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| **Count:** | 40 | **Wall:** | 4 | **Level:** | Improver | . |
| **Choreographer:** | Camilla Kjaer Haagensen (DK) - November 2019 |
| **Music:** | Even Though I'm Leaving - Luke Combs : (iTunes) |
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**This dance is dedicated to my dear dad somewhere among the stars. With great thanks to my few, but devoted dancers, none mentioned and none forgotten. I hope you will enjoy this wonderful music and remember to smile when you dance!**

**Start: 16 count intro begin the dance on the word “afraid”, the dance is counter clockwise.**

**Restart: wall 5 after 12 counts.**

**Tag: After wall 2, rocking chair**

**Section 1: Side, together, R chassé , L cross rock, L chassé ¼**

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| 1-2 | Step RF to the right side, close LF next to RF (12 O’clock) |

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| 3&4 | Step RF right, close LF to RF, step RF to the right ( 12 O´clock) |

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| 5-6 | Cross rock LF over RF, recover on RF |

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| 7&8 | Step LF to the left, close RF next to LF, turn ¼ step forward LF (9 O’clock) |

**Section 2: Walk, walk, R ½ pivot turn step, L ½ back, back, L coaster**

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| 1-2 | Step forward on RF, Step forward on LF ( 9 O’clock) |

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| 3&4 | Step forward on RF, make ½ turn left, step forward on RF ( 3 O’clock) |

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| 5- 6 | Make ½ to the right step back on LF, step back on RF ( 9 O´clock) |

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| 7&8 | Step back on LF, step RF beside LF, step forward on LF (9 O´clock) |

**Section 3: R Side rock, L behind side cross, L side rock, R behind side ¼**

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| 1- 2 | Rock RF to the right, recover on LF ( 9 O´clock) |

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| 3&4 | Cross RF behind LF, step LF to the left, cross RF over LF ( 9 O´clock) |

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| 5- 6 | Rock LF to the left, recover on RF ( 9 O´clock) |

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| 7&8 | Cross LF behind RF, step RF to the right, make ¼ turn to the right step forward on LF ( 12 O´clock) |

**Section 4: Walk, walk, (option full turn),R step-lock-step, L jazz box cross**

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| 1-2 | Step forward on RF, step forward on LF ( ½ turn to the left step back on RF, ½ turn to the left step forward on LF) ( 12 O´clock) |

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| 3&4 | Step forward on RF, lock LF behind RF, step forward on RF ( 12 O´clock) |

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| 5-6 | Cross LF over RF, step back on RF ( 12 O´clock) |

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| 7-8 | Make ¼ turn left step forward on LF, cross RF over LF (9 O´clock) |

**Section 5: Side, together, ½ shuffle, 2x ¼ paddle turn**

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| 1-2 | Step LF to the left, close RF next to LF ( 9 O´clock) |

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| 3&4 | Make ½ turn to the left step back on LF, close RF next to LF, step forward on LF ( 3 O´clock) |

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| 5 – 6 | Step forward on RF, make ¼ turn to the left weight on LF (12 O´clock) |

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| 7-8 | Step forward on RF, make ¼ turn to the left weight on LF (9 O´clock) |

**Restart: wall 5, after 12 counts, change pivot turn step to pivot turn touch**

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| 3&4 | Step forward on RF, make ½ turn left, touch RF next to LF and begin the dance from the top stepping RF to the right. |

**Tag: At the end of wall 2 make a rocking chair**

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| 1-2 | rock forward on RF, recover on LF |

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| 3-4 | rock back on RF, recover on LF and begin the dance from the top |