# Richard Stillman's Shows http://www.richardstillman.com/

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# The Roots of Country Music

Country & Bluegrass music sung and played on banjo & guitar with Will Rogers rope tricks, Country Clog dancing, and cowboy hat tricks.

## The Spirit of Vaudeville:

There are charming song and dance routines, hat tricks, and music played on banjo, guitar, ukulele & musical washboard.

## Jewish Vaudeville:

Gershwin melodies, Yiddish songs and tunes from Fiddler on the Roof with tap dancing, juggling and hat tricks.

## Italian Carnevale

Neapolitan songs on mandolin, concertina and guitar. I tap dance to several Italian waltzes and complete the show with Frank Sinatra favorites.

## World Mosaic of Music & Dance:

Italian mandolin, bagpipes, Irish pennywhistle, African Kalimba, Peruvian panpipes & Hawaiian ukulele. I also perform Spanish flamenco dancing, Chinese ribbon dancing, Irish Step dancing, and Mexican rope spinning.

#### Oktoberfest

Oktoberfest songs on concertina, guitar, and banjo. The show includes tap dancing to German waltzes & a musical washboard routine.

#### Latin Festival

Latin music on guitar, Puerto Rican Cuatro, & Peruvian panpipes. Dances include: Flamenco dancing, a Mexican hat dance and rope dance.

#### The Irish Balladeer

Traditional Irish storytelling, music and step dancing are accompanied by bagpipes, mandolin, banjo, guitar, bodhran, and pennywhistle.

## Hawaiian Luau

I sing popular Hawaiian songs and play ukulele and guitar. Then I tap dance while spinning Hawaiian poi balls, and puilli sticks.

#### Mardi Gras Show

New Orleans jazz tunes on the tenor banjo, ukulele and guitar. I include tap dancing, hat tricks, juggling and musical novelty instruments.

## **Broadway Music & Dance**

Show tunes on tenor banjo, guitar & ukulele that include: Cabaret, Chicago, Fiddler & Hello Dolly. There are several Broadway style tap dances.

## Holiday Troubador

A holiday program that includes Christmas carols, Chanukah songs, & Kwanza music on banjo, mandolin, bagpipes, guitar, & African talking drum.

#### Patriotic Show

Patriotic music on banjo, guitar & bagpipes. I sing & tap dance several of George M. Cohan's songs and perform a musical washboard routine.

# Sock Hop Show

Early Rock and Roll, Elvis & Beatles music on guitar, banjo and ukulele with various tap dances and hat tricks.

# Square Dance Caller

I call both traditional square dances and Country line dances. I have a playful, easy style and am just fine working with beginners. In between dances I sing and play guitar and banjo & do some cowboy rope tricks.

#### World Folktales

I have a deep background in storytelling. This show includes stories from many countries. I accompany each story with a musical instrument.