THE CO-OP WALTZ – Bars 1-8

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TIME: 3/4 TEMPO: 30 BPM. COMMENCE IN NORMAL BALLROOM HOLD, MAN FACING, LADY BACKING DIAGONAL WALL DOWN LOD.

LADY Counts MAN Bars Counts CHANGE STEP - 1,2,3 NATURAL TURN - OPEN IMPETUS - SLOW LOCK 1 LF diagonal wall down LOD. [HT] 1 RF back diagonal wall down LOD. [TH] RF to side slightly forward. [T] 2 2 LF to side slightly back. [T] 1 3 3 Close LF to RF parallel position still facing diagonal Close RF to LF parallel position still backing diagonal wall down LOD. [TH] wall down LOD. [TH] 1 RF forward, diagonally to wall, turning to R. [H] 1 LF back, diagonal wall, turning to R. [TH] LF to side, backing diagonally to centre. [T] 2 RF to side, with right toe pointing to LOD. [T] 2 2 Still turning to back LOD, close RF to LF. [TH] 3 3 Close LF to R, now facing down LOD. [TH] 1 LF back down LOD. [TH] 1 RF forward, down LOD, turning to right. [H] Close RF to LF, heel turn, face diagonal centre in 2 LF to side, body backing diagonally to centre. [BALL 2 promenade. [FLAT, RISE.] 3 RISE] 3 3 LF forward in promenade position moving diagonal to Still turning to R brush RF to LF and then step to side centre. [TH] RF, moving diagonally to centre in prom. pos.[TH] 1 RF forward in promenade position. [H] 1 LF forward in promenade position. [H] 2 Commencing to turn lady square step forward and Turning to the L. closing to man, step to side and 2 leftwards with LF pointing between centre and slightly back RF, now backing LOD. [T] 4 diagonal centre. [T] 3 Cross RF slowly behind LF, square to lady. now 3 Still turning slightly, cross LF slowly in front of RF facing diagonal centre.[TH] square to man, now backing diagonal centre. [TH] CLOSED TELEMARK – CURVED FEATHER – OUTSIDE CHANGE TO PROMENADE RONDE 1 LF forward diagonally to centre, turning to L. [H] 1 RF back, almost diagonally to centre, turning to L. [DOWN] 2 2 RF to side, backing almost to LOD. [T] Close LF to RF making a heel turn to face LOD [FLAT, 5 RISE] 3 Still turning, step to side and slightly forward LF with 3 Still turning to L step to side and slightly back with RF with body backing wall.[TH] body facing wall. [TH] 1 RF forward diagonal to wall down LOD curving to LF back Diagonal to wall down LOD curving to right, 1 right, lady on right side. [H] outside man. [DOWN] 2 2 LF forward continuing to curve right.[T] 6 RF back continuing to curve right. [T] RF forward, now facing diagonal wall against LOD, 3 LF back, now backing diagonal wall against LOD, man 3 lady on R side. [TH] on R side. [TH] RF forward diagonally to centre, still outside. [H] 1 LF back, diagonally to centre, lady on R side. [FLAT] 1 2 RF back, diagonally to centre, square to partner, 2 LF forward diagonally to centre, square to partner, commencing to turn left. [THT] 7 commencing to turn right. [T] Turning slightly right, step to side RF down LOD in 3 Turning slightly to left, step to side LF down LOD, in 3 promenade position. [TH] promenade position. [TH] 1 Long step forward RF, along line of dance in 1 Long step forward LF along LOD in promenade promenade position and relax R knee. [H] position and relax L Knee. [H] 2 With weight on RF, move LF outwards and then 2 With weight on LF, move RF outwards and then forward with a circular ronde movement. Inside edge forward with a circular movement. Inside edge of toes 8 of toes of LF skimming the floor.[FLAT] of RF skimming the floor.[FLAT] 3 3 Continuing the ronde movement, turn slightly to R to Continuing the ronde movement, turn slightly to L to face wall and partner as LF closes to RF with weight. face centre and partner as RF closes to LF with weight.[FLAT] [FLAT]

