

# The Peaceful Valley

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Song: Up to the Mountain  
Level: Advanced Waltz

Description: 48 ct / 4 wall  
Artist: Patty Griffin  
15 count intro / 8-9 seconds

## Step Half Turn Pivot, Forward Full Turn,

1-2-3 Step L fwd, Step R slightly in front of L, ½ Turn L stepping L slightly fwd  
4-5-6 Step R fwd, ½ Turn R stepping back on L, ½ Turn R stepping fwd on R  
\* Facing 6 o'clock

## Step ¼ Turn Hitch, Cross ¼ - 3/8 Fwd

1-2-3 Step fwd on L as you lift R foot to L knee (hitch) turning ¼ L (weight stays on L)  
4-5-6 Cross R over L, ¼ Turn R stepping back on L, 3/8 Turn R stepping R fwd  
\* Facing 10:30

## Forward Basic Step, ½ 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, ½ Turn L stepping fwd on L, Step R fwd  
\* Facing 4:30

## Step Sweep 3/8 Turn, Weave ¼ - ¼

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, ¼ Turn R stepping back L, ¼ R stepping R to R  
\* Facing 6 o'clock

## Weave ¼ Turn, Back Rock Step

1-2-3 Cross L over R, ¼ 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*)  
\* Facing 4:30

## 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, ½ Turn R stepping L back, ½ Turn R stepping L fwd  
\* Facing 1:30

## Fall Away Diamond w/ Half Turn

1-2-3 Step L fwd, ¼ Turn L stepping R out to R, Step back on L  
4-5-6 Step back on R, ¼ Turn L stepping L out to L, Step R fwd  
\* Facing 7:30

## 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), ½ R step L back (2), ½ R step L fwd sweeping R (3).