

Fooling Around



Count: 32

Wall: 2

Level: Intermediate - Rolling 8-count

Choreographer: Julia Wetzel and Simon Ward - April 2017

Music: Don't Be a Fool by Shawn Mendes (album: Illuminate), Length 3:35, BPM = 59

Intro: 16 counts, start 1 count before lyrics "Don't waste your time" (approx. 17 sec. into track)

[1 – 8] Diag. Sweep, Cross, Side, Behind Sweep, Behind, $\frac{1}{8}$ Side, $\frac{1}{8}$ Step, Rock, Back, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{3}{4}$

1, 2a3 Step L fw to left diag. and sweep R from side to front (10:30) (1), Cross R over L (2), Step L to left side (a), Step R behind L and sweep L from front to back (3) 10:30
4&a5 Step L behind R (4), $\frac{1}{8}$ Turn right step R to right side (12:00) (&), $\frac{1}{8}$ Turn right step L fw (1:30) (a), Rock R fw (5) 1:30
6a7 Recover on L (6), Step R back (a), $\frac{1}{4}$ Turn left step L to left side (10:30) (7) 10:30
8a $\frac{1}{4}$ Turn right step R fw (1:30) (8), $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn right step L back (a) 7:30

[9 – 16] Back Basic, Fw Basic, $\frac{1}{8}$ Sweep, Weave, Side, $1\frac{1}{4}$ Sweep, Twinkle

1&a2&a3 Step R back (7:30) (1), Step L next to R (&), Replace weight on R (a), Step L fw (2), Step R next to L (&), Replace weight on L (a), Step R fw and sweep L from back to front making $\frac{1}{8}$ turn right on R squaring to 9:00 (3) 9:00
4&a5 Cross L over R (4), Step R to right side (&), Step L behind R (a), Step R to right side (5) 9:00
6a7 $\frac{1}{4}$ Turn left step L fw (6), $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn left step R back (a), $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn left step L fw sweep R from back to front (7) 6:00
8&a Cross R over L (8), Step L to left side (&), Replace weight on R (a) 6:00

[17 – 24] Cross Sweep, Cross, Side, $\frac{1}{8}$ Back Rock, $\frac{1}{2}$, Back Rock, $\frac{1}{2}$, Back Touch, $\frac{1}{2}$, Side Rock

1, 2a3 Cross L over R and sweep R from back to front (1), Cross R over L (2), Step L to left side (a), $\frac{1}{8}$ Turn right rock R back (7:30) (3) 7:30
4a5 Recover on L (4), $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn left step R back (1:30) (a), Rock L back (5) 1:30
6a7 Recover on R (6), $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn right step L back (7:30) (a), Touch R back (7) 7:30
8&a $\frac{1}{2}$ Turn right on R (1:30) (8), Small rock L to left side (&), Recover on R (a) 1:30

[25 – 32] $\frac{1}{8}$ Kick, Back, $\frac{1}{4}$ Side, $\frac{1}{2}$ Sweep, Sailor, Cross Rock, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, Side, Behind Rock

1, 2a3 $\frac{1}{8}$ Turn right step L fw and kick R fw squaring to 3:00 (1), Step R back (2), $\frac{1}{4}$ Turn left step L to left side (a), Step R in front of (or slightly across) L and make $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left on R sweep L from front to back (3) 6:00
4&a5 Step L behind R (4), Step R to right side (&), Step L to left side (a), Cross rock R over L (5) 6:00
6a7 Recover on L (6), $\frac{1}{4}$ Turn right step R fw (a), Step L fw and make $\frac{3}{4}$ turn right on L slightly hitching R (7) 6:00
8&a Step R to right side (8), Small rock L behind R (&), Recover on R (a) 6:00

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