

PROFESSIONAL RESUME OF
COUNTRY TEACHER CHOREOGRAPHER AND COMPETITOR

KENNETH ERLE ENGEL

Kenneth Erle Engel (A.K.A. Kentucky Ken)

Dance Career Spanning From 1976 to 1995

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TEACHER

Night Clubs

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| 1976-1978 | Mr. Lucky's | Phoenix, Arizona |
| 1978-1980 | Gilley's | South Pasadena, Texas |
| 1980-1982 | Club Abilene (American Hotel) | Los Angeles, Calif. |
| | J.W.'s Cowboy | Orange County, Calif. |
| | West L.A. Cowboy | Los Angeles, Calif. |
| 1983-1984 | Silver Dollar Saloon | Las Vegas, Nevada |
| 1984-1987 | Club Elvis | Ford Lauderdale, Fla. |
| 1986-1992 | Club Texas | Ford Lauderdale, Fla. |
| 1994-present 1995 | Jack Cinnamon Cinder | Burbank, Ca. |

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PARTIES

- > Dance instruction for CBS Network employees party 1981.
- > Taught dancing at the banquet following the 1981 CLEO awards.
- > Taught dancing at the home of Mort Lindsay, Orchestra Leader for the Merv Griffin Show in 1981.
- > Taught dancing at the home of Randolph Scott in 1981.
- > Produced, emceed and taught at Country party, location: Beverly Garland Hotel, April 1993.
- > Taught dancing at the Marina Del Rey Yacht Club on September 23, 1995.
- > Fund raiser held at the L.A. Equestrian Center in Burbank on March 24 & March 25 for Benefits Crippled Children hosted by William Shatner.

PERFORMANCE

- > Fundraiser hosted by Debbie Reynolds at the Bum Steer in Beverly Hills, 1981.
- > First annual televised CLEO awards at the Bonaventure Hotel in Los Angeles, 1981.
- > Swing Dancer on television show LEAGUE OF THEIR OWN.
- > Two-stepped on L.A. LAW episode.
- > Country line and partner danced on feature film THING CALLED LOVE.
- > Featured square dancer on the situation comedy DELTA.
- > Featured western swing dancer on the television show HARTS OF THE WEST.
- > Featured two-step dancer in the film EDDIE & PENN.
- > Featured swing dancer in the film MOJAVE MOON.
- > Featured swing dancer in the film MY POSSE DON'T DO HOMEWORK.

COMPETITION

- > Two-time National Dance Champion in 1978 (Texas Two Stepped) and 1982 (Western Swing).
- > Winner of the First Annual Inglewood Forum Dance Championship, 1981.
- > Also, numerous competitions held in nightclubs across the nation in which I either danced or judged.

CHOREOGRAPHER

- > Originator of line and partner dances approximately 12 to 14 years ago which is still done in nightclubs across the nation at this time. To name a few line dances: The Tush Push, Cowboy Boogie, Tulsa Time, Flying 8, Armadillo, Texas Freeze, etc. Also, partner dances: Sweetheart Schoddish, the Ten Step and the El Paso.
- > Directed and choreographed for a number of dance organizations in Las Vegas, Nevada, California and Florida.
- > While teaching at Gilleys during the filming of the movie URBAN COWBOY, I was instrumental in teaching the two-step among other dances to the movie principals including John Travolta.

The SWEETHEART Schoddish done today is an updated version of the ORIGINAL that I created in the late 70's & TAUGHT in the 80's. If you would like I could send you the ORIGINAL DANCE SHEET!