



Caller : Mel Wilkerson

# Caribbean

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OPENER - MIDDLE BREAK - CLOSER

<p><b>SIDES FACE GRAND SQUARE</b>          Have you ever been down to Haiti when          the summer sun was sinkin' low          There's nothing but romance just          everywhere you glance          And the native hearts are all aglow  <b>Allemande left and weave</b> the ring          But when the Cuban Queen          comes upon the scene          You <b>swing that girl</b>  <b>and promenade</b> go home          When you realize          what's before your eyes          The other girls are left all alone</p>	<p><b>SSD WEEK 2</b>  <b>Four ladies chain</b>  <b>go straight across the ring</b>  <b>Rollaway and circle left</b>  <b>Four ladies rollaway,</b>  <b>you circle left that way</b>  <b>Left allemande, weave the ring</b>          Down in the Caribbean,          it's not a dream you're seein'  <b>Dosado, promenade</b>          And from miles away          you can see her sway          To the beat of the Cuban Conga line</p>	<p><b>SIDES FACE GRAND SQUARE</b>          He doesn't understand          that it's a lady's hand          That makes a heart feel so sublime          But before too long          he starts singing the song          And then he gets in the Conga line  <b>Allemande left and weave the ring</b>          Down in the Caribbean,          it's not a dream you're seein'  <b>Dosado, promenade</b>          And from miles away          you can see her sway          To the beat of the Cuban Conga line</p>
<p><b>SSD 2</b>          Heads Pass thru and          Reverse wheel around          Sides star thru          Centers pass thru          Make a right hand star          Sides Star left          Back to corner Dosado          Pass thru          u-turn back          swing corner and promenade          He doesn't understand          that it's a lady's hand          That makes his heart feel so sublime</p>	<p><b>BASIC OR SSD10</b>          Heads Lead Right,          Right and Left Thru,          Veer Left,          Girls Trade,          Boys Run Right,          All 8 Circulate,          Boys Run,          Ferris Wheel,          Centers Right and Left Thru,          Centers Pass Thru,          Allemande Left,          Swing Corner and Promenade          He doesn't understand          that it's a lady's hand          That makes his heart feel so sublime</p>	<p><b>MAINSTREAM</b>          Heads Lead Right, Veer Left,          Boys Run Right,          Boys Trade,          Swing Thru,          Recycle, Veer Left,          Bend The Line,          Right &amp; Left Thru,          Touch 1/4,          Circulate, Face Right,          Slide Thru,          Right Pull By,          Allemande Left,          Promenade Home          He doesn't understand t          hat it's a lady's hand          That makes his heart feel so sublime</p>
<p><b>PLUS</b>          Heads Lead Right,          Pass the Ocean,          Grand Swing Thru,          Very Centers Girls Trade,          Girls Fold,          Peel the Top,          Recycle,          Pass Thru,          Trade By,          Swing Thru,          Acey Deucey,          Girls turn back, take her promenade          He doesn't understand          that it's a lady's hand          That makes his heart feel so sublime</p>	<p><b>A1</b>          Heads Wheel Thru,          Everybody Wheel Thru and Roll, Transfer          the Column,          Just the Centers Scoot Back,          While the Ends Zoom,          Split Circulate once,          Girls Run,          Turn and Deal,          Allemande Left          Come back and take your partner          promenade          He doesn't understand          that it's a lady's hand          That makes his heart feel so sublime</p>	<p>Alt Figure          Heads (sides) square thru four hands you          go          And with the sides (heads) you make a          right hand star          Those heads (sides) star left, go once          around the set          Out to the corner, dosado          Swing thru and then, boys trade and then          Take the corner girl and promenade          You promenade again back to that          Caribbean          Home you go and swing in paradise</p>

**Original lyrics -Hank Snow**

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When they realize what's before their eyes  
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When you get a glimpse of the lady with the charm  
And from miles away you can see her sway  
To the beat of the Cuban Conga line that forms

Up in a tree so high way up in the sky  
Sits a wide eyed monkey on a limb  
He wonders why the people go to so much trouble  
Just to try to be like him

He doesn't understand that it's a lady's hand  
That makes a heart feel so sublime  
But before too long he starts singing the song  
And then he gets in the Conga line

Columbus searched for spices but he missed the nicest  
The part of the Caribbean  
He didn't see the charms and the open arms  
It was the gold that he was seein'

Oh but I'm glad he missed the sweetest thing I've kissed  
'Cause we're on our honeymoon  
And I'm so sorry Chris to talk about you like this  
But you were five hundred years too soon

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