

A Dip in the Ocean

TEN QUICKSTEPS
SIXTY-ONE WALTZES
AND FIFTY-SIX MARCHES
FOR THE WORLD

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for performer(s) or listener(s) or record maker(s)

(Transcriptions may be made for other cities, or places, by assembling through chance operations a list of four hundred and twenty-seven addresses and then, also through chance operations, arranging these in ten groups of two, sixty-one groups of three, and fifty-six groups of four.)”

Quicksteps

I

1. North Pacific Ocean - 22 N 173 E
2. Nzerekore, Guinea

II

1. Sofu Gan, (Lot's Wife) Japan
2. Komsomol'sk, Russia - (51 N 134 E)

III

1. Indian Ocean - 45 S 81 E
2. South Atlantic Ocean - 13 S 18 W

IV

1. Indian Ocean - 43 S 78 E
2. Kanazawa, Japan

V

1. South Pacific Ocean - 60 S 143 W
2. Smolensk, Russia

VI

1. Nightingale Island, Tristan da Chuna Group, (U.K.)
2. Dili, Timor

VII

1. Butaritari, Kiribati
2. Enewetak Atoll, Micronesia

VIII

1. Guatemala, Guatemala
2. Rio Branco, Brazil

IX

1. Caroline Island, Line Islands
2. Broken Hill, Australia

X

1. Vishakhapatnam, India
2. Indore, India

Waltzes

I

1. Gaferut, Micronesia
2. North Pacific Ocean - 43 N 179 W
3. North Pacific Ocean - 43 N 155 W

II

1. North Atlantic Ocean - 24 N 53 W
2. Negro River, Brazil
3. Port Moresby, New Guinea

III

1. Ponta Gross, Brazil
2. Aracaju, Brazil
3. Derna, Libya

IV

1. North Pacific Ocean - 41 N 129 W
2. Tarija, Bolivia
3. Tombua, Angola

V

1. Poronaysk, Russia
2. South Atlantic Ocean - 22 S 7 W
3. Cayenne, French Guiana

VI

1. North Atlantic Ocean - 12 N 35 W
2. Acapulco, Mexico
3. La Paz, Bolivia

VII

1. Arabian Sea
2. Berlin, Germany
3. Lhasa, China

VIII

1. South Pacific Ocean - 36 S 91 W
2. Antigua and Barbuda
3. Cape of Good Hope, South Africa

IX

1. South Pacific Ocean - 63 S 111 W
2. Ninety East Ridge, Indian Ocean - 1 N 87 E
3. Labrador Sea

X

1. North Pacific Ocean - 13 N 118 W
2. Pacific Ocean - 10 S 89 W
3. Barbados

XI

1. Ninety East Ridge, Indian Ocean - 16 S 88 E
2. Atlantic Ocean - 6 N 36 W
3. Madrid, Spain

XII

1. Indian Ocean - 17 S 91 E
2. South Pacific Ocean - 56 S 96 W
3. North Atlantic Ocean - 17 N 54 W

XIII

1. Mys Olyutorskiy, Russia
2. Kuwait, Kuwait
3. Black Rock, (U.K.)

XIV

1. Attu, Aleutian Islands
2. Tubuai, Austral Islands, French Polynesia
3. North Atlantic Ocean - 24 N 49 W

XV

1. Osaka, Japan

2. Bourke, Australia
3. Maroochydore, Australia

XVI

1. Coral Sea
2. Gan, Addu Atoll, Maldives
3. Qazvin, Iran

XVII

1. Baker Island
2. Clyde River, Canada
3. Indian Ocean - 48 S 121 E

XVIII

1. Ua Huka, Marquesas Islands, French Polynesia
2. South Pacific Ocean - 57 S 89 W
3. Tahoua, Niger

XIX

1. South Pacific Ocean - 44 S 118 W
2. Queen Maud Land, Antarctica - 77 S 7 W
3. Segou, Mali

XX

1. Isla San Felix, Chile
2. South Atlantic Ocean - 31 S 24 W
3. Ogaden, Ethiopia

XXI

1. South Pacific Ocean - 31 S 81 W
2. San Luis Potosi, Mexico
3. South Pacific Ocean - 43 S 159 W

XXII

1. Moyobamba, Peru
2. Saharanpur, India
3. South Pacific Ocean - 23 S 167 W

XXIII

1. North Pacific Ocean - 27 N 163 W
2. North Pacific Ocean - 12 N 174 W
3. Motorai, Indonesia

XXIV

1. Phitsanulok, Thailand
2. Naha, Okinawa, Japan
3. Calvinia, South Africa

XXV

1. Isla Santa Inez, Chile
2. Atafu, Tokelau
3. North Atlantic Ocean - 27 N 57 W

XXVI

1. Cyrenaica, Libya ? 195 26 0' 17" N 22 59' 57" E -
2. Isla Robinson Crusoe, Juan Fernandez Islands, Chile
3. Helsinki, Finland

