# Take The Road

Level: Intermediate

Choreographer: Sandra Speck (UK) - May 2016

Music: Road Less Traveled - Lauren Alaina : (Album: Lauren Alaina EP - iTunes)

#### #8 count intro, approx. 4 seconds

**Count:** 64

### S1. KICK OUT OUT, KNEE IN OUT, SAILOR STEP X 2

- 1&2 Kick R foot forward, step R to side, step L to side
- 3 4Bend R knee in, bend R knee out
- 5&6 Cross R behind L, step L to side, step R to side (travelling slightly back)
- Cross L behind R, step R to side, step L to side " " 7&8

### S2. BACK ROCK, KICK BALL STEP, TAP BACK, COASTER STEP

- 1 2 Rock back on R foot, recover on to L
- 3&4 Kick R forward, step R next to L, step a big step forward on L
- 5 6Tap R behind L, step back on R
- 7&8 Step back on L, close R next to L, step forward on L

### S3. HEEL GRIND, COASTER STEP, SCUFF BACK, SIT DOWN, UP

- 1 2Grind R heel across L, step L to L side
- 3&4 Step back on R, close L next to R, step forward on R
- 5 6Scuff L foot forward, step back on L
- 7 8 Bend knees slightly as you 'sit' back, straighten up (or push hips back, and forwards)

### S4. SIT DOWN, UP, STEP TURN ¼, CROSS, SIDE, TOUCH ½ TURN LEFT

- 1 2 Bend knees slightly as you 'sit' back, straighten up (or push hips back, and forwards)
- 3 4 Step forward on left, pivot ¼ R transferring weight to R
- 5 6 Cross L over R, step R to R side
- 7 8 Touch left behind R, make 1/2 turn L, transferring weight to L

### S5. SHUFFLE FORWARD STEP PIVOT 3/4, CHASSE, BACK ROCK

- Shuffle forward R-L-R 1&2
- 3 4 Step forward L, pivot <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn R transferring weight to R
- 5&6 Step L to side, close R next to L, step L to side
- 7 8 Rock back on to R, recover on to L

### S6. TURN ¼ X 2, CROSS ROCK, TURN ¼, ½ X 2 STEP

- 1 2Turn ¼ L stepping back on right. Turn ¼ L stepping L to side
- 3 4 Cross R over L, recover on to L
- 5 6Turn ¼ R stepping forward on R, turn ½ R stepping back on L
- 7 8Turn 1/2 R stepping forward on R, step forward on L \*Restart\*
- (Easy option for counts 6, 7 walk forward L-R)

### S7. FORWARD ROCK OUT OUT BACK, BACK OUT OUT BACK, BACK

- 1 2Rock forward on R, recover on to L
- &3.4 Step R to R side, step L to L side, step back on R
- 5&6 Step back on left, step R to R side, step L to L side
- 7 8 Step back on R, step back on L

## S8. BACK ROCK, KICK BALL STEP, STEP PIVOT 1/2 X 2

- 1 2 Rock back on R, recover on to L
- 3&4 Kick R forward, step R next to L, step forward on L





Wall: 4

5 – 6 Step forward on R, pivot ½ turn L

7 – 8 Step forward on R, pivot ½ turn L

## START AGAIN

Restart: Dance to count 48 of wall 2, then restart the dance from the beginning (facing 6 o'clock)

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