

Ian Cruickshanks of Kirriemuir

4x40 Strathspey for four couples in a longwise set

- 1-4 1st couple set and cast one place (2s step up), meet in the middle and face up; 3rd couple step in and face up on bars 3-4.
- 5-8 1st couple, followed by the 3rd couple, lead up to the top, cross and cast, ending with 1st couple in third place and 3rd couple in second place, on opposite sides.
- 9-10 All join hands on the side and set.
- 11-12 1st and 3rd couples dance ½ RH across, **while** 2nd and 4th couples cross giving LH (no polite turn).
- 13-16 1M followed by 3M (facing up) dance ½ tandem reel of three on the men's side, giving LSh to 2W, **while** 3W followed by 1W (facing down) dance ½ tandem reel of three on the ladies' side, giving LSh to 4M.
- 17-18 All join hands on the side and set.
- 19-20 1st and 3rd couples dance ½ RH across, **while** 2nd and 4th couples cross giving LH (no polite turn).
- 21-24 3M followed by 1M (facing down) dance ½ tandem reel of three on the ladies' side, giving LSh to 2W, **while** 1W followed by 3W (facing up) dance ½ tandem reel of three on the men's side, giving LSh to 4M.
- 25-26 All join hands on the side and set.
- 27-28 1st and 3rd couples dance ½ RH across, ending with 1W facing out on the ladies' side.
- 29-32 1W dances out and down on the ladies' side, followed by her partner, 1W to fourth man's place and 1M to fourth ladies' place (3s and 4s step up and face down).
- 33-38 1st couple dance reflection reels of three on opposite sides with the 4s and 3s, the 1st couple dancing in and up to begin.
- 39-40 1st couple cross giving RH.
- End 2,3,4,1

Dance devised by Melvin Cannell for Ian Cruickshank's 60th birthday on 24 April 2015 at the Atholl Palace Hotel, Pitlochry.

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Original - Ian's 60th Birthday

Dance Devised by; Melvin Cannell
Music Composed by; Scott Band

G B/g⁷ C B/g A/d⁷ G D/g Am D⁷

G B/g⁷ C B/g A/d⁷ G Am D⁷ G/g G B/g⁷

C E/c G B/g⁷ C B/g Am D⁷ B/g⁷

C E/c G/g G D⁷ G Am D⁷ G/g G D⁷ G/g G B/g⁷

C E/c G B/g⁷ C B/g Am D⁷ F[#]/d⁷

G B/g⁷ C B/g A/d⁷ G Am D⁷ G C G