BANJSKO

Macedonia

SOURCE: This dance is from village Banje, Strurnica area. This dance is done in many

occasions, wedding, picnic, Slava, etc.

RHYTHM: 7/8 (<u>1</u> 2 3)

FORMATION: Mixed line or open circle with W hold

MUSIC: New Millennium cassette

METER: 7/8 PATTERN

Meas

Part 1

- Facing ctr., Step on R to R (ct 1); Slight lift on R (ct 2); Step on L behind of R (ct 3):
- 2 Step on R to R (ct l) ;Face slightly to R, čukče on R twice and bring L knee up in front (cts.2,3
- Repeat Meas. 2 with opp. ftwk and direction
- 4-6 Repeat Meas. 1-3
- 7-8 Repeat Meas. 1-2
- 9 Step on L to L (ct 1); Lift on L (ct.2); Step on R in front of L (ct.3)
- Step back on L (ct 1); čukče twice on L, bring R knee up in front (cts.2-3)
- 11-12 Repeat Meas.9-10 with opp.ftwk and direction
- 13-14 Repeat Meas.9-10

Part 2

- Facing diag. to R, Step on R fwd (ct 1); Step on L fwd (cts.2,3)
- 2 Step on R fwd (ct 1); Step on L,R fwd (cts.2,3)
- 3-4 Repeat Meas. 1-2 with opp.ftwk.
- 5 Step on R fwd and face ctr., bring arms down (ct 1); Step on L behind of R (cts.2,3)
- Step on R to R, bring arms up to "W" hold (ct 1); čukče on R twice and bring L knee up in front (cts.2,3).
- Repeat Meas.6 with opp.ftwk and direction
- 8-10 Repeat Part 1, Meas.-3
- 11-20 Repeat Meas.1-10

Part 3

- 1-4 Repeat Part 2, Meas.1-4
- 5 Step on R fwd and start turning to CW (ct 1); Slight lift on R(ct.2); Step on L fwd and complete turn, face ctr (ct.3)
- 6 Repeat Part 1, Meas.2
- 7-8 Repeat Meas. 5-6 with opp. ftwk and direction

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Narod se sobral Narod, Makedonski Gore na Pirin, da slavi Na devet Livadi Kaj Manastirot Roźdenki

(Chorus)

Ej narode, Makendonski Źuka padna slaven junak Zivot dade za sloboda Za svojata Makedonija

Pesni pejat, Pesni Makedonski Staroj miado se krenalo Ta za nego zborea Kaj e carot Pirinski

Kreni Se, Jane Kreni si, druźina Zemja se trese, pirinska Za sloboda se pee Za Makedonska pravdina