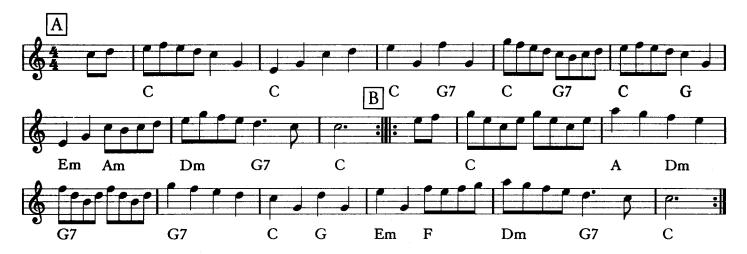
THE BRITISH TOPER



Set dance for 3 couples

- While the 2nd couple move up the middle to top place the 1st couple cast and dance a double figure 8 with the 3rd couple who start by casting up.
- Repeat with 2nd couple starting the movement from the top and the 1st couple moving up to their original place proper.

NOTE: The 2nd couple should start their cast into the double figure 8 as the 1st couple move up the middle to top place so that the 3rd couple do not have to wait for them. This will ensure that the 2 double figure 8s become one continuous movement.

- B1 1st couple cross over and dance round the 2nd couple who move up. 1st couple lead through the 3rd couple, cross and cast up to middle place proper and turn 2 hands once round.
- **B2 1 2** Mens wall, Womens wall i.e. 1st man lead out 2nd and 3rd man while 1st woman lead out 2nd and 3rd woman (2 steps then bend the line).
 - 3 4 Men circle L. half way round while women do the same finishing in lines of 3 a double apart with 1st couple in the middle.
 - 5-6 All set forward R. and L. into lines close together.
 - 7 8 All turn single. (Set is now 3.1.2.)

Repeat whole dance twice more.

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