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| **Count:** | 32 | **Wall:** | 4 | **Level:** | Intermediate NC2S | . |
| **Choreographer:** | Maria Maag (DK) - November 2016 | | | | |
| **Music:** | The Rose - Westlife : (Album: Greatest Hits) | | | | |
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**Intro: 8 counts from first beat**

**Tags: 4 counts after wall 2 (Facing 06:00) and after wall 4 (Facing 12:00) see more details below.**

**Note: On wall 6 after count 28 (facing 6:00), slightly hold for a ½ count before you continue with the dance**

**(music slows down, so follow the beat)**

**Ending: On wall 7 after 8& counts ( facing 9:00) music slows down so follow the music.**

**Slightly hold before the last beat in music, turn ¼ R on R sweep L fw.(1)…The End**

**[1 – 8] Basic R, side rock L cross L ¼ L ½ L sweep R, cross R, basic L**

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| 1-2& | Step R to R (1), close L behind R (2), cross R over L (&) 12:00 |

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| 3&4& | Rock L to L (3), recover R (&), cross L over R (4), turn ¼ L stepping back R (&) 09:00 |

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| 5-6 | Turn ½ L stepping down L and sweep R fw. (5), cross R over L (6) 03:00 |

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| 7-8& | Step L to L (7), close R behind L (8), cross L over R (&) 03:00 |

**[9 – 16] ¼ L Stepping back R sweep back L, step back L sweep back R, back rock R recover L run 1/8 L run 1/8 L, sway R L, vine ¼ R**

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| 1–2 | Turn ¼ L Stepping back R and sweep L back (1), step back L and sweep back R (2) 12:00 |

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| 3&4& | Rock back R (3), recover L (&), turn 1/8 L and run fw. R (4), turn 1/8 L and run fw. L (&) 09:00 |

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| 5-6 | Step R to side and Sway upper body R (5), sway L (6) 09:00 |

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| 7-8& | Step R to R (7), cross L behind R (8), turn ¼ R stepping down R (&) 12:00 |

**[17 – 24] ¼ R basic L, rolling vine R 1 ¼ R, Step ½ turn R with sweep L fw. walk fw. L+R, mambo fw. L**

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| 1-2& | Turn ¼ R stepping L to L (1), close R behind L (2), cross L over R (&) 03:00 |

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| 3&4& | Turn ¼ R stepping down R (3), turn ½ R stepping back L (&), turn ½ R stepping fw. R (4), step fw. L (&) 06:00 |

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| 5-6 | Turn ½ R stepping down R and sweep L fw. (5), walk fw. L (6) 12:00 |

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| 7-8& | Walk fw. R (7), rock fw. L (8), recover R (&) 12:00 |

**[25 – 32] Turn ½ L Step fw. L sweep R, cross rock R recover L side R cross L ¼ L stepping back R, side step L cross R, lunge L to L, side R together L**

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| 1-2& | Turn ½ L stepping down L and sweep R fw.(1), cross rock R over L (2), recover L (&) 06:00 |

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| 3&4 | Step R to R (3), cross L over R (&), turn ¼ L stepping back R and sweep L to L (4) 03:00 |

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| 5-6 | Step L to L (5), cross R over L (6) 03:00 |

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| 7-8& | Lunge L to L (7), recover R (8), step L next to R (&) 03:00 |

**Tag: Basic R, Basic L**

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| 1-2& | Step R to R (1), close L behind R (2), cross R over L (&) |

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| 3-4& | Step L to L (3), close R behind L (4), cross L over R (&) |

**Enjoy...:-)**

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