Slipless in Seattle

Dance: Jim Wisnia, 2023, Music: "Waiting for Spring," Ann Schau, 2020.

Duple minor longways, 9/8, G, NIB

- A1 1-4 <u>Star L once and a half</u> (Destination: corner's place)
 5-8 <u>Partners swirly siding</u> (across by the L, back by the R)
- A2 1-4 Star R once and a half (Destination: home)
 5-8 P's back to back, 1's face down close, 2's face up wide
- B1 1-4 <u>Mirror back to back</u>, 6 steps fwd., 6 back (Take hands when you can)
 5-8 <u>1's go down outside</u>, <u>2's cross up and cast down</u>, <u>1's cross up and cast onto the ends of a line of 4 facing up</u>
- B2 1-4 Line of 4 up 6 steps, back down bending the line
 - 5-6 Cloverleaf turn away from Partner to face Neighbour *
 - 7-8 <u>N's change</u> by <u>R</u>, <u>P's</u> by <u>L</u>, reach for the stars with new N's

* 1s turn up and away. 2's down and away. This is an opportunity to dance with everyone in the hall!

During a 2020 Seattle Ball dance, Rosemary Lach's slip fell to the floor. She kicked it away and didn't miss a beat. She gave our Victoria English Country Dance community a perfect metaphor for how to deal with loss.: Keep playing and dancing!

The music is Track 5, Out Of The Silence Vol. 2, The Dancehall Players.