Best Thing Since Backroads



Count: 32 Wall: 4 Level: Absolute Beginner

Choreographer: Gail Smith (USA) - August 2021

Music: Best Thing Since Backroads - Jake Owen



INTRO: 16 Counts from the hard downbeat. Begin on vocals.

R TOUCHES OUT-IN, HEEL TