

Rubjerg Firtur

(Rubjerg [Sønderjylland] Denmark)

This dance is from Rubjerg in the Sønderjylland region of Denmark.

Pronunciation: ROO-byehrg FEER-toor Translation: Four-figure dance from Rubjerg

Music: 2/4 meter *Liflig Sang CD 1, Track #6*

Formation: 2 couples in open handhold facing each other on the circle line. One couple faces CW, the other CCW. All start with left foot.



Steps & Styling: Step-hops, Chassez, Walking steps, 2-step pivot turn, buzz steps.

Reel steps: step on R behind L (ct 1); chug fwd R (ct &); repeat with opposite footwork (cts 2, &).

<u>Meas</u>	<u>2/4 meter</u>	<u>Pattern</u>
		<u>INTRODUCTION</u> . No action.
	I.	<u>CIRCLE</u> .
1-4		2 Cpls join hands down in a circle and move CW with 8 Step-hops.
5-8		Dance CCW with 8 Step-hops.
	II.	<u>LADIES CHANGE AND REEL</u> .
1-2		Ladies beg R and change places with 2 Chassez steps passing back to back. Turn CW to face corner.
3-4		4 Reel steps with corners.
5-8		Repeat 1-4 back to place, Reeling with ptr.
	III.	<u>CHAIN</u> .
1-8		2 Cpls chain twice around the small circle (R, L, R, L). <u>Note</u> : you may use elbow hooks rather than hands.
	IV.	<u>TURN</u> .
1-8		Taking ptr in Ballroom hold, pivot turn around the small circle.

Sequence: Repeat the dance from the beg until end of music, replacing Fig I with:

1-8 W put hands on M shldr, M reach behind W to form a Basket with Buzz steps CW.

Note: During Fig II, M keep place in small square. W are moved during hopsa step to R side of opp M, then back to R side of ptr.

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