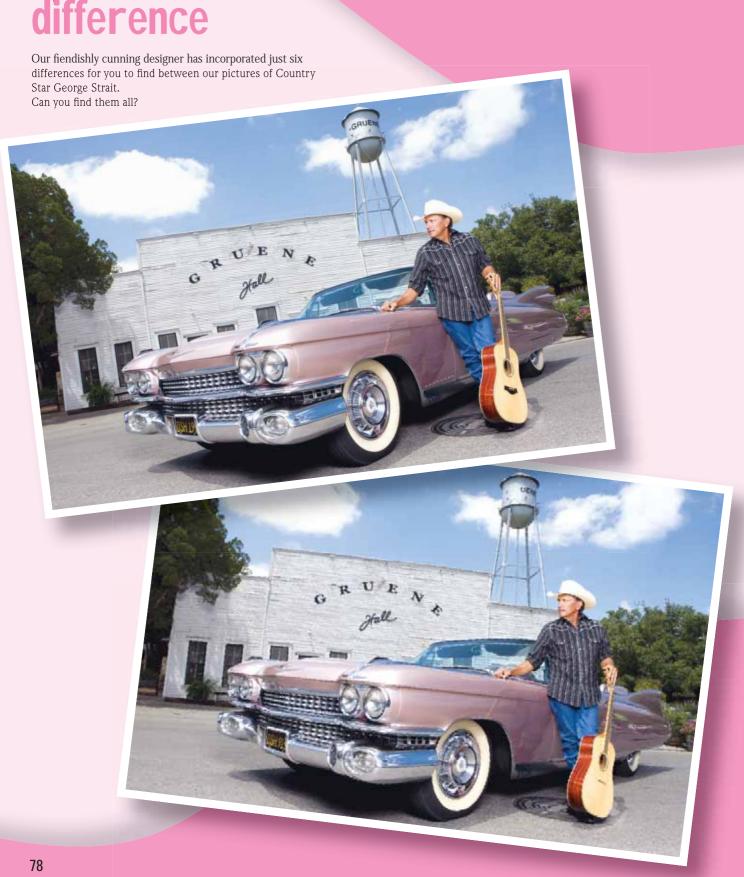
BA: Thanks so much for being here.

You can watch this interview in full in our NASHVILLE NOTES section on www.linedancermagazine.com



In another exclusive for Linedancer from Nashville, Barry Amato chats to the new sensational Country artist Rhonda Towns. A double Christmas treat for you.... Hope you will enjoy a break during your busy weeks and that those puzzles help you relax!





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#### **LINE TWO**

The songs I choose for the new album are nothing personal. I just like them. Mainly because they touched my heart and I hope they touch other people too.

#### LINE THREE

Dance has always been everything to me and in a way, it is thanks to dance that my own son found me again.

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#### Madcap People

One of the best things about our pioneering days was meeting some wonderful, colourful and madcap characters. People from all over the world in various cowboy get ups would arrive at our offices for interviews, photographs or just to say hello.

One such character was Hill Billy Rick from Australia. He arrived in short pants, huge boots, a yellow-leather jacket with long fringes all over it and a cowboy hat. He was such fun. The staff had never seen anything like him and were gobsmacked when he started dancing his latest routine in the middle of the office. This kind of sight soon became the norm and the newspaper staff would just smile and shrug.

#### CBA

One memorable day in the summer of 1996 we presented our first three awards without any fuss or ceremony to: The Dean Brothers (Band of the Year), Helen O'Malley (Dance of the Year for Black Coffee) and Rob Fowler (Instructor of the Year). As it happened Max Perry and Johnny Twostep were on tour and had popped into the office. They suggested that I should put on an event to present the awards. Max was keen that we made a show of it and talked about dance demonstrations as well as social dancing. I loved the idea and by the time they left, they had planted

the seed for the first Crystal Boot Awards. The following year we were at the Norbreck Castle with Kimber Clayton, The Dean Brothers, Scooter Lee, Dave Sheriff, many other dance celebrities and hundreds of dancers.

To be honest I never thought we would top this first line up and I would have laughed if anyone had told me that the CBA would become the icon event that it is today.

#### The Future

When I look back at those early times, I am amazed that the magazine has kept going so successfully for so long. Being honest I don't know what I really expected to happen when I launched it but I just felt there was a need for a focal point of reference, especially in all the confusion and mayhem that surrounded the rapid growth of the phenomenon at that time.

As for the future, I still don't know what to expect. I just know Line dance is here to stay and I truly hope that Linedancer will always be around as an inseparable part of it.

From our first little edition of 24 pages we have enjoyed a fantastic 14 year journey and are proud to offer our members far more than just a magazine and website. Today, thanks to your help we have built a

wonderful dance database, we share lots of information with dancers around the world including teaching surveys, top ten charts, video demonstrations as well as dance scripts and reviews. We also have a very active message board, a chat room, events calendar and a host of other interactive facilities based around the dance floor.

Every month we also publish a really beautiful multi-media electronic edition in both English and French and this year we created LMR our Line Dance Radio which plays your kind of music 24/7.

Another exciting new feature this year was the opening of our Linedancer music library. Thanks to the talents of Glenn Rogers and his team and his commitment to dance we are able to provide members with FREE legal downloads of all the top twenty dances as they come and go in the charts.

Also, I am pleased to say that our very own charity the LDF is beginning to gather momentum and will eventually be able to provide support for Line dance professionals in times of need.

On a footnote, and being a bit selfish, one of my personal favourite achievements over the years was actually helping to design a range of dance shoes. This has meant that I can stay on the floor for much longer without limping home like the little old lady that I am.





What a team

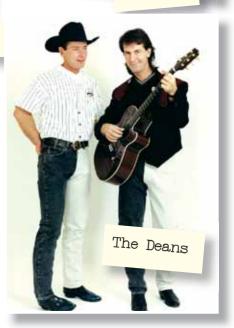
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And finally what about the workers! Being part of the Linedancer team is hard work and over the years many great people have made amazing contributions. That includes our agents, advertisers, sponsors and supporters as well as our contributors and in-house staff. Without their contribution.... well I shudder to think.

Yes, it's been a great ride for us all but the final word goes to you. Without you

none of this would be possible. Yes, we try to offer you excellent value for money and level of service that only comes from dedicated people who really care but if the truth be told, if you don't support us then all of this will disappear. We still need your memberships as much today as we did in the beginning and on behalf of everyone on the team I just want to say THANK YOU for supporting us and please keep on doing so and remember to spread the word.

> Love Betty



Kimber Clayton



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5th - 7th November

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Frankie Cull & D.J. Mark Caley

Price £155 Per Person

Deposit £20 Per Person

Single Supplement £20 Per Person

Accommodation is on a Half-Board Basis and the Price includes a Gala Dinner on the Saturday Evening and a Hot Buffet Lunch before your Departure on the Sunday.



The Warwick Hotel - Blackpool

16th - 18th July
Dynamite Dot & D.J. Geoff Langford
20th - 22nd August
Charlotte Macari & D.J. Geoff Langford
19th - 21st November
Turkey & Tinsel
Dynamite Dot & D.J. Geoff Langford

Price £ 129 Per Person

Deposit £ 20 Per Person NO Single Supplement

This is a 2\* Hotel situated on the South Shore Promenade and has a Total Capacity of 80 people.

Accommodation is on a Full-Board Basis with a Light Lunch on the Saturday and a 2 Course Sunday

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- b) Night
- c) Evening

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3 days/2 nights Royal Hotel, South Bay - Dancing in ballroom Artiste — Billy "Bubba" King (Saturday) Dance Instruction and Disco: Cathy "Mad Cat" Hodgson

Starts: Fri 8 Jan Finishes: Sun 10 Jan 2010 SELF DRIVE

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£10 off

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3 days/2 nights Celtic Royal Hotel Artiste — Gemmani (Saturday) Dance Instruction and Disco: Chrissie Hodgson

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3 days/2 nights Royal Hotel, South Cliff - Dancing in Cavalier Suite

Dance Instruction and Disco: Steve Mason

Starts: Friday 29 January Finishes: Sunday 31 January 2010

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3 days/2 nights Crown & Mitre Hotel Dance Instruction and Disco: Willie Brown

£10 off Starts: Friday 29 January Finishes: Sunday 31 January 2010 SELF DRIVE

#### now £89 **Caernarfon Valentine Classic**

3 days/2 nights Celtic Royal Hotel Artiste — Johnny Holland (Saturday)

Dance Instruction and Disco: Dave Fife Starts: Friday 12 February Finishes: Sunday 14 February 2010 SFLF DRIVE

#### now £99 **Cumbrian Valentine Carnival**

3 days/2 nights Cumbria Grand Hotel, Grange-over-Sands Artistes — Chrissy Byrne (Saturday) Dance Instruction and Disco: Daniel Whittaker

Starts: Friday 12 February Finishes: Sunday 14 February 2010 SELF DRIVE Single room supplement £20

#### Harrogate Highlight

3 days/2 nights Cairn Hotel Artistes — Bobby D Sawyer (Friday) Brushwood (Saturday) Dance Instruction and Disco: Cathy "Mad Cat" Hodgson

Starts: Fri 19 Feb Finishes: Sun 21 Feb 2010 SELF DRIVE Single room supplement £20

#### **Caernarfon Classic**

3 days/2 nights Celtic Royal Hotel Artiste —No Regrets(Saturday)

Dance Instruction and Disco: Sandra Speck Starts: Friday 26 February Finishes: Sunday 28 February 2010

#### Morecambe Magic

3 days/2 nights Headway Hotel, East Promenade Artiste — Paul Martin(Saturday)

Dance Instruction and Disco: Paul Murphy (Jnr) Starts: Friday 26 February Finishes: Sunday 28 February 2010 SELF DRIVE

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3 days/2 nights Cairn Hotel

Artistes — Jacki Hudson (Friday) J P Taylor and M T Allan (Saturday)

Dance Instruction and Disco: Yvonne Anderson Starts: Fri 5 Mar Finishes: Sun 7 Mar 2010 SELF DRIVE Single room supplement £20

#### **Trossachs Treat**

3 days/2 nights Rob Roy Motel, Aberfoyle, Central Scotland Artistes - Dave Inglis (Saturday)

Dance Instruction and Disco: Robert Lindsay Starts: Friday 26 March Finishes: Sunday 28 March 2010 SELF DRIVE £99 BY COACH £139

#### Bannockburn Easter Breakawaynow £95

3 days/2 nights King Robert Hotel £10 off Artistes — Johnny Holland (Sunday) Dance Instruction and Disco: Robert Lindsay

Starts: Saturday 3 April Finishes: Monday 5 April 2010 SELF DRIVE

#### Southport Easter Sensation now from £129

3 days/2 nights Prince of Wales Hotel, Lord Street Artistes — Paul Taylor (Saturday) Diamond Jack (Sunday) Dance Instruction and Disco: Rob Fowler

Starts: Sat 3 April Finishes: Mon 5 April 2010 SELF DRIVE £129 BY COACH £169

#### THE 10th BIRTHDAY PARTY BOURNEMOUTH BONANZA £119

3 days/2 nights at the Carrington House Hotel Artistes - Friday: Tim McKay Saturday: Broadcaster Dance instruction and disco - Rob Fowler Starts Friday 5 Feb: Finishes Sunday 7 Feb 2010

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Artistes - Fri: Paul Bailey. Sat: Magill Dance instruction and disco - Yvonne Anderson Starts Friday 19 February: Finishes Sunday 21 February 2010 By Coach £115 No Single Room Supplement Self Drive £85

#### THE 10th BIRTHDAY PARTY from £99 EXTRAVAGANZA

Artistes - Friday: Hayden Allen and Diamond Jack Saturday: Four Card Trick and Whisky River Dance instruction and disco - Tina Argyle & Honky Tonk Cliff Starts Friday 12 Mar: Finishes Sunday 14 Mar 2010 Self Drive £99 By Coach £129 £10 Single Room Supp.

#### THE ESCAPADE

from £95

Artistes - Fri: Plain Loco. Sat: Calico. Dance instruction and disco - Pete Metelnick and Alison Biggs Starts Friday 16 April: Finishes Sunday 18 April 2010 Self Drive £95 By Coach £125 No Single Room Supplement

#### THE MAYHEM

from £89

Artistes - Fri: Bobby D Sawyer. Sat: Blue Rodeo Dance instruction and disco - Kate Sala Starts Friday 14 May: Finishes Sunday 16 May 2010 Self Drive £89 By Coach £119 No Single Room Supplement

#### **ILLUMINATIONS** BLOCKBUSTER

Dance Instruction and Disco: Yvonne Anderson

Artistes: Thrillbillies (Friday): Magill (Saturday) Starts: Friday 29 Oct Finishes: Sunday 31 Oct 2010 SELF DRIVE: £125 BY COACH: £155 £10 Single Room Supplement

#### THE PARTY

from £109

from £125

Artistes - Fri: Tim McKay and Diamond Jack. Sat: Muddy Boots and Paul Bailey Dance instruction and disco - Steve Mason

4 ARTISTES

Starts Friday 19 Nov: Finishes Sunday 21 Nov 2010 Self Drive £109 By Coach £139

#### £10 Single Room Supplement

THE CRACKER

from **£109** 

Artistes - Fri: Brushwood Sat: Maaill.

Dance instruction and disco - Rob Fowler and Alan Birchall Starts Friday 26 November: Finishes Sunday 28 November 2010 Self Drive £109 By Coach £139

£10 Single Room Supplement

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