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| Puppet on Your String |  |

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| **Count:** | 32 | **Wall:** | 2 | **Level:** | High Intermediate NC2S | . |
| **Choreographer:** | Jannie Tofte Stoian (DK) - January 2017 | | | | |
| **Music:** | Mercy - Shawn Mendes : (iTunes) | | | | |
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**Tags/Restart: Restart on wall 5 after 16 counts. 1 tag after wall 6**

**Intro: 16 counts intro (app. 13 seconds into song.)**

**[1-8] Rock ½ R, Step sweep, Weave sweep, Behind side cross, Scissor step**

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| 1-2& | Rock r fw, recover onto L, turn ½ R stepping R fw 06:00 |

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| 3 | Step L fw sweeping R ccw 06:00 |

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| 4&5 | Cross R over L, step L to L side, cross R behind L sweeping L ccw 06:00 |

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| 6&7 | Cross L behind R, step R to R side, cross L over R 06:00 |

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| &8& | Step R to R side, step L next to R, cross R over L (facing L diagonal/prep) 06:00 |

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**[9-16] ¾ R figure 4, Step full turn R sweep, Jazz box ¼ L, Cross ¼ R ¼ R, Cross rock side ⅛ L**

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| 1 | Turn ¼ R stepping L back putting R foot to L knee, keep turning another ½ R on your L 03:00 |

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| 2&3 | Step R fw, turn ½ R stepping L back, turn ½ R stepping R fw sweeping L cw 03:00 |

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| 4&5 | Cross L over R, turn ⅛ L stepping R back, turn ⅛ L stepping L to L side 12:00 |

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| 6&7 | Cross R over L, turn ¼ R stepping L back, turn ¼ R stepping R to R side 06:00 |

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| &8& | Rock L over R, recover onto R, turn ⅛ L stepping L to L side |

**Restart here on wall 5 – square up/no diagonal (you’ll be facing 06:00 when it happens) 04:30**

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**[17-24] Rock step ½ R, Rock step ⅜ L, Step, Step ½ R step, ½ ¼ L cross**

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| 1-2& | Rock R fw, recover onto L, turn ½ R stepping R fw 10:30 |

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| 3-4& | Rock L fw, recover onto R, turn ⅜ L stepping L fw 06:00 |

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| 5 | Step R fw 06:00 |

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| 6&7 | Step L fw, turn ½ R stepping onto R, step L fw 12:00 |

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| &8& | Turn ½ L stepping R back, turn ¼ L stepping L to L side, cross R over L 03:00 |

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**[25-32] Basic L, ½ L sweep, Side cross, Basic L, ¼ ½ L, Step ½ L**

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| 1-2& | Step L to L side, close R behind L, cross L over R 03:00 |

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| 3 | Turn ¼ L stepping R back and sweeping L ccw, keep sweeping L while turning another ¼ L on your R – weight stays on R (it all happens on count 3) 09:00 |

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| 4& | Step L to L side, cross R over L 09:00 |

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| 5-6& | Step L to L side, close R behind L, cross L over R 09:00 |

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| 7& | Turn ¼ L stepping R back, turn ½ L stepping L fw 12:00 |

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| 8& | Step R fw, turn ½ L stepping onto L 06:00 |

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**TAG: Step sweep, Touch ball (step) (after wall 6 – facing 12:00)**

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| 1 | Step R fw sweeping L in a circle cw 12:00 |

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| 2& | Touch L next to R, step down on L 12:00 |

**(1) Rock R fw (beginning of dance) 12:00**

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**Ending: On wall 8 (starts facing 06:00). Dance up until count 22. Add count 23 stepping L fw but sweep R ccw turning ½ L to face the front**

**Good luck & enjoy**

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