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## The Peaceful Valley

48 Count, 4 Wall, Advanced (Waltz)

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Choreographed to: Up to the Mountain by Patty Griffin

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### 15 count intro / 8-9 seconds

**S1: Step 1/2 Turn Pivot, Forward Full Turn,**

1-2-3 Step L fwd, Step R slightly in front of L, 1/2 Turn L stepping L slightly fwd

4-5-6 Step R fwd, 1/2 Turn R stepping back on L, 1/2 Turn R stepping fwd on R (6:00)

**S2: Step 1/4 Turn Hitch, Cross 1/4 - 3/8 Fwd**

1-2-3 Step fwd on L as you lift R foot to L knee (hitch) turning 1/4 L (weight stays on L)

4-5-6 Cross R over L, 1/4 Turn R stepping back on L, 3/8 Turn R stepping R fwd (10:30)

**S3: Forward Basic Step, 1/2 Turn Basic**

1-2-3 Step L fwd, Step R slightly in front of L, Recover back on to L

4-5-6 Step back on R, 1/2 Turn L stepping fwd on L, Step R fwd (4:30)

**S4: Step Sweep 3/8 Turn, Weave 1/4 - 1/4**

1-2-3 Start 3/8 Turn L stepping L fwd & sweeping R in front of L (turn over counts 2-3)

4-5-6 Finish 3/8 turn crossing R over L, 1/4 Turn R stepping back L, 1/4 R stepping R to R (6:00)

**S5: Weave 1/4 Turn, Back Rock Step**

1-2-3 Cross L over R, 1/4 Turn L stepping back on R, Step L back slightly behind R

4-5-6 Step back on R, Rock back on ball of L, Recover R to R side (face R diagonal) (4:30)

**S6: L Twinkle Step, Step Full Turn on Diagonal**

1-2-3 Cross L over R, Rock R out to R side, Recover L (facing L diagonal)

4-5-6 Step R fwd, 1/2 Turn R stepping L back, 1/2 Turn R stepping L fwd (1:30)

**S7: Fall Away Diamond w/ 1/2 Turn**

1-2-3 Step L fwd, 1/4 Turn L stepping R out to R, Step back on L

4-5-6 Step back on R, 1/4 Turn L stepping L out to L, Step R fwd (7:30)

**S8: Step Sweep, Step Sweep 5/8 Turn**

1-2-3 Step L fwd as you sweep R from back to front over counts 2-3

4-5-6 Step down on R as you start 5/8 Turn R sweeping L out and in front of R  
(finish the 5/8 over count 5-6) \* End facing 3 o'clock

**Ending: dance all the way to count 21 (3/8 sweep)....hold for 4.5.6.**

**Then Step Sweep L for 123, Step L Sweep R for 456,**

**Then Step R fwd (1), 1/2 R step L back (2), 1/2 R step L fwd sweeping R (3).**