

# Tom's Song

for the dance "King of California"  
by Tom Senior

Rebecca King, 2012

$\text{♩} = 108$

**A** Am Dm Am D E Am Dm Am

**B** D E A Dm G E

Am Dm Am D Esus F Am E<sup>7</sup> Am

Tom Senior saw the figures for this dance in a dream, and asked me to write a tune to fit the figures. ~RK

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tune: Tom's Song by Rebecca King

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Duple proper longways dance

- A** 1-2 1<sup>st</sup> diagonals dance a chevron, (pass right shoulders in 3 steps, back into neighbor's place in 3 steps) as the 2<sup>nd</sup> diagonals cast into their neighbor's place.  
3-4 Partners turn with 2 hands once around.  
5-6 2<sup>nd</sup> diagonals (now in 1<sup>st</sup> diagonal place) dance a chevron as their partners cast into their original place.  
7-8 Partners turn with 2 hands once around, end facing the other couple ready for a circle of 4.
- B** 1-4 Circle left (6 steps) and right (6 steps), end facing partner.  
5-8 Gate the 1<sup>st</sup> couple down center 1½ times to progress, turn to face partner ready for:  
9-10 Step right and honor partner.

Teaching point: Be sure dancers note their neighbors each time through the dance. ~Tom Senior