

# The Jolly Begger

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Level: High Intermediate  
Intro:  
Sequence: Intro – A – B – C – Bridge – A – B – C - Break – Bridge 2 – A - B (once) – Bridge 2 – A – B – C – Circle – Break 2 – Break 2 - Ending

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**Intro** – Dancer start facing back with right leg crossed over left

(1,2) Pause

(3,4) Group one turns slowly, heads bowed

(5,6) Group two turns slowly, heads bowed

(7,8) Group three turns slowly, heads bowed and everyone raises heads on 8

## Part A

Modified Treble

L rock s dbl up  
R ball dbl back r hop  
*\*Repeat on opposite footwork*

Double Backs

L hop s  
R ball dbl back r  
*\*Repeat on opposite footwork*

Trebles

L hop dbl hop lift  
R dbl hop dbl hop

## Part B

Pull & Twist

L r step twist  
R step (ots) twist  
*\*Repeat three times (right, left, right)*

Step Rock Step

L s s  
R r  
*\*Repeat on opposite footwork*

(Repeat Pull & Twist and Step Rock Step)

## Part C

Skips (moving to left front diagonal)

L kick s s r  
R r kick s s

Skip (moving back to center)

L lift (ib) s s r  
R r lift (ib) s s

(Repeat moving to right diagonal)

### Bridge

Pulls

L    s (ots)

R r        toe (ib)

*\*head turns to left on last step*

*\*Divide dancers into three groups*

- (&1,2) – First group

- (&3,4) – Second Group

- (&5,6) – Third Group

- (7,8) – Everyone turns 360 to right, placing hands on their hips as they turn)

*\* Second time through, everyone turns to hold hands*

### Break

Treble Kicks

L hop        s    hop        s    hop        s    s    tch (xif)

R lift/tuck r    lift/tuck r    lift/tuck r    r    r

*\*Repeat on opposite footwork*

### Bridge 2

Pivots

L        pitot (to back)

R s (if) pivot (to back) s (feet together)

*\*Divide dancers into three groups*

- (1,2,3,4) – First group

- (5,6,7,8) – Second Group

- (1,2,3,4) – Third Group

- (5,6) – Everyone pivots to the front

### Circle

Skips (2 sets – to form large circle)

L kick s    s        r

R        r    kick s    s

Treble Kicks

L hop        s    hop        s    hop        s    s    tch (xif)

R lift/tuck r    lift/tuck r    lift/tuck r    r    r

*\*Repeat on opposite footwork*

Skips (2 sets – to return to home position)

L kick s    s        r

R        r    kick s    s

### Ending

Drag steps

L        drag step (back)        drag step (back)

R step (back)        drag step (back)        drag

*\*Count: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8,*

End Turn

L        turn 360

R toe (xib) turn 360

*\*Count: 1, 2*

Ending Pose

*\*Count: 3*