

Rachamim Lev Haolam (C)

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Part 1

- Start facing **i**.
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| 1-2 | rlr- | Going a sideways: Step together step. |
| 3-4 | lrl- | Behind and in front. |
| 5-6 | rlr- | Step f , rock b , step b , pause. |
| 7-8 | lrl- | Full turn a , pause. |
| 9-10 | rlr- | Going a sideways: Step together step but ½ pivot c on last step and stamp or touch on the pause. Finish facing o . |
| 11-12 | lrl- | Going a sideways: Step together step but ½ pivot c on last step and stamp or touch on the pause. Finish facing i . |
| 13-14 | b-lr | Jump on both feet with legs apart, pause, hop, cross f . |
| 15-16 | lrl- | Back Yemenite. |

Repeat **Part 1**.

Part 2

- Going **i**.
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| 1-2 | rlrr | Step b , rock f , heel, down. This is like a back Yemenite except the third step is with the heel and then just put the toe of that foot down on the 4 th ½ beat. |
| 3-4 | lrl | Balance, balance, heel, down. |
| 5-6 | rlr- | Going i : cha-cha (with a heavy stamping step and pivoting slightly a). |
| 7-8 | lrl- | Going i : cha-cha (with a heavy step and pivoting slightly c). |
| 9-10 | b-lr | Jump with legs apart and r shoulder i , hop with a ½ pivot c , open. |
| 11-12 | lrl- | Going o : Grapevine for 3 steps, pause. |
| 13-14 | rlr- | ¾ turn c . Finish facing i . |
| 15-16 | lrl- | Back Yemenite. |

Repeat **Part 2**.

Transition.

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| 1-4 | rlrl | Box step (smoothly) with arms extended in front and raised. |
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Start **Part 1** again.

After 3 repeats of the dance, finish with feet together and raise arms.

Jack Steel's step notation (see <http://www.israelidances.com/StepsLegend.htm> for explanation of the codes):

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