The Eight-Hand Jig, Port Ochtair
An 11-1/4 x 32 bar jig for a square set of 4 couples.
(First make people aware of their partner, corner, centra-corner, and opposite).

(16) Opening: **Lead Around & Back.**

(56) Body: **Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line,**
**Set All Around, Around the House.**

(8) Slipsides:
(2) Slipsides with partner to reform set on diagonals with contra corners.
(2) Rise & Grind.
(4) Repeat to place.

(16) Skip Across.

(16) Swing Into Line. (1,4,3,2).

(8) Set All Around.

(8) Around the House:
Heads and the sides on their Right swing around each other.

(32) 1st Figure: **Advance & Retire** and **Around the House.**
First heads, then sides.

(56) Body: **Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line,**
**Set All Around, Around the House.**

(64) 2nd Figure: **Scots' Chain, Men's Chain,**
**Fancy Men's Chain, Around the House.**
Heads then Sides.

(8) Scots' Chain.

(8) Men's Chain.

(8) Fancy Men's Chain.
(3) Men turn 1-1/2 in center by the Right hand.
(3) Men turn opposite lady by the Left hand.
(2) Men dance straight to place.

(8) Around the House.

(56) Body: **Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line,**
**Set All Around, Around the House.**
(32) 3rd Figure: Arches.
(2) Heads turn once around (crossed hands) to center, leading heads make an arch with their Right hands.
(2) Bottom lady through the arch quickly, meanwhile leading heads turn 1/2.
(2) Bottom man through the arch.
(2) All turn partner both hands to contrary places.
(8) Repeat to original places; bottoms make the arches.
(16) Sides repeat. The leading sides are the couple to the Right of leading heads.

(56) Body: Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line, Set All Around, Around the House.

(40) Closing:
(32) Bend the Ring & Circle.
(8) Lead Around to place.

Caller's Notes for The Eight-hand Jig:

(16) Opening: Lead Around & Back.

(56) Body: Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line, Set All Around, Around the House.

(32) 1st Figure: Advance & Retire and Around the House.

(56) Body: Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line, Set All Around, Around the House.

(64) 2nd Figure: Scots' Chain, Men's Chain, Fancy Men's Chain, Around the House.

(56) Body: Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line, Set All Around, Around the House.

(32) 3rd Figure: Arches.

(56) Body: Slipsides, Skip Across, Swing Into Line, Set All Around, Around the House.

(40) Closing: Bend the Ring & Circle, Lead Around to place.