

# A DREAM OF DANCING

Tune by Lael Whitehead

Dance by Simone Verheyen, September 2021

Formation: longways duple minor, all proper

- A
- 1-4 In fours: circle left once round
  - 5-8 First couple gate the second couple up and around
  - 9-12 2<sup>nd</sup> couple do half a figure of eight up through the 1<sup>st</sup> couple
  - 13-14 Men, giving right hand, change places with each other
  - 15-16 Ladies, giving right hand, change places with each other
- B
- 1-4 In fours do a right hand star all the way around
  - 5-8 Ladies chain across
  - 9-12 Ladies lead a flutterwheel
  - 13-16 Half poussette clockwise:

1s a straight push and pull poussette,

2s a draw poussette

The couples end in progressed places, ready to circle left with the next couple.

*In the middle of preparing the dances for a weekend of dancing honouring our friend Philippe Callens, who passed away earlier this year, I was inspired by one of the tunes on the CD "Out of the Silence" from the Dancehall Players. All the tunes were written during the Covid pandemic. Every one of them being a feast for the ear, this tune caught my special attention and inspired me to compose a dance.*

*I dedicate this dance to all dancers and musicians who, for such a long time, had to miss coming together.*

*And to Philippe who was an inspiration for us all.*

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