

# THE CHRISTMAS POLKA

**Level:** Easy Intermediate      **Genre:** Festive  
**Artist:** Foster and Allen – Christmas Collection  
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**Speed:** Normal      **Length:** 2:36  
**Sequence:** A B C D B A\*  
**Wait:** 8 beats; Left Foot Lead

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## Quick Cues

### Part A (64 beats)

8 2 Cross Chain  
8 4 Drag Basic (L)  
8 2 Cross Chain  
8 4 Drag Basic (R)  
8 2 Charleston Brush  
8 Cowboy  
8 2 Triple Stamp (FWD & BK)  
8 4 Drag Basic (FWD)

### Part B (8 beats)

8 2 Pivot Chain (FULL L & R)

### Part C (64 beats)

8 Clogover Vine (L)  
8 2 Windster (R & L)  
8 Clogover Vine (R)  
8 2 Windster  
8 Fancy Vine (L)  
8 2 Donkey (R & L)  
8 Fancy Vine (R)  
8 2 Donkey

### Part D (64 beats)

12 3 Rocking Chair (Moving L)  
4 Triple Stomp (BK)  
12 3 Rocking Chair (Moving R)  
4 Triple Stomp (FWD)  
4 Vine Kick (L)  
4 Charleston (Rft)  
4 Vine Kick (R)  
4 Charleston  
4 Bad Stamp  
4 Walk It Over  
4 Bad Stamp  
4 Walk It Over

### Part B (8 beats)

8 2 Pivot Chain (FULL L & R)

## Quick Cues

### Part A\* (80 beats)

8 2 Cross Chain  
8 4 Drag Basic (L)  
8 2 Cross Chain  
8 4 Drag Basic (R)  
8 2 Charleston Brush  
8 Cowboy  
8 2 Triple Stamp (FWD & BK)  
8 4 Drag Basic (FWD)  
8 2 Triple Stamp (FWD & BK)  
8 4 Drag Basic (FWD)

See note on Drag Basic



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## Step Definitions - The Christmas Polka

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### CROSS CHAIN: (In this dance, face the front)

DS (XIF) R (XIB) S (XIF) R (XIB) S (XIF) R (XIB) S (XIF)  
L R L R L R L  
&1 & 2 & 3 & 4

### DRAG BASIC: (In this dance S (XIF) R (XIB) S (XIF) ZigZag pattern)

K/DR S RS  
L/R L RL  
& 1 &2

### CHARLESTON BRUSH:

DS TCH (F) H TT (BK) H BR H  
L R L R L R L  
&1 & 2 & 3 & 4

### TRIPLE STAMP:

DS DS DS STA SL  
L R L R L  
&I &2 &3 & 4

### COWBOY:

[DS DS DS BR (XIF) H] (FWD) [DS (XIF) R (BK) S (XIF) R (BK) S (XIF) R (BK) S (XIF) ] (BK)  
L R L R L R L R L R L R  
&1 &2 &3 & 4 &5 & 6 & 7 & 8

### PIVOT CHAIN:

DS [RS RS RS] (TURN)  
L RL RL RL  
&1 &2 &3 &4

### WINDSTER:

DS BR (XIF) H BR (X) H RS (BR CAN BE DT)  
L R L R L RL  
&1 & 2 & 3 &4

### CLOGOVER VINE:

DS (OTS) DS (XIF) DS (OTS) DS (XIB) DS (OTS) DS (XIF) DS RS  
L R L R L R L RL  
&1 &2 &3 &4 &5 &6 &7 &8

### FANCY VINE:

DS (OTS) DS (XIF) DS (OTS) RS DS (XIF) DS (OTS) RS RS  
L R L RL R L RL RL  
&1 &2 &3 &4 &5 &6 &7 &8

### DONKEY:

DS TCH (XIF) H TCH (F) H RS  
L R L R L RL  
&1 & 2 & 3 &4

### ROCKING CHAIR:

DS BR H DS RS  
L R L R LR  
&1 & 2 &3 &4

### TRIPLE STOMP:

DS DS DS STO STO  
L R L R L  
&1 &2 &3 & 4

### VINE KICK:

DS (OTS) DS (XIB) DS-DR/K SL  
L R L L/R L  
&1 &2 &3 & 4

### CHARLESTON:

DS TCH (F) H T-H (BK) RS  
L R L R R LR  
&1 & 2 & 3 &4

### BAD STAMP:

DS STA (P) RS BA-SL  
L R RL R R  
&1 & 2 &3 & 4

### WALK IT OVER:

DS (OTS) DS (XIF) DR S (BK) DR S (OTS)  
L R R L L R  
&1 &2 & 3 & 4