

Achy Breaky Heart (ESP 177) Elmer Sheffield, Jr.

OPENER - MIDDLE BREAK - CLOSER Basic

Circle left!

*You can tell the world, you never was my girl
You can burn my clothes when I'm gone

Left allemande the corner, turn partner by the right

Left allemande then **weave the ring**

But don't tell my heart, my achy breaky heart

Swing your girl around and **promenade**

If you tell my heart, my achy breaky heart

He might blow up and kill this man

FIGURE Basic, corner progression

Heads promenade, go half way around

Walk right in and square thru go four

Four hands around and then **swing thru** you know

Boys run right and **couples circulate**

Chain down the line and then **square thru go three**

Swing the corner girl and **promenade**

Don't tell my heart, my achy breaky heart

I just don't think he'd understand

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I said he might blow up and kill this man

ALTERNATE LYRICS

*You can tell your friends, just what a fool I've been
And laugh and joke about me on the phone

**You can tell your ma, I've moved to Arkansas
You can tell your dog to bite my leg