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| **Count:** | 64 | **Wall:** | 0 | **Level:** | Easy Intermediate Partner | . |
| **Choreographer:** | Angie Leyland (UK) - August 2013 | | | | |
| **Music:** | Purple Heather - The Saloon Drifters | | | | |
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**This arrangement by Neil Woodward - Track available - saloondrifers.webs.com (109 bpm)**

**Same foot work throughout unless stated**

**Start in Indian position (Man behind Lady) facing OLOD**

**24 count intro starting on bag pipes**

**Intro: BUMP HIPS 2 RIGHT, 2 LEFT,RIGHT,LEFT,RIGHT,LEFT**

**(extra 8 beats)**

**STEP SLIDE, STEP TOUCH X 2**

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| 1-4 | Step Rt to Rt side, slide Lt up to Rt, step Rt to Rt side touch Lt next to Rt |

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| 5-8 | Step Lt to Lt side, slide Rt up to Lt, step Lt to Lt side touch Rt next to Lt |

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**STEP SLIDE, STEP TOUCH X 2, (TURNING THE LADY FULL TURN)**

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| 9-12 | Mens steps same as 1-4 Raising Rt hand, Ladys Rt hand turning lady full turn Rt |

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| 13-16 | Mens steps same as 5-8 Raising Rt hand, Ladys Rt hand turning lady full turn Lt |

**1/8th TURN, 1/8th TURN PIVOTS TURNING RIGHT**

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| 17-20 | Putting weight on Rt ball of foot & turn two 1/8th turns (now facing LOD) |

**ROCK FWD, ROCK BK, RIGHT SHUFFLE BACK (SWEETHEART POSITION)**

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| 21-22 | Rock fwd on Rt, Rock back on Lt |

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| 23&24 | Right shuffle backwards RLR |

**ROCK BK, ROCK FWD , WALK WALK, SHUFFLE, WALK WALK**

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| 25-28 | Rock Back on Lt, rock fwd on Rt, Walk Lt Rt |

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| 29&30 31-32 | Shuffle Fwd LRL, walk Rt Walk Lt |

**TOE HEEL, SHUFFLE , TOE HEEL SHUFFLE X 2**

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| 33-34 35&36 | Rt toe,Rt heel, Rt shuffle Fwd RLR |

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| 37-38 39&40 | Lt toe, Lt heel, Lt shuffle Fwd LRL |

**ROCK ROCK CROSS SHUFFLE (LADY) RT BEHIND CHA CHA CHA (MAN)**

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| 41-42 | Lady rock out on Rt foot recover on Lt Man steps to Rt, cross Lt behind |

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| 43&44 | Lady Rt cross shuffle travelling Lt, RLR in front of man changing places |

**Man cha cha cha traveling slightly Rt RLR**

**Keeping hold of both hands, Man brings ladys Lt hand over her head.**

**Hands should now be crossed over in front (Lf over Rt)**

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**ROCK ROCK CROSS SHUFFLE (LADY) LT BEHIND CHA CHA CHA (MAN)**

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| 45-46 | Lady rocks out on Lt foot recover on Rt Man steps to Lt cross Rt behind |

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| 47&48 | Lady Lt cross shuffle travelling Rt LRL Man cha cha cha traveling slightly Lt LRL |

**Keeping hold of both hands, Man brings ladys Lt hand over her head**

**Back into sweetheart position**

**TOE HEEL, SHUFFLE , TOE HEEL 1/4 SHUFFLE**

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| 49-50 51&52 | Rt toe,Rt heel, Rt shuffle Fwd RLR |

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| 53-54 55&56 | Lt toe, Lt heel, Lt shuffle making ¼ turn Rt (facing OLOD) |

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|  | (Back into Indian position) |

**BUMP HIPS 2 RIGHT, 2 LEFT,RIGHT,LEFT,RIGHT,LEFT**

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| 57-64 | Bump hips Rt twice, Lt Twice, then RLRL. |

**The dance will finish in this position were you hear the bag pipes**

**Plenty of style and cuddles at this stage**

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**HAVE FUN**

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**Thanks to Phil for helping with the Mens steps &**

**A special thanks to The Saloon Drifters for letting me Choreograph this partner dance to Purple Heather**

**Happy Dancing and Miles of Smiles from Angie**

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