

# Karagouna

**COPPER KNOB**  
STEPSHEETS

拍数: 24      墙数: 2      级数: Ultra Beginner  
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音乐: Karagouna - Orchestra Mesogios



## ΚΑΡΑΓΚΟΥΝΑ/KARAGOUNA (Greece)

Karagouna – This dance comes from the plains of Thessaly. The name Karagouna comes from the Turkish word “kara” for black to describe the women’s clothes. Karagouna is a flirtatious couples’ dance where the men dance in a line behind the women’s line. In the days before dating, young people might meet and dance in the village square after church, to get acquainted.

### Three Patterns:

Intro – 32 counts for Orchestra Mesogios

### Pattern 1 – Basic Grapevine (64 counts)

1 - 8            Step on R foot to right (1) L across in back of right (2) R to right touch L heel and wiggle L 4 times  
9-16            Step on L foot to left (1) R across in front of left (2) L to left touch R heel and wiggle R

### Pattern 2 – Drag right and left (64 counts)

1 - 6            Step on R foot to right drag and turn L to side, L next to right x 3  
7- 8            R to right, Swing L leg in front of R  
9 -14           Step on L foot to left (1) drag & turn R to side, R next to left x3  
15- 16          L to left, Swing R leg in front of L

### Pattern 3 – Syrtos\* (32 counts)

\* A syrtos has the rhythm (slow quick quick or 1-2&) If done slowly, the dance is a Hasapico. Made for line not to move in LOD

1 2 &           Step R to right, L behind right, R to right  
3 4 &           Step L forward on diagonal, R forward L next to R,  
5 6 &           Step R back on diagonal, L back, R next to left and face forward  
7 8 &           Step L to the left, R behind left L to the left

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