Life Changes



Count: 32 Wall: 4 Level: Easy Intermediate

Choreographer: Christine Stewart (NZ) - March 2019

Music: Sixteen - Thomas Rhett : (Album: Life Changes - 3:03)



I choreographed this dance especially for my friend Selina who asked me to teach a dance at her recent birthday celebration.

It was such a privilege to be asked to do this. Thank you Selina.

Intro: 16 counts from when heavy beat kicks in

Begin facing 12:00 with weight on Left and Right touched beside Left

[1 – 8] STEP-LOCK, STEP-LOCK-STEP, ROCK FORWARD, RECOVER BACK, ¼ TURN LEFT, SCUFF FORWARD

1-2	Step Right forward and slightly to right diagonal, step onto Left behind Right
3&4	Step Right forward, step onto Left behind Right, step Right forward (still on the slightly to right diagonal for these counts)
5-6	Step/rock Left forward straightening up to 12:00, recover back onto Right
7-8	Turn ¼ left and step Left to left side, scuff Right forward and slightly to left diagonal as this

[9 - 16] RIGHT HEEL GRIND, ROCK BACK, SIDE SHUFFLE RIGHT, ROCK BACK, SWEEP

1-2 Touch Right heel forward (1), step Left to left side and AT THE SAME TIME on Right heel

twist Right to right (2)

3-4 Step/rock Right back, recover forward onto Left

5&6 Step Right to right side, step onto Left beside Right, step Right to right side

7-8 Step/rock Left back, sweep Right around from front to back

will help with getting into count 9 below (9:00)

*Restart 1 happens here after count 16 during wall 3 facing 3:00.

Change counts 7-8 above during wall 3 as follows:

STEP BACK, RIGHT HEEL HOOK

7-8 Step/rock Left back, hook/touch Right heel against Left shin then dance start again from the beginning

**Restart 2 happens here after count 16 during wall 7 facing 9:00.

Add the following 4 count TAG after count 16 then start the dance again from the beginning STEP BACK, LEFT HEEL HOOK, STEP FORWARD, BRUSH

1-2 Step Right back, hook/touch Left heel against Right shin

3-4 Step Left forward, brush Right forward

[17 – 24] STEP BACK, LEFT HEEL HOOK, LOCK STEP FORWARD, ROCK FORWARD, RECOVER BACK, ½ SHUFFLE TURN RIGHT, BRUSH FORWARD

1-2 Step Right back, touch Left heel against Right shin

3&4 Step Left forward, step onto Right behind Left, step Left forward

5-6 Step/rock Right forward, recover back onto Left

7&8& Turn ¼ right and step Right to right side, step onto Left beside Right, turn ¼ right and step

Right forward, brush Left forward (3:00)

[25 – 32] JAZZ-BOX CROSS, SIDE, TOUCH, RIGHT HEEL HOOK

1-4 Cross Left over in front of Right, step Right back, step left to left side, cross Right over in front

of Left

5-6 Step Left to left side, touch Right beside Left

*ENDING: Add the following 4 count ending after count 30 during wall 10 facing 6:00

*1/2 TURN RIGHT, SIDE, TOUCH BEHIND, HOLD

*1-4 Turn ¼ right and step Right forward (9:00), turn ¼ right and step Left to left side (12:00), touch Right

behind Left, hold

7-8 Touch Right forward angling the body slightly to the right diagonal, hook/touch Right heel against Left shin

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