



Cherry, Cherry Christmas

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Artist: Neil Diamond; **Album:** "A Cherry, Cherry Christmas", Track 1 (2009)
Download @ Amazon.com; **Time/ Speed:** 3:38@100%
Rhythm: Slow Two Step; Phase III+2 (Switches, Right Turn w/Outside Roll);
Difficulty: Easy
Footwork: Opposite unless noted (Woman's footwork in parenthesis)

Sequence: INTRO, A, B, INT, A (MOD), A, END

INTRODUCTION

1-4 (CP WALL) WAIT 2 ;; 2 OPEN BASICS (TO FC) ;;

- 1-2 in low CP WALL wait 2 measures ;;
3-4 Stp sd L & op bdy to 1/2 LOP RLOD,-, XRIB (XLIB), rec L to end fcg ptr ; Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, - , XLIB (XRIB), rec R;

PART A

1-4 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TURN ; BASIC ENDING ;

- 1-2 Sd L,-, XRIBL (XLIBR), rec L; Sd R,-, XLIBR (XRIBL), rec R;
3-4 Sd L leading W under lead arms,-, bk R, rec L (W sd R,-, comm RF trn undr jnd lead hnds XLIFR cont RF trn, fwd R); Sd R,-, XLIB, rec R end in BFLY WALL;

5-8 LEFT TURN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ; SIDE CLOSE 2X (CP COH) ; (SLOWING) DIP BACK & RECOVER ;

- 5-6 Comm LF trn brng W in frnt sd & fwd L fc RLOD,-, cont LF trn sd R brng ld hnds thru, XLIF to fc ptr & COH (Bk R trng LF,-, cont LF trn sd & bk L, cont LF trn bk & sd R); Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, - , XLIB (XRIB), rec R;
7-8 sd L, cl R, sd L, cl R; dip bk L twd WALL relaxing knee,-, rec R,-;

9-12 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TURN ; BASIC ENDING ;

- 9-10 Sd L,-, XRIBL (XLIBR), rec L; Sd R,-, XLIBR (XRIBL), rec R;
11-12 Sd L leading W under lead arms,-, bk R, rec L (W sd R,-, comm RF trn undr jnd lead hnds XLIFR cont RF trn, fwd R); Sd R,-, XLIB, rec R end in BFLY WALL;

13-16 LEFT TURN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ; SIDE CLOSE 2X (CP WALL) ; DIP BACK & RECOVER ;

- 13-14 Comm LF trn brng W in frnt sd & fwd L fc RLOD,-, cont LF trn sd R brng ld hnds thru, XLIF to fc ptr & WALL (Bk R trng LF,-, cont LF trn sd & bk L, cont LF trn bk & sd R); Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, - , XLIB (XRIB), rec R;
15-16 sd L, cl R, sd L, cl R; dip bk L twd COH relaxing knee,-, rec R,-;

PART B

1-4 SLOW SIDE DRAW TOUCH LEFT & RIGHT ;; 2 LUNGE BASICS ;;

- 1-2 in LCP WALL sd L,-, drw R to L, tch R ; sd R,-, drw L to R, tch L;

- 3-4 Sd L,-, rec R, XLIFR twd RLOD; Sd R,-, rec L, XRIFL twd LOD;
5-8 SLOW SIDE DRAW TOUCH LEFT & RIGHT ;; 2 LUNGE BASICS ;;
 5-6 in LCP WALL sd L,-, drw R to L, tch R ; sd R,-, drw L to R, tch L;
 7-8 Sd L,-, rec R, XLIFR twd RLOD; Sd R,-, rec L, XRIFL twd LOD;

INTERLUDE

1-4 2 OPEN BASICS (TO 1/2 OP) ;; SWITCHES (TO FC) ;;

- 1-2 Stp sd L & op bdy to 1/2 LOP RLOD, -, XRIB (XLIB), rec L to end fcg ptr ; Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, -, XLIB (XRIB), rec R;
 3-4 from 1/2 OP LOD X in front of W sd L to L 1/2 OP LOD,-, fwd R, fwd L (W fwd R,-, fwd L, fwd R); in L 1/2 OP LOD fwd R, -, fwd L, fwd R (W X in front of M sd L to 1/2 OP LOD, -, fwd R, fwd L);

PART A (MODIFIED)

1-4 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TURN ; BASIC ENDING ;

- 1-2 Sd L,-, XRIBL (XLIBR), rec L; Sd R,-, XLIBR (XRIBL), rec R;
 3-4 Sd L leading W under lead arms,-, bk R, rec L (W sd R,-, comm RF trn undr jnd lead hnds XLIFR cont RF trn, fwd R); Sd R,-, XLIB, rec R end in BFLY WALL;

