

A Matter of Trust

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Words and Music by Billy Joel – 1986

Album – The Bridge

Opener:

Circle left. Some love is just a lie of the heart. The cold remains from began with a passionate start. Now, the **men star right** one time. **Left allemande** and you **weave the ring.** I've lived long enough to have learned the closer you get to the fire the more you get burned; but that won't happen to us because it's always been a matter of trust.

Figures (Twice for heads, twice for sides)

Heads (sides) promenade halfway around. Walk in and **square thru** go **four hands** around that ol' ring. **Right and left thru** you know. **Pass thru** and **trade by.** **Touch a quarter, scoot back** and then. **Swing** your corner girl and all promenade that ol' ring. But that won't happen to us because it's always been a matter of trust.

Middle Break:

Circle left. You can't go the distance with too much resistance. The **men star right** one time, **left allemande** and **weave** that ol' ring. It's hard when you're always afraid. You just recover when another belief is betrayed. So, break my heart if you must because it's always been a matter of trust.

Closer:

I know you're an emotional girl. It took a lot for you to not lose your faith in this world. The **men star right** one time, **left allemande** and **weave** that ol' ring. Some love is just a lie of the heart. The cold remains from began as a passionate start. But that can't happen to us; because it's always been a matter of trust.

Tag:

It's a matter of trust. Yes, it's always been a matter of trust.

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