NARANJA DULCE

Mexican singing game for children.

Music:

3/4 meter. See notation below.

Formation: Circle of children, extra person or persons in the ctr.

Measures Pattern

FIG I (CIRCLE MOVES R)

All children in circle join hands and walk to R while singing. Extra person or persons walk around in ctr looking for a ptr. On the words "dame un abrazo" the extra person gives a hug to the one he has chosen and brings him to the ctr where they stand facing each other.

FIG II (LEAVING THE CTR - ADIOS)

All clap hands while still singing, including those in the ctr of circle who are facing each other. On the words "adios señora" the ptrs in the ctr shake hands. On the words "ya me voy" the original person who was in the ctr rejoins the circle, leaving his ptr and the song-game begins over again.

WORDS:

Naranja dulce, limón partido, Dáme un abrazo que yo te pido, Si fueran falsos mis juramentos En otros tiempos se olvidarán Toca la marcha, mi pecho llora; Adiós. Señora, yo ya me voy. Sweet orange, divided lemon, Give me a hug, I beg you; If my vows were false In time they will be forgotten. Play the march, my heart weeps; Good-bye, Senora, I go now.

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