XXVII

1. Prince Edward Island, (South Africa)
2. Indian Ocean - 5 S 62 E
3. Indian Ocean - 1 S 94 E

XVIII

1. Shimanovsk, Russia
2. Pacific Ocean - 2 N 97 W
3. Denpasar, Indonesia

XXIX

1. North Atlantic Ocean - 20 N 52 W
2. Kandy, Sri Lanka
3. Southeast Indian Ridge, Indian Ocean - 35 S 87 E

XXX

1. En Nahud, Sudan
2. Libyan Desert - 26 N 23 E
3. Ile de l'Est, Crozet Islands, (France)

XXXI

1. Fderik, Mauritania
2. Ono-i-lau - 323 20 36' 54" S 177 45' 41" W -
3. Paraguay River

XXXII

1. Ostrov Herald, Russia
2. Chandrapur, India
3. Indian Ocean - 7 S 93 E

XXXIII

1. North Pacific Ocean - 31 N 170 E
2. South Pacific Ocean - 47 S 102 W
3. Antsiranana, Madagascar

XXXIV

1. Res. de Caniapiscou, Canada
2. Cargados, Mauritius
3. South Pacific Ocean - 32 S 108 W

XXXV

1. Broome, Australia
2. Nuuk, Greenland
3. Socotra, (Yemen)

XXXVI

1. South Pacific Ocean - 57 S 171 W
2. Tematagi, French Polynesia
3. Aozou, Chad

XXXVII

1. Corumba, Brazil
2. Wollongong, Australia
3. Rapa, Austral Islands, French Polynesia

XXXVIII

1. Wake Island, (US)

2. Corvo, Azores, Portugal
3. Lima, Peru

XXXIX

1. Qaqortoq, Greenland
2. Atlantic Ocean - 2 N 37 W
3. Billiton, Indonesia

XL

1. Salto, Uruguay
2. Trujillo, Peru
3. Monywa, Myanmar

XLI

1. North Pacific Ocean - 11 N 143 W
2. Purus River, Brazil
3. Multan, Pakistan

XLII

1. Svetlogorsk, Russia
2. Lassen Peak, California, USA
3. Kolpashevo, Russia

XLIII

1. Ostrova de Long, Russia
2. Walvis Bay, Namibia
3. Cratere du Nouveau, Quebec, Canada

XLIV

1. Pacific Ocean - 14 N 104 W
2. Tripoli, Libya
3. South Pacific Ocean - 46 S 132 W

XLV

1. Adelie Coast, Antarctica
2. Pacific Ocean - 4 N 140 W
3. Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

XLVI

1. Indian Ocean - 55 S 151 E
2. Kerman, Iran
3. Wilkes Land, Antarctica - 78 S 124 E

XLVII

1. Indian Ocean - 29 S 65 E
2. Longreach, Australia
3. Pacific Ocean - 2 N 100 W

XLVIII

1. Kansk, Russia
2. Queretaro, Mexico
3. South Pacific Ocean - 49 S 146 W

XLIX

1. George Town, Malaysia
2. Timbuktu, Mali
3. Indian Ocean - 58 S 93 E

L

1. Flint Island, Line Islands
2. Ostrov Vrangelya, (Wrangel Island), Russia
3. North Pacific Ocean - 14 N 120 W

LI

1. Paracel Islands
2. North Atlantic Ocean - 29 N 26 W
3. Gulf of Thailand

LII

1. Lupin, Canada
2. Isla Isabela, Galapagos Islands, Ecuador
3. Indian Ocean - 36 S 35 E

LIII

1. Ile de Boynes, Kerguelen Islands, (France)
2. Altay, Mongolia
3. Pyongyang, North Korea

LIV

1. South Atlantic Ocean - 55 S 10 W
2. Auckland Islands, New Zealand
