I WANT A HIPPOPOTAMUS FOR CHRISTMAS

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CD: Dr. Demento Presents: Greatest Christmas Novelty CD B00000348G
Track 5: I Want a Hippopotamus for Christmas – Gayla Peevey
Footwork: Opposite unless noted
Rhythm/Level: Two-Step Phase II Standard CD Speed
Sequence: INTRO A A B A INT C C B A ENDING

INTRO

{OP FCG} WAIT 2 MEAS ;; APRT PT ; BFLY TCH ; ROLL 2 & SD TWO-STEP;; {BFLY WALL}
1-6  OP FCG M fcg WALL wait 2 meas;; Aprt L , pt R twd ptr ,, Tog R , tch L to BFLY WALL ,, [ROLL 2 & SD TWO-STEP] Roll LF L, R to fc ptr in BFLY (W roll RF R,-, L),; Sd L, cls R ,sd L to end in BFLY Wall ,;
{BFLY WALL} REV ROLL 2 & SD TWO-STEP TO SEMI;; {SCP LOD}
7-8  Roll RF R,-, L to fc ptr in BFLY(W roll LF L,-, R),; Sd R, cls L ,sd R to end SCP LOD ,;

PART A

{SEMI LOD} 2 FWD TWO-STEP; ;; 2 TRNG TWO-STEP; ;; 2 FWD TWO-STEP; ;; 2 TRNG TWO-STEP;
1-8  [2 FWD 2 STEPS] SCP LOD fwd L, cls R , fwd L ,-; Fwd R , cls L , fwd R blending to CP ,;
[2 TRNG 2 STEPS] Sd L trng RF , cl R trng RF , bk L ,; Sd R trng RF , cl L trng RF , bk R to SCP LOD ,;
{BFLY WALL} FC TO FC ; BK TO BK ; FC TO FC ; BK TO BK ; VN APRT 2 & SD 2 STEP ; {OP LOD 6 FT APRT}
9-14  [FC TO FC] Sd L, cls R, sd L trn 1/2 LF (W RF) to bk to bk pos,-; [BK TO BK] Sd R, cls L, sd R trn 1/2 RF (W LF) to BFLY WALL ,; [FC TO FC] repeat action of part A meas 9; [BK TO BK] repeat action of part A meas 10 to end in OP LOD; [VN APRT 2 & SD 2 STEP] In OP LOD Sd L twd COH,-, XRIIb; Sd L, cls R , sd L ,-;
{OP LOD 6 FT APRT} VN TOG 2 & a SD 2 STEP ; {SCP LOD}
15-16  Sd R twd wall ,-, XLJb; Sd R, cls L , sd R to SCP LOD ,-

PART B

1-8  LACE ACROSS 2 & 2 STEP ;; LACE ACROSS 2 & 2 STEP ;; CIR AWAY 2-TWO STEPS ;; STRUT TOG IN 4 ;;
[LANE ACROSS 2 & 2 STEP] Fwd L,-, fwd R (W L to CP) ,;
Fwd L , cl R , fwd L ,-; [LACE ACROSS 2 & 2 STEP] Fwd R,-, fwd L (W fnd M & W to CONV) ,;
Fwd R , cl L , fwd R ,-;
[CIR AWAY 2-TWO STEPS] Release ptr and circle away LW (W RF) fnd L , cl R , fnd R ; Fwd R , cl L , fnd R end fcg ROD ,;
[STRUT TOG IN 4] Fcg ROD both cont to circle LW (W RF) twd ptr strutting action fnd L ,-; R ,;- L ,;- R ,;

PART C

{BFLY} VN 3 & TCH ;; VN WRAP 3 & TCH ;; UNWRAP 3 & TCH ;; CHNG SIDES ;; {BFLY}
1-8  In BFLY SLOW sd L LOD,-, XRIIb; sd L,-, tch R,-; [VN WRAP 3 & TCH] Sd R ROD,-, XRIIb; sd R trn LF to fc LOD,-, tch L (W wrap trng LF L,-, R; L trn RF to fc LOD tch R),; keep hnds jnd M's L & W's R hnds over W's head & M's R & W's L hnds jnd at waist level ,; [UNWRAP 3 & TCH] Release M's L & W's R hnds sip L,-, R ,; L,-, tch R unfr w arms length to end fcg LOD (W unfr rpm RF R,-, L ,; R,-, tch L to end fcg COH),;-
[CHNG SD'S] Under M's R & W's L jnd hnds roll RF R,-, L ,; R,-, tch L to end in BFLY COH,-;
Note: 2nd time thru PART C MEAS 1-8 end in BFLY WALL
{BFLY} FC TO FC ; BK TO BK ; FC TO FC ; BK TO BK ; CIR AWAY 2-TWO STEPS ;; STRUT TOG IN 4 ;;
9-16  [FC TO FC] repeat action of Part A meas 9; [BK TO BK] repeat action of Part A meas 10;
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INTERLUDE

{SEMI LOD} 2 FWD TWO-STEP; ;; CIR 4 ;; {BFLY WALL}
1-4  Repeat action of part A meas 1 & 2;; [CIR 4] Release ptr and circle away in small circle L,-, R,-; L,-, R to end fcg ptr in BFLY wall ,;

ENDING

{SEMI LOD} 2 FWD TWO-STEP TO BFLY ;; VN 2 & SD 2 STEP ;; REV VN 2 & SD CLS PT ;; {BFLY WALL}
1-6  Repeat action of part A meas 1 & 2 to end in BFLY wall;; [VN2 & SD 2 STEP] In BFLY wall Sd L,-, XRIIb; Sd L, cls R , sd L ,;