## Argeers

A square dance for 2 couples. This reconstruction is by Adina Hamilton. Start holding hands with partner and facing the other couple.

## Verse 1

| $1-2$ | SLf |
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| $3-4$ | 2 slips |
| $5-6$ | 2 slips |
| $7-8$ | 2 steps |
| $9-16$ | 6 steps |

To meet the other couple, end holding corner by both hands
With corner, away from the other couple Back towards partners
Change place with corner, passing right shoulders
Take partner's right hand and turn each other $11 / 2$ turns, ending in partner's position.
17-32 Repeat Repeat above, ending in original positions.

Chorus 1

| $1-4$ | Men DL | To exchange places |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $5-8$ | Women DL | To exchange places |
| $9-16$ | All STL | Set and turn |
| $17-24$ | Women DL | To exchange places |
| $21-24$ | Men DL | To exchange places |
| $25-32$ | All STR | Set and turn |

## Verse 2

Chorus 2

| $1-4$ | DLf |
| :--- | :--- |
| $5-8$ | DRb |
| $9-16$ | DL DR |
| $17-20$ | DLb |
|  |  |
| $21-24$ | DRf |
| $25-32$ | STL |

With corner, away from partner
Back towards partner
Turn partner
Away from corner, not holding hands with partner
Back towards corner.
Set and turn

| $1-4$ | Men SDR |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | Women SDL |
| $5-8$ | Men SDL |
|  | Women SDR |
| $9-16$ | DL DR |
| $17-20$ | Women DLf |
| $21-24$ | Women DRb |
| $25-32$ | Men's hey |

Double sideways to exchange places, women passing on the inside.
Return to place, women on the inside
Turn corner, holding right hands To meet
Back to place
Men change places with a double, passing right shoulders, turn at the end and return to place with another double, again passing right shoulders. End facing contrary.

Verse 3

| $1-3$ | 3 steps $(1 \mathrm{rl})$ | Men push contrary women back 3 <br> steps, holding both hands <br> Slip to men's right |
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| 4 | Slip | Slo |


|  | 5-8 | Men DRb | Men pull women back down the other side |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Women DLf |  |
|  | 9-16 | STL | Set and turn |
|  | 17-20 | Men SDL | Slip between partners back to place, ladies in front |
|  |  | Women SDR |  |
|  | 21-22 | 2 steps (1 r) | Men push contrary women back 2 steps |
|  | 23-24 | 2 steps (1 r) | Men pull contrary women forward 2 steps |
|  | 25-32 | STL | Set and turn |
| Chorus 3 | 1-8 | DLf DRf | First man and his corner cast off, ending in partner's place. Others follow. |
|  | 9-16 | DLf DRf | First man and hist corner cast off in the other direction, ending in original position. Others follow. |
|  | 17-24 | DLf DRf | Half a hey, beginning with partner |
|  | 25-32 | DL DR | Turn partner, holding hands. At the end of the second double, the couples open up and form a line facing the presence. |

