



Memphis

Caller Mel Wilkerson

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OPENER – Circle left

Long distance information give me Memphis, Tennessee

Help me find the party - tried to get in touch with me

allemande left your corner turn partner right hand round you all

Back to the corner allemande left and weave around that hall

She could not leave a number but I know who placed the call

Dosado this girl around and promenade the hall (*'Cause my uncle took a message and he wrote it on the wall*)

Help me information get in touch with my Marie

She's the only one who'd call me here, from Memphis, Tennessee

BREAK

Four ladies promenade once around the ring

Get back home and give your man a swing

Join hands circle, to the left go walking round

Allemande left the corner girl and weave around the town

Help me information get in touch with my Marie

Dosado your lady there and promenade for me

Her home is on the south side, high up on the ridge

Just a half-a-mile from the Mississippi bridge

CLOSE – Circle Left

Marie is only six years old, information please

Try to put me through to her in Memphis, Tennessee

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But we were pulled apart -her Mom and I had disagreed

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Basic

Heads Square Thru 4

Dosado

Swing Thru

Boys Cross Run,

Girls Trade

Left Swing Thru

Boys Cross Run,

Girls Trade

Boys Run Right

Promenade

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Plus

Heads Square Thru

Swing Thru

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Girls Trade

Boys Fold

Peel the Top (*boys cast – girls move up*)

Pass Thru

Chase Right (*girl chase boy*)

Swing Corner and Promenade Swing Corner and Promenade

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Mainstream

Heads Square Thru 4

Dosado

Swing Thru

Boys Run

Tag the Line

Face Left

Girls Run Left

Chain Down the Line

Girls left fold (*or half rollaway*)

Swing Corner and Promenade

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A1 (*workshop this coordinate*)

Heads Promenade 1/2

Sides Right and Left Thru and Back Away

Heads Star Thru & Spread,

Touch a Quarter

Coordinate

Centers Single Hinge

Six-Two Acey Deucey

Flip the Diamond

Explode the Wave

Partner Tag

Swing & Promenade

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Alternate open and close

Grand Square

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Last time I saw Marie she was wavin' me goodbye
With "hurry home" drops on her cheek that trickled from her eye
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And tore apart our happy home in Memphis, Tennessee
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Help me information, more than that I cannot add
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Lyrics

Memphis, Tennessee (1959)

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