3. North Pacific Ocean - 40 N 172 E

LV

1. Yushu, China
2. Maturin, Venezuela
3. Tessalit, Mali

LVI

1. Cambridge Bay, Victoria Land, Canada
2. Port-au-Prince, Haiti
3. Resistencia, Argentina

LVII

1. East China Sea
2. Gao, Mali
3. Aral Sea, Uzbekistan

LVIII

1. North Pacific Ocean - 31 N 158 E
2. South Pacific Ocean - 59 S 175 W
3. Pico da Neblina, Brazil

LIX

1. Cayenne, French Guiana
2. Spokane, Washington, USA
3. Aleppo, Syria

LX

1. Barrow, Alaska, USA
2. Mahajanga, Madagascar
3. Nagasaki, Japan

LXI

1. Atlantic Ocean - 8 N 37 W

2. Pacific Ocean - 0 N 149 W
3. Cape Mendocino, California, USA

Marches

I

1. Queen Maud Land, Antarctica - 79 S 26 E
2. Pacific Ocean - 0 S 141 W
3. Caribbean Sea
3. Pacific Ocean - 1 N 86 W

II

1. Pacific Ocean - 4 S 98 W
2. Winton, Australia
3. Pucallpa, Peru
4. South Atlantic Ocean - 32 S 5 W

III

1. Indian Ocean - 64 S 56 E
2. Selayar, Indonesia
3. Pacific Ocean - 8 N 171 W
4. Indian Ocean - 36 S 35 E

IV

1. Indian Ocean - 30 S 101 E
2. Timaru, New Zealand
3. Chile Rise, South Pacific Ocean - 42 S 83 W
4. Makassar Strait - 1 S 118 E

V

1. Red Deer, Alberta, Canada
2. Islas Revillagigedo, (Mexico)
3. Medan, Sumatra, Indonesia
4. O. Shmidta, Russia

VI

1. Iles de Horne
2. Kara Sea
3. Obidos, Brazil
4. Annobon, (Equatorial Guinea)

VII

1. Iles de Pingouins, Crozet Islands, (France)
2. Reunion, (France)
3. South Atlantic Ocean - 38 S 8 E
4. Temirtau, Kazakhstan

VIII

1. East Pacific Rise, South Pacific Ocean - 12 S 111 W
2. Napuka, French Polynesia
3. Weddell Sea - 66 S 29 W
4. Luena, Angola

IX

1. South Pacific Ocean - 60 S 89 W

2. Mangalore, India
3. Lubbock, Texas, USA
4. Southeast Indian Ridge, Indian Ocean - 47 S 127 E

X

1. Indian Ocean - 30 S 97 E
2. Rio Branco, Brazil
3. South Pacific Ocean - 46 S 132 W
4. Timor Sea

XI

1. Bahawalpur, Pakistan
2. Isla Cedros, Baja California
3. North Pacific Ocean - 6 N 106 W
4. Lambert Glacier, Antarctica

XII

1. South Atlantic Ocean - 59 S 17 E
2. Santos, Brazil
3. Pacific Ocean - 22 N 114 W
4. North Pacific Ocean - 29 N 174 E

XIII

1. Malaita, Solomon Islands
2. North Atlantic Ocean - 28 N 47 W
3. Pacific Ocean - 2 S 127 W
4. Abidjan, Cote d'Ivoire

XIV

1. Kunashir, Kuril Islands, Russia
2. Indian Ocean - 18 S 76 E
3. Pacific Ocean - 5 S 87 W
4. Mediterranean Sea

XV

1. Mutare, Zimbabwe
2. Antipodes Islands, New Zealand
3. North Atlantic Ocean - 51 N 33 W
4. Tasman Sea

XVI

1. Puerto Deseado, Argentina
2. South Pacific Ocean - 63 S 140 W
3. Reindeer Lake, Canada
4. South Pacific Ocean - 32 S 111 W

