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| Irish Spirit (aka Baileys) |  |

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| **Count:** | 32 | **Wall:** | 4 | **Level:** | Intermediate | . |
| **Choreographer:** | Maggie Gallagher (UK) - March 2008 |
| **Music:** | Celtic Rock - David King : (Album: Spirit of the Dance, 1-16 count TAG) |
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**Music available from www.spiritofthedance.com**

**Intro : 16 counts (8 secs) (Total Song Duration 2m 30s)**

**The dance moves in a Clockwise direction.**

**STEP, SCUFF-HITCH-CROSS, RIGHT COASTER-CROSS, HITCH, RIGHT CROSS STOMP, RECOVER, TOGETHER, LEFT CROSS STOMP, RECOVER, TOGETHER, RIGHT CROSS STOMP**

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| 1& | Step forward on right, Scuff forward on left (12:00) |

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| 2& | Hitch left knee forward, Cross left over right |

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| 3&4 | Step back on right, Step left next to right, Cross right over left |

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| &5 | Low hitch right, Stomp cross right over left |

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| &6 | Recover onto left, Step right next to left |

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| &7 | Cross stomp left over right, Recover onto right |

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| &8 | Step left next to right, Cross stomp right over left |

**LEFT SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, VINE RIGHT, RIGHT SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, VINE LEFT**

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| 1,2 | Rock out to left side, Recover onto right |

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| 3&4 | Cross left behind right, Step right to right side, Cross left over right |

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| 5,6 | Rock out to right side, Recover onto left |

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| 7&8 | Cross right behind left, Step left to left side, Cross right over left |

**SIDE LEFT, BACK RIGHT, RECOVER, STEP, ½ PIVOT LEFT, FULL TURN RIGHT, POINT RIGHT FORWARD**

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| &1,2 | Step left to left side, Rock back on right, Recover onto left |

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| 3,4,5 | Step forward on right, Make ½ pivot turn left, Walk forward on right (6:00) |

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| 6&7 | Make ½ turn right stepping back on left, Make ½ turn right stepping forward on right, Step forward on left (6:00) |

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| 8 | Point right toe forward |

**HOLD, TOGETHER, POINT LEFT FORWARD, TOGETHER, CROSS BEHIND, UNWIND ¾ RIGHT, SIDE ROCK, VINE RIGHT**

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| &2 | Step right next to left, Point left toe forward |

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| &3 | Step left next to right, Touch right toe behind left |

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| 4 | Unwind ¾ turn right (3:00) |

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| 5,6 | Rock out to left side, Recover onto right side |

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| 7&8 | Cross left behind right, Step right to right side, Cross left over right |

**Begin again.**

**TAG - 16 counts: After wall 4 – Facing the front wall**

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| 1&2 | Cross stomp right over left, recover onto left, Step right next to left |

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| &3&4 | Cross stomp left over right, Recover onto right, Step left next to right, Cross stomp right over left |

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| &5&6 | Low hitch right, Stomp cross right over left, Recover onto left, Step right next to left |

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| &7&8 | Cross stomp left over right, Recover onto right, Step left next to right, Cross stomp right over left |

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| 1,2,3,4 | Replace weight onto left and start walking round clockwise in a circle to start a full turn – R, L, R, L |

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| 5,6,7,8 | Continue walking round to complete the circle to end up facing the front wall again – R, L, R, L |

**Restart the dance from the beginning.**