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Counts	MAN	Bars	Counts	LADY
LUNGE POINT TO WHISK – QUICK WEAVE TO BACK CONTRA CHECK , NATURAL TWIST TURN ENDING IN PROMENADE				
1	Relax L knee and keep weight over LF as RF moves diagonally forward, diagonal to wall against LOD, with R shoulder lead. [Flat] Allow the RF to move 5 or 8 cm more in the same		1	Relax R knee and keep weight over RF as LF moves diagonally back, diagonal to wall against LOD, with L shoulder leading. [FLAT]
2 3	direction and take the weight onto RF. [BALL] Turning the lady to promenade position, cross the LF behind RF for a whisk. [TH]	9	2 3	Allow LF to move 5 or 8 cm more in the same direction and take the weight onto LF. [BALL] Turning to promenade position, slowly cross the RF behind LF for a whisk. [TH]
1	RF forward in promenade position moving diagonal centre down LOD, leading lady to turn L at end of step. [HT]		1	LF forward in promenade position moving diagonal centre down LOD, commencing to turn L at end of step. [H]
∝ 2 3	LF forward diagonal centre down LOD, partner square. turning L. [T] RF to side , slightly back, backing diagonal wall down LOD, still turning L. [T] LF back down LOD partner on R side. [TH]	10	∝ 2 3	R F to side and slightly back, square to partner, still turning L. [T] LF to side and slightly forward, toe pointing down LOD, turning slightly L. [T] RF forward down LOD on partners' R side. [TH]
1	RF back, well under the body, and check, body overturning to L, now backing down LOD, lady square. [TH]		1	LF forward down the LOD, in line with partner, and check, body overturning to L. [H]
2 3	Take weight forward to LF, Moving it slightly, against LOD. [H] Cross RF well behind LF, still backing down LOD, lady on R side. [FLAT]	11	2 3	Take weight back to RF moving it slightly. [TH] Close LF to RF, still facing down LOD. Partner on R side. [FLAT]
1 - 2 3	Twist to R, weight on L heel and R toe, allowing feet to uncross, feet almost closed, weight transfers to RF, now facing diagonal centre. [FLAT,RISE] LF forward diagonally to centre down LOD in promenade position. [T]	12	1 - 2 3	Long step forward RF, round and outside partner, turning to R, [H] close LF near RF, turning to R on LF to face diagonal centre. [T] RF forward diagonally to centre down LOD in promenade position.[T]
TURNING HOVER – CHASSE AGAINST LOD – CONTRA CHECK – 4 ,5,6 REVERSE TURN				
1	RF forward diagonal centre down LOD in promenade position. [H] LF forward diagonal centre down LOD turning lady to	13	1	LF forward diagonally to centre down LOD in promenade position. [H] RF to side, square to partner, turning L. [T]
3	left. [T] Replace weight to RF, hover action. [TH]	15	3	Replace weight to LF, hover action. [TH]
1	LF back diagonal wall against LOD commencing to		1	RF forward diagonal wall against LOD, partner on R
2	turn right, lady on right side. [TH] RF to side moving diagonal wall against LOD , lady square [T]	14	2	side. [H] LF to side moving diagonal wall against LOD, partner square. [T]
& 3	LF closes to RF. [T] RF to side, turning right to face diagonal wall against LOD. [TH]		& 3	RF closes to LF. [T] LF to side, turning right to back diagonal wall against LOD. [TH]
1	LF forward with right shoulder leading, contra check. [H]		1	RF back with left shoulder leading, contra check. [TH]
2 3	Replace weight on RF. [TH] LF back diagonal centre down LOD. [TH]	15	2 3	Replace weight to LF. [HT] RF forward diagonal centre down LOD. [TH]
1 2 3	RF back still moving diagonal centre , commencing to turn L. [THT] LF to side, toe pointing diagonal wall down LOD. [T] Close RF to LF, parallel position facing diagonal wall down LOD, commencing position. [TH]	16	1 2 3	LF forward still moving diagonal centre, commencing to turn L. [HT] RF to side, almost backing diag. wall down LOD. [T] Close LF to RF, parallel position backing diagonal wall down LOD, commencing position. [TH]