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| **Count:** | 32 | **Wall:** | 4 | **Level:** | Beginner | . |
| **Choreographer:** | Bill Bader (CAN) | | | | |
| **Music:** | Jambalaya (On the Bayou) - Eddy Raven & Jo-El Sonnier | | | | |
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**Start the pattern after 16 counts. This allows an extra pattern to be completed before the words commence. (Or, you might want to wait 48 counts for the words.)**

**"COTTON EYED JOES": LEFT HOOK, KICK, SHUFFLE BACK, REPEAT WITH RIGHT**

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| 1 | Raising left knee, hook left heel up across front of right knee |

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| 2 | Kick left forward |

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| 3&4 | Shuffle back: left-right-left |

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| 5 | Raising right knee, hook right heel up across front of left knee |

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| 6 | Kick right forward |

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| 7&8 | Shuffle back: right-left-right |

**LEFT CROSS-ROCK-ROCK, RIGHT CROSS-ROCK-ROCK, CHASSE TO RIGHT SIDE**

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| 9&10 | Cross step left over right, rock back onto right, rock forward onto left |

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| 11&12 | Cross step right over left, rock back onto left, rock forward onto right |

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| 13& | Cross step left over right, step ball of right slightly to right side |

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| 14& | Cross step left over right, step ball of right slightly to right side |

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| 15& | Cross step left over right, step ball of right slightly to right side |

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| 16 | Cross step left over right |

**RIGHT CROSS-ROCK-ROCK, LEFT CROSS-ROCK-ROCK, CHASSE TO LEFT SIDE**

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| 17&18 | Cross step right over left, rock back onto left, rock forward onto right |

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| 19&20 | Cross step left over right, rock back onto right, rock forward onto left |

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| 21& | Cross step right over left, step ball of left slightly to left side |

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| 22& | Cross step right over left, step ball of left slightly to left side |

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| 23& | Cross step right over left, step ball of left slightly to left side |

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| 24 | Cross step right over left |

**LEFT SHUFFLE FORWARD, PADDLE TURN 1/8 1/8 (QUARTER TURN LEFT) RIGHT SHUFFLE FORWARD, PADDLE TURN ¼ ¼ (HALF TURN RIGHT)**

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| 25&26 | Shuffle forward: left-right-left |

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| & | Extend right toe to right side and slightly forward with minimal weight on right |

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| 27 | Turn 1/8 left (10:30) by swiveling both heels slightly right-weight on left |

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| &28 | Repeat &27 turning another 1/8 left (face 9:00) |

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| 29&30 | Shuffle forward: right-left-right |

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| & | Extend left toe forward with minimal weight on left |

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| 31 | Turn ¼ right (12:00) by swiveling both heels left-weight on right |

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| &32 | Repeat &31 turning another ¼ right (face 3:00) |

**REPEAT**