5-8 LEFT TURN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ; SIDE CLOSE 2X (CP COH) ; SIDE DRAW CLOSE ;

- 5-6 Comm LF trn brng W in frnt sd & fwd L fc RLOD,-, cont LF trn sd R brng ld hnds thru, XLIF to fc ptr & COH (Bk R trng LF,-, cont LF trn sd & bk L, cont LF trn bk & sd R); Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, -, XLIB (XRIB), rec R;
 7-8 sd L, cl R, sd L, cl R; sd L, draw R to L, cl R,-;

9-12 DIP BACK & RECOVER ; BASIC ;; UNDERARM TURN ;

- 9-10 dip bk L twd WALL relaxing knee,-, rec R,-; sd L,-, XRIBL (XLIBR), rec L;
 11-12 Sd R,-, XLIBR (XRIBL), rec R; Sd L leading W under lead arms,-, bk R, rec L (W sd R,-, comm RF trn undr jnd lead hnds XLIFR cont RF trn, fwd R);

13-16 BASIC ENDING ; LEFT TURN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ; SIDE CLOSE 2X (CP WALL) ;

- 13-14 Sd R,-, XLIB, rec R end in BFLY WALL; comm LF trn brng W in frnt sd & fwd L fc RLOD,-, cont LF trn sd R brng ld hnds thru, XLIF to fc ptr & WALL (Bk R trng LF,-, cont LF trn sd & bk L, cont LF trn bk & sd R);
 15-16 Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, -, XLIB (XRIB), rec R; sd L, cl R, sd L, cl R;

END

1-4 2 OPEN BASICS (TO 1/2 OP) ;; SWITCHES ;;

- 1-2 Stp sd L & op bdy to 1/2 LOP RLOD, -, XRIB (XLIB), rec L to end fcg ptr ; Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, -, XLIB (XRIB), rec R;
 3-4 from 1/2 OP LOD X in front of W sd L to L 1/2 OP LOD,-, fwd R, fwd L (W fwd R,-, fwd L, fwd R); in L 1/2 OP LOD fwd R, -, fwd L, fwd R (W X in front of M sd L to 1/2 OP LOD, -, fwd R, fwd L);

5-8 2 OPEN BASICS (1/2 OP LOD) ;; FORWARD WALKS 6 ; (SLOWING TO FC CP WALL) ;

- 1-2 Stp sd L & op bdy to 1/2 LOP RLOD, -, XRIB (XLIB), rec L to end fcg ptr ; Stp sd R & op bdy to 1/2 OP LOD, -, XLIB (XRIB), rec R;
 3-4 in 1/2 OP LOD fwd L,-, fwd R, fwd L; fwd R,-, fwd L, fwd R trng to fc ptr CP WALL;

9 DIP BACK & HOLD ;

9 dip bk L twd COH relaxing knee,-, rec R,-;

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Head Cues

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PART A

1-4 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TRN ; BASIC ENDING ;
5-6 LF TRN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ;
7-8 SD CL 2X (CP COH) ; (SLOWING) DIP BK & REC ;
9-12 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TRN ; BASIC ENDING ;
13-14 LF TRN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ;
15-16 SD CL 2X (CP WALL) ; DIP BK & REC ;

PART B

1-4 SLOW SD DRAW TCH L & R ;; 2 LUNGE BASICS ;;
5-8 SLOW SD DRAW TCH L & R ;; 2 LUNGE BASICS ;;

INTERLUDE

1-4 2 OPEN BASICS (TO 1/2 OP) ;; SWITCHES (TO FC) ;;

PART A (MODIFIED)

1-4 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TRN ; BASIC ENDING ;
5-6 LF TRN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ;
7-8 SD CL 2X (CP COH) ; SD DRAW CL ;
9-12 DIP BK & REC ; BASIC ;; UNDERARM TRN ;
13-14 BASIC ENDING ; LF TRN INSIDE ROLL ;
15-16 BASIC ENDING ; SD CL 2X (CP WALL) ;

PART A

1-4 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TRN ; BASIC ENDING ;
5-6 LF TRN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ;
7-8 SD CL 2X (CP COH) ; (SLOWING) DIP BK & REC ;
9-12 BASIC ;; UNDERARM TRN ; BASIC ENDING ;
13-14 LF TRN INSIDE ROLL ; BASIC ENDING ;
15-16 SD CL 2X (CP WALL) ; DIP BK & REC ;

END

1-4 2 OPEN BASICS (TO 1/2 OP) ;; SWITCHES (TO FC) ;;
5-6 2 OPEN BASICS (1/2 OP LOD) ;;
7-8 FWD WALKS 6 ; (SLOWING TO FACE CP WALL) ;
9 DIP BACK & HOLD ;