XVII

1. Pacific Ocean - 3 N 107 W
2. Pacific Ocean - 14 S 87 W
3. Ha'il, Saudi Arabia
4. Santo Antao, Cape Verde

XVIII

1. North Atlantic Ocean - 27 N 40 W
2. South Atlantic Ocean - 21 S 3 W

3. Maug Islands, Northern Mariana Islands
4. Indian Ocean - 44 S 91 E

XIX

1. North Pacific Ocean - 38 N 143 W
2. Arctic Ocean - 88 N 16 W
3. Sao Tome
4. Namibe, Angola

XX

1. Graham Land, Antarctic Peninsula
2. Lourdes de Blanc-Sablon, Newfoundland, Canada
3. Planalto Do Mato Grosso, Brazil
4. Japan Trench, North Pacific Ocean - 37 N 146 E

XXI

1. North Pacific Ocean - 32 N 163 E
2. South Pacific Ocean - 56 S 163 W
3. South Pacific Ocean - 40 S 178 W
4. South Atlantic Ocean - 44 S 60 W

XXII

1. Indian Ocean - 40 S 87 E
2. North Pacific Ocean - 20 N 157 E
3. Arctic Ocean - 86 N 158 W
4. Marie Byrd Land, Antarctica - 75 S 106 W

XXIII

1. Indian Ocean - 51 S 44 E
2. Bangui, Central African Republic
3. South Pacific Ocean - 48 S 169 W
4. Oeno Island, (U.K.)

XXIV

1. Pacific Ocean - 16 S 120 W
2. Fort Good Hope, Canada
3. Cuenca, Ecuador
4. Palmyra Atoll, Line Islands, (U.S.)

XXV

1. South Pacific Ocean - 33 S 115 W
2. Campbell Plateau, South Pacific Ocean - 51 S 171 E
3. Siling Co, Tibet, China
4. Skovorodino, Russia

XXVI

1. Karamken, Russia
2. Kerguelen Plateau, Indian Ocean - 61 S 71 E
3. El Obeid, Sudan
4. Togliatti, Russia

XXVII

1. North Atlantic Ocean - 28 N 57 W
2. Mozambique Channel
3. Kokenau, Indonesia

4. North Pacific Ocean - 50 N 146 W-

XXVIII

1. Umtata, South Africa?
2. Puerto Villamil, Galapagos Islands, Ecuador
3. Pacific Ocean - 0 N 121 W
4. Indian Ocean - 62 S 113 E

XXIX

1. South Pacific Ocean - 52 S 132 W
2. Indian Ocean - 5 N 53 E
3. Indian Ocean - 44 S 117 E
4. Mitu, Colombia

XXX

1. South Atlantic Ocean - 29 S 16 W
2. North Pacific Ocean - 31 N 161 W
3. Rutog, Tibet, China
4. Queen Maud Land, Antarctica - 73 S 40 E

XXXI

1. South Atlantic Ocean - 47 S 23 W
2. South Pacific Ocean - 34 S 97 W
3. Las Vegas, Nevada, USA
4. Mid Atlantic Ridge, South Atlantic Ocean - 19 S 13 W

XXXII

1. Goulburn, Australia
2. South Pacific Ocean - 35 S 160 W
3. South Pacific Ocean - 28 S 116 W
4. Birnie Island, Phoenix Islands

XXXIII

1. North Pacific Ocean - 10 N 159 W
2. Indian Ocean - 58 S 71 E
3. Isla Cedros, Mexico
4. Ross Ice Shelf, Antarctica

XXXIV

1. Exmouth, Australia
2. South Atlantic Ocean - 8 S 0 E
3. North Pacific Ocean - 24 N 132 W
4. Tamale, Ghana

XXXV

1. Rongerik Atoll, Marshall Islands
2. North Atlantic Ocean - 15 N 50 W
3. Trivandrum, India
4. Raivavae, Austral Islands, Polynesia

