

Next Big Swing!

Count: 48

Wall: 2

Level: Intermediate



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Music: Next Big Thing - Jon Mero

Intro: 16 counts (after 8 seconds)

Sequence: 48, 40 - restart, 40 - restart, 48, 16 + 4c Tag - restart, 48, 16, Ending

Step, Kick, Step Back, Coaster 1/4 Cross w/ Dip, 1/4 Forward, Chase 1/2 Turn

1-2-3 Step R forward (1), Kick L forward (2), Step L back (3)
4&5 Step R back (4), Close L next to R (&), Make 1/4 R as you cross R over L (5) [3:00]

Note: On Count 5, bend the knees and twist the upper body to the R – sharp!

6 Make 1/4 L stepping L forward (6) [12:00]
7&8 Step R forward (7), Pivot 1/2 L taking weight onto L (&) [6:00], Step R forward (8)

Walk, Walk, & Side Rock, Cross 1/8 Back, Cross Behind, Chasse 3/8 Turn

1-2 Walk forward L (1), Walk forward R (2)
&3 Quickly Rock L to L side (&), Recover weight onto R (3)
4&5 Cross L over R (4), Step R to R (&), Make 1/8 L stepping L back (5) [4:30]
6 Cross R behind L (6)
7&8 Make 1/8 L stepping L to L (7) [3:00], Close R next to L (&), Make 1/4 L stepping L forward (8) [12:00] ** -

Add 4 count tag here on Wall 5 [12:00] and restart the dance facing 6:00

Side Rock w/ Lean, Recover, Ball Side, Swivel Heel Toe, Cross, Step Back, Chasse 1/4 Turn

1-2 Rock to R as you lean with R shoulder (1), Recover weight on L (2)
&3&4 Quickly close R next to L (&), Step L to L (3), Swivel R heel in (&), Swivel R toes in (4)
5-6 Cross R over L (5), Step L back (6)

Note: On Wall 1 only, chop across the body with R hand on count 5 (“strike it while it’s hot”)

7&8 Step R to R (7), Close L next to R (&), Make 1/4 R stepping R forward (8) [3:00]

Step 1/2 Pivot, Step 1/2 Pivot, Consecutive Lock Steps, Step Forward

1-2 Step L forward (1), Make 1/2 R taking weight onto R (2) [9:00]
3-4 Step L forward (3), Make 1/2 R taking weight onto R (4) [3:00]
5&6 Step L forward (5), Lock R behind L (&), Step L forward (6)
&7&8 Step R forward (&), Lock L behind R (7), Step R forward (&), Step L forward (8)

Cross, Heel Digs x2, Weave Behind 3/8, Walk, Walk, Boogie Run Forward

1-2-3 Cross R over L (1), Dig L Heel into L diagonal (2) [1:30], Dig L Heel into L diagonal (3)

Note: Push both hands up on the heel digs

4&5-6 Cross L behind R (4), Make 3/8 R stepping on R (&) [6:00], Walk forward L (5), Walk forward R (6)
7&8 Run forward L (7), R (&), L (8) * - Restart here on Wall 2 (12:00) and Wall 3 (6:00)

Note: Bend/Roll Knees in the style of a Boogie Run (“feel that rhythm underneath your feet”)

Step, Mambo Forward, Heel Fans Back x2, Coaster Step, & Lock Unwind Full Turn

1-2& Step R forward (1), Rock Forward on L (2), Recover back on R (&)
3-4 Step L back as you fan R toes to R (3), Step R back as you fan L toes to L (4)
5&6 Step L back (5), Close R next to L (&), Step L forward (6)
&7-8 Quickly Step R forward (&), Lock L behind R (7), Unwind Full Turn L taking weight on L (8) [6:00]

Easier Option for 7-8: Make 1/2 L stepping R back (7) [12:00], Make 1/2 L stepping L forward (8) [6:00]

Restarts – After 40 counts (*) on Wall 2 (12:00) and Wall 3 (6:00)

Tag & Restart – After 16 counts of Wall 5 (), add the following 4 count tag, and then restart facing 6:00:**

Step & Shimmy w/ Slow 1/2 Pivot Turn

1-4 Step R forward and shimmy shoulders as you slowly pivot 1/2 L (1-3) [6:00]

Ending – Dance 16 counts of Wall 7, and then step R to R side facing 12:00