

# IT HAD TO BE YOU

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**MUSIC:** It Had To Be You, by Kenny Rogers, Album: Love Songs; as download available from www.Walmart.com  
**RHYTHM:** Foxtrot                              **TIME @ beats per minute** 2.41@ 112  
**PHASE (+):** IV + 1 (fwd tipple chasse)  
**FOOTWORK:** Opposite unless indicated (W's footwork in parentheses)  
**SEQUENCE:** INTRO, A, A (1-15), B, A (1-8), END

[NOTE: in this dance BJO position is a type of closed position (contra Bjo) and uses a shoulder lead]

## MEAS.

## INTRODUCTION

1-4                    **WRAPPED POS/FCG LOD – WAIT; W ROLL OUT TO A LUNGE LINE;**  
**W ROLLING PU TO CP; DIP BK, REC;**  
1 wrapped pos fcg LOD ld ft free & both looking at ptr – wait;  
SS (QQS) 2 M hold, -, step sd L to lunge line, (W roll out RF 1 full roll R, L, sd R to a lunge line,-) -;  
SS (QQS) 3 rec R, -, draw LF to R, (W roll LF [1/2 turn] L, R, L,- to CP/LOD) -;  
4 in CP/LOD dip bk L, -, rec R, -;

## PART A

1-8                    **TRN L & R CHASSE; QK FEATHER FINISH; QK WEAVE 4; CHASSE END ~ FWD TIPPLE CHASSE ~ QK BK/LK, BK;; OPEN IMP; PROM WEAVE;;**  
1 fwd L, -, trng LF sd R/cl L, sd R to BJO/DRC;  
2 [all quick steps for the next figures are danced on the ball of the foot] bk L, blending to momentary CP & trng LF bk R, sd & fwd L DLW, fwd R BJO/DLW;  
3 [these are the 1st 4 **quick** steps from a weave] cont trng LF fwd L, sd & bk R, bk L, bk R CP/RLOD;  
4, 5 [chasse end] cont trng LF sd L/cl R, sd L to CP/DLW,  
[fwd tipple chasse] [heel lead] fwd R trng RF, -; cont RF trn sd L/cl R, sd L to CP/RLOD,  
[qk bk locks] blending to BJO bk R/lk LiF, bk R to BJO/DRC;  
6 bk L commence RF trn, -, cl R to L cont RF trn on L heel transferring wgt to R, cont trn RF sd & fwd L to SCP/DLC (W fwd R,-, sd & fwd L trn RF brush R to L, trn RF sd & fwd R to SCP);  
7-8 thru R DLC, -, fwd L DLC trng LF (W sd & slightly bk R blending to CP), sd & bk R BJO/LOD; bk L LOD, bk R cont LF trn blending to CP, sd & fwd L, fwd R to BJO/DLW;

9-12                  **3-STEP; 1/2 NAT'L; CLOSED IMP; FEATHER FINISH;**  
9 fwd L blending to CP, -, fwd R, fwd L to CP/DLW;  
10 fwd R commence RF trn, -, sd L across LOD (W cl R to L for heel trn), bk R to CP/RLOD;  
11 bk L commence RF trn, -, cl R to L cont RF trn on L heel transferring wgt to R, cont trn RF sd & bk L CP/DLW (W fwd R,-, sd & fwd L trn RF brush R to L, trn RF sd & fwd R to CP);  
12 bk R trng LF, -, sd & fwd L, fwd R BJO/DLC;

- 13-16      **REV TURN;; HOVER [2<sup>nd</sup> time hover to SCP/LOD]; FEATHER DLC;**  
 13, 14     fwd L commence LF trn, -, sd R cont trn (W cl L to R for heel trn), bk L to CP/RLOD;  
              bk R cont LF trn, -, sd & fwd L DLW, fwd R to BJO/DLW;  
 15          fwd L to CP/DLW, -, fwd & sd R rising to ball of ft, rec fwd L to SCP/DLC [2nd time end  
              SCP/LOD];  
 16          thru R, -, sd & fwd L, fwd R BJO/DLC (W thru L trn LF twd ptr, -, sd & bk R, bk L);

**PART A (1-15)**

- 1-15        **FWD & R CHASSE; QK FEATHER FINISH; QK WEAVE 4; CHASSE END ~**  
**FWD TIPPLE CHASSE ~ QK BK/LK, BK;; OPEN IMP; PROM WEAVE;;**  
**3-STEP; 1/2 NAT'L; CLOSED IMP; FEATHER FINISH; REV TURN;;**  
**HOVER to SCP/LOD;**

repeat PART A, **measures 1-15**, except end the hover in SCP/LOD

**PART B**

- 1-4        **THRU, SD, BEHIND [no hnds]; ROLL 3; THRU VINE 4; OPEN NAT'L;**  
 1          thru R, -, sd L, XRB [both XiB] to end fcg ptr no hnds jnd;  
 2          roll LF down LOD L, -, R, L to end fcg ptr no hnds jnd;  
 3          thru R, sd L, XRB [both XiB], sd L;  
 4          blending to CP but with ld hnds low & looking at ptr thru R commence RF trn, -, sd L  
              across LOD (W fwd R), bk R to BJO/RLOD;
- 5-8        **IN & OUT RUNS;; QK TWISTY VINE 4; QK DBL OUTSIDE SWIVEL;**  
 5, 6       keeping ld hnds low & looking at ptr bk L commence RF trn, -, sd & fwd R cont trn, fwd L  
              (W fwd R commence RF trn, -, fwd & sd L cont trn, fwd R); cont RF trn fwd R, -, sd & bk  
              L, bk R (W fwd L, -, fwd R, fwd L) to BJO/RLOD;  
 7          keeping ld hnds low & looking at ptr bk L, sd R, thru L, sd R;  
 8          blending to BJO/RLOD [normal dance hold] bk L, let R ft slide slightly bk, fwd R, let L ft  
              slide slightly fwd (W fwd R swivel RF, -, fwd L swivel LF, -) to BJO/RLOD;
- 9-11        **BK, BK/LK, BK; OPEN IMP; FEATHER DLC;**  
 9          bk L, -, bk R/lk LiF, bk R;  
 10         bk L trng RF, -, cl R to L cont RF trn on L heel transferring wgt to R, cont RF trn sd & fwd  
              L to SCP/DLC (W fwd R, -, sd & fwd L trn RF brush R to L, trn RF sd & fwd R to SCP);  
 11         thru R, -, sd & fwd L, fwd R BJO/ DLC (W thru L trn LF twd ptr, -, sd & bk R, bk L);

- 12-15      **REV WAVE;; BK FEATHER; FEATHER FINISH DLW;**  
 12, 13     fwd L, -, commence slight LF trn sd R (W cl L to R for heel trn), bk L; curving slightly LF  
               bk R (W heel lead), -, bk L (W heel lead), bk R to CP/RLOD;  
 14           bk L, -, bk R to BJO, bk L;  
 15           bk R trng LF, -, sd & fwd L, fwd R BJO/DLW;

**PART A (1-8)**

- 1-8           **FWD & R CHASSE; QK FEATHER FINISH; QK WEAVE 4; CHASSE END ~**  
**FWD TIPPLE CHASSE ~ QK BK/LK, BK;; OPEN IMP; PROM WEAVE;;**

repeat PART A, measures 1-8

**END**

- 1-4           **SLOW FWD & R LUNGE; ROCK 3 & SLIP;; TRN L & R CHASSE;**  
**OPEN IMP (LOD);**  
 [Note: Music slows down for measures 1-4. Footwork will approximately match the words as described. Measures are also written here but only to be able to describe the figures and timing]  
 SS      1     on the word "*else*" fwd L, -, lunge sd & fwd R, -;  
 QQSS    2 1/2    [1 1/2 measures worth of figures] on the word "*thrill*" rk L, R, L, -; slip bk R, -,  
 SQ&Q    3     on the word "*thoughts*" fwd L, -, trng LF sd R/cl L, sd R to BJO/RLOD;  
 SQQ      4     on the word "*still*" bk L commence RF trn, -, cl R to L cont RF trn on L heel transferring wgt to R, cont trn RF sd & fwd L to SCP/LOD (W fwd R, -, sd & fwd L trn RF brush R to L, trn RF sd & fwd R to SCP);
- 5-8           **THRU, SD, XiB [no hnds]; ROLL 3; THRU VINE 8/SNAPS;; (BFLY)**  
 5            thru R, -, sd L, XRIb [both XiB] to end fcg ptr no hnds jnd;  
 6,           roll LF down LOD L, -, R, L to end fcg ptr no hnds jnd;  
 7, 8          both snapping fingers on the side steps XRIF [both XIF], sd L, XRIb [both XiB], sd L;  
               XRIF [both XIF], sd L, XRIb [both XiB], sd L BFLY/WALL;
- 9, 10          **THRU, LUNGE SIDE; REC & WRAP;**  
 9            thru R, -, lunge side with L, -;  
 QQS      10    rec R to fc WALL, cl L [wrap W in], pt R sd to RLOD [both look at ptr], - (W rec L trng LF to fc WALL in wrapped pos, cl R, pt L LOD, -);