XXXVI

1. Saint Kitts and Nevis
2. Pacific Ocean - 8 N 113 W
3. Indian Ocean - 25 S 94 E
4. South Atlantic Ocean - 34 S 32 W

XXVII

1. Perm, Russia
2. Pocatello, Idaho, USA
3. Ile aux Cochons, Crozet Islands, (France)
4. Daloa, Cote d'Ivoire

XXXVIII

1. Orinoco River, Columbian / Venezuelan border
2. Hamilton, New Zealand
3. Wilkes Land, Antarctica - 67 S 103 E
4. Yerevan, Armenia

XXXIX

1. South Pacific Ocean - 20 S 86 W
2. North Atlantic Ocean - 57 N 27 W
3. Arabian Sea
4. Diego Garcia, British Indian Ocean Territory

XL

1. Auckland, New Zealand
2. Merca, Somalia
3. Kimberley, South Africa
4. Karachi, Pakistan

XLI

1. Pacific Ocean - 5 S 85 W
2. Lanzarote, Canary Islands
3. North Atlantic Ocean - 38 N 46 W
4. Isla San Cristobal, Galapagos Islands, Ecuador

XLII

1. North Pacific Ocean - 12 N 146 W
2. South Atlantic Ocean - 36 S 2 E
3. Larsen Ice Shelf, Antarctic Peninsula
4. Emperor Seamounts, North Pacific Ocean - 39 N 167 E

XLIII

1. Cabo San Lucas, Mexico
2. Great Slave Lake, Canada
3. Merir Island, Palau
4. Indian Ocean - 57 S 55 E

XLIV

1. Islas Revillagigedo, Mexico
2. Marotiri, Austral Islands, French Polynesia
3. Hall Peninsula, Canada
4. Rubtsovsk, Russia

XLV

1. Oodnadatta, Australia
2. South Atlantic Ocean - 41 S 42 W
3. Toamasina, Madagascar
4. Bodaybo, Russia

XLVI

1. Smith Glacier, Antarctica
2. Indian Ocean - 47 S 103 E
3. Kathmandu, Nepal
4. North Atlantic Ocean - 41 N 22 W

XLVII

1. Paris, France
2. Atlantic Ocean - 10 S 7 E
3. Bay of Biscay
4. North Pacific Ocean - 42 N 153 W

XLVIII

1. Nassau, Bahamas
2. Indian Ocean - 8 S 100 E
3. North Atlantic Ocean - 14 N 48 W
4. North Pacific Ocean - 19 N 150 E

XLIX

1. South Pacific Ocean - 13 S 94 W
2. Clipperton, (France)
3. Port Louis, Mauritius
4. Eauripik Atoll, Micronesia

L

1. Rongerik Atoll, Micronesia
2. Rankin Inlet, Canada
3. Tongliao, China
4. South Atlantic Ocean - 50 S 18 W

LI

1. Pacific Ocean - 6 N 173 W
2. Minami Tori Shima, (Japan)
3. Atlantic Ocean - 2 S 3 W
4. Al Jawf, Libya - 24 N 23 E

LII

1. Beaufort Sea
2. Pukapuka Atoll, Cook Islands, Polynesia
3. North Atlantic Ocean - 26 N 38 W
4. Fada, Chad

LIII

1. Mangareva, French Polynesia
2. Pacific Ocean - 19 S 132 W
3. South Pacific Ocean - 36 S 114 W
4. Semipalatinsk, Kazakhstan

LIV

1. Siberut, Sumatra, Indonesia
2. South Pacific Ocean - 47 S 84 W
3. Athens, Greece
4. Indian Ocean - 31 S 88 E

LV

1. Saint-Denis, Reunion
2. Pacific Ocean - 4 S 126 W
3. Sea of Okhotsk
4. South Pacific Ocean - 67 S 175 W

LVI

1. North Pacific Ocean - 40 N 158 W
2. North Atlantic Ocean - 18 N 39 W
3. Cloncurry, Australia
4. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil