

Tainted Love

Count: 64 **Wall:** 2 **Level:** Intermediate

Choreographer: Hiroko Carlsson (Grafton, Australia) September 2016

Music: Gloria Jones - Tainted Love (1976) iTunes



(Intro: 16 counts)

[S1] Fwd, Fwd, Side, Heel Grind Side, Heel Grind Side, 1/4L, Back Rock

- 1 2 Step R fwd, step L fwd
- 3 4 Step R side, step L heel forward with toe pointing towards R
- 5 6 Grind L heel into floor and step R side, step L heel forward with toe pointing towards R
- 7 8 Grind L heel into floor and turn 1/4L step R back, rock L back (9:00)

[S2] Recover, Fwd, Heel Grind, Side, Heel Grind, 1/4R, Back Rock, Recover

- 1 2 Recover weight on R, step L fwd,
- 3 4 Step R heel forward with toe pointing towards L, grind R heel into floor and step L side
- 5 6 Step R heel forward with toe pointing towards L, grind R heel into floor and step L side
- 7 8 Turn 1/4R then rock R back, recover weight on L(12:00)

[S3] Walk-walk, Locking Chair w/Look back, Rock Fwd,

- 1 2 Walk R L
- 3 4 5 6 Rock R fwd, recover on L, rock R back (look back 6:00), recover on L
- 7 8 Rock R fwd, recover on L (12:00) and start turning R

[S4] 1/2R Fwd, Together, Rock Back, Fwd, Fwd, Together, 1/4L Flick R

- 1 2 Turn 1/2R step R fwd, step L next to right
- 3 4 Rock R back, recover on L,
- 5 6 Step R L
- 7 8 Step R next to L slightly bend knees, turn 1/4L then flick R toe to side (3:00)

[S5] 2x Cross Point, Cross, 1/2L w/3x bounce

- 1 2 3 4 Cross R over L, point L toe to left side, cross L over R, point R toe to right side,
- 5 6 7 8 1/8L Cross R over L (facing 1:30), 3x 1/8L bounce turn (unwind 3/8L count 678) (9:00)

[S6] Side Rock, Together, Back, 1/4R Turning Scissor Cross, Side Point

- 1 2 Rock R side, recover weight on L,
- 3 4 Step R next to L, step L back,
- 5 6 7 8 Step R side then start turning R, turn 1/4R step L back, cross R over L, point L toe to left side

[S7] 3x Fwd Stomp Hitch, 1/2R Hook

- 1 2 Stomp L fwd, hitch L front of R
- 3 4 Stomp L fwd, hitch L front of R
- 5 6 Stomp L fwd, hitch L front of R
- 7 8 Step L fwd, turn 1/2R weight on L hook R front of L**

[S8] 1/8R Fwd, 2x Diamond Quarter Walk

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| 1 2 | Turn 1/8R step R fwd, step L side (7:30) |
| 3 4 | Turn 1/4R step R side, turn 1/4R step L side (1:30) |
| 5 6 | Turn 1/4R step R side, turn 1/4R step L side (7:30) |
| 7 8 | Turn 1/4R step R side, turn 1/4R step L side (1:30) |

Make 3/8 turn R and start dance again

Restart Wall 2 and 4 – after 56 counts ** (Restart at 12:00)

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