

Cue Sheets by Judy Barnhill

I was looking for a great dance to submit and found a Boots Randolph song named "Marie." The choreographer, Lane & Marie Clem, wrote a nice Two Step that is smooth for dancing. The artist of the music "Marie" is none other than Boots Randolph. I went to Wikipedia to read about Boots Randolph and found a lot of interesting things that influenced his music. His real name was Homer Louis Randolph III. His brother nicknamed him "Boots" to avoid confusion since his father had the same name. He learned to play music in a family band which entered talent shows to win food to help get by during the Great Depression. He started out playing the ukulele and trombone but switched to tenor saxophone when his father brought one home. He scheduled over 200 recordings and performances yearly. Unfortunately Boots died on July 3, 2007 after suffering a brain hemorrhage just one month before his 80th birthday. Boots loved to play music and "Marie" is one song you can dance to. I was able to purchase the music on iTunes and the full cue sheet is on Roundalab. I noticed on the cue sheet Lane wrote he introduced this Two Step at the Eager Beavers' club dance on his wife Marie's 80th birthday which was August 12, 2024.



MY MARIE

Lane & Marie Clem

Music: Marie by Boots Randolph

Phase 2 + 1 (Fishtail) Two Step

Sequence: INTRO A A B BRIDGE A A END

HEAD CUES

INTRO

WT 2 MEASs ; ; APT PT ; TOG – semi ;

A

2 FWD 2s ; ; SCOOT ; WLK 2 ;

CIRC AWY 2 2s ; ; STRUT TOG 4 - bfly ; ;

FC-FC & BK-BK – op ; ; FWD HTCH ; WLK BK 2 ;

BK HTCH ; WLK 2 - cl ; BOX ; ;

A

2 FWD 2s ; ; SCOOT ; WLK 2 ;
CIRC AWY 2 2s ; ; STRUT TOG 4 - bfly ; ;
FC-FC & BK-BK – op ; ; FWD HTCH ; WLK BK 2 ;
BK HTCH ; WLK 2 - cl ; BOX ; ;

B

L TRNg BOX ; ; ; ;
TWSTy VIN 4 – bjo, CHK ; ; FSHTL ; WLK 2 - bfly ;
TRVLg DRs (2x) - op ; ; ; ;
FWD, LK, FWD (2x) ; ; 2 FWD 2s – bfly ; ;

B

L TRNg BOX ; ; ; ;
TWSTy VIN 4 – bjo, CHK ; ; FSHTL ; WLK 2 - bfly ;
TRVLg DRs (2x) - op ; ; ; ;
FWD, LK, FWD (2x) ; ; 2 FWD 2s – bfly ; ;
BRIDGE
CIRC AWY 2 2s ; ; STRUT TOG 4 – semi ; ;

A

2 FWD 2s ; ; SCOOT ; WLK 2 ;
CIRC AWY 2 2s ; ; STRUT TOG 4 - bfly ; ;
FC-FC & BK-BK – op ; ; FWD HTCH ; WLK BK 2 ;
BK HTCH ; WLK 2 - cl ; BOX ; ;

A

2 FWD 2s ; ; SCOOT ; WLK 2 ;
4 CIRC AWY 2 2s ; ; STRUT TOG 4 - bfly ; ;
FC-FC & BK-BK – op ; ; FWD HTCH ; WLK BK 2 ;
BK HTCH ; WLK 2 - cl ; BOX ; ;

END

REV BOX ; ; SD, DR, CL ; APT PT ;