HALF A HEART

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Record: Half A Heart by Marty Stuart, MCA Records MCAS7-54065 B (1991)
(Flip side: Til I Found You)

Phase & Rhythm: Two Step, Phase II + 2 (Fishtail, Side Corte)
Sequence: Intro,A,B,A,B,A,Ending
Note: Part A in Varsouvienne position with same foot lead; Part B opposite foot lead

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INTRODUCTION

Measures
1-4
wait 2 meas (Bfly-wall); twirl 2; transition to Vars - both with L foot lead;
(Bfly-wall) wait 2 meas; fwd, -, fwd, - (fwd turn, -, bk turn, -);
(transition – man walks 2 while lady runs 3) fwd, -, fwd, - (fwd, fwd, fwd, -)
to Varsouviennne position with same foot lead;

PART A

1-4
(Vars) 2 fwd two steps; 2 turning two steps;
(Vars-LOD, both with a L foot lead) fwd, cl, fwd, -; fwd, cl, fwd, -;
sd, cl, sd/turn, -; sd, cl, sd/turn, -;

5-8
(shadow traveling doors) rk sd, rec; cross, sd, cross; rk sd, rec; cross, sd, cross;
(Vars-LOD, both with L foot lead) rk sd L, -, rec, -; xif, sd, xif, - (progressing DLW);
rk sd R, -, rec, -; xif, sd, xif, - (progressing DLC);

9-10
fwd, lk, fwd, -; fwd, lk, fwd, -;
(L shoulder lead) fwd L, lk, fwd, -; (R shoulder lead) fwd R, lk, fwd, -;

11-14
(open fishtail) cross, sd, fwd, lk; walk & check; cross, sd, fwd, lk; walk 2;
(R shoulder lead) xib, sd, (L shoulder lead) fwd, lk; fwd, -, fwd, -;
(R shoulder lead) xib, sd, (L shoulder lead) fwd, lk; fwd, -, fwd, -;

15-16
fwd hitch; bk hitch / transition to SCP;
fwd, cl, bk, -; bk, cl, fwd, - (woman rk bk on R, -, rec fwd on L, -);
PART B

1-4 (SCP) 2 fwd two steps;; 2 turning two steps (CP-LOD);
(SCP, opposite footwork) fwd, cl, fwd, -; fwd, cl, fwd, -;
sd, cl, sd/turn, -; sd, cl, sd/turn, - (CP-LOD);

5-8 rk sd, rec SCar; 2-step out; rk sd, rec Bjo; 2-step in (checking);
rk sd, -, rec to Scar, -; xif, sd, xif, - (progressing DLW);
rk sd, -, rec to Bjo, -; xif, sd, xif, - (progressing DLC, ending in Bjo, R shoulder lead);

9-12 fishtail; walk & check; fishtail; walk & fc;
xib, sd, fwd, lk; fwd, -, fwd, - (bk, -, bk, -);
xib, sd, fwd, lk; fwd, -, fc, - (bk, -, bk/fc, -) to SCP;

13-16 walk & manuv; pivot 2; twirl 2; transition to Vars;
fwd, -, fwd turn, - (CP-RLOD); bk turn, -, fwd, - (to Bfly);
same as measure 3 & 4 of Intro;;

ENDING

1-4 (SCP) 2 fwd twos;; twirl 2 to fc; sd corte;
fwd, cl, fwd, -; fwd, cl, fwd, -;
fwd, -, fwd, - (fwd turn, -, bk turn, -) to fc;
sd corte, - (look to RSCP);