## SIRTAKI PO LOVESHKI

*Origin:* This is a 13-measure dance pattern in 2/4 meter. People in Lovech call it Sirtaki. Sirtaki po Loveshki means Sirtaki in Lovech style.

Source: This dance was taught by Yuliyan Yordanov at Autumn Leaves XXII, NIFD, 2005

*Formation*: It can be done to many different pieces of music in not very long lines, facing center. Arms are in a shoulder hold

Measures 1	Counts 1 2	Step on R to L, crossing in front of L Step on L to L
2	1-2	SAME as measure 1 (crossing can be done behind instead of in front)
3	1 2	Step on R to L, crossing in front of L Pivot on R to R
4	1 2	Step on L to R, crossing in front of R Step on R to R
5	1-2	SAME as measure 4 (crossing can be done behind instead of in front)
6	1 2	Step on L to R, crossing in front of R Pivot on L to L
7	1 2	Step on R FWD, crossing in front of L Bounce on R
8	1 2	Step on L FWD, crossing in front of R Bounce on L
9	1 2	Leap FWD onto R, bending the upper body Touch behind w/L toes
10	1 2	Step BACK on L Kick w/R
11	1 2	Step BACK on R Kick w/L
12	1 2	Step BACK on L Kick w/R
13	1 2	Touch w/R heel diagonally FWD to R Lift R (or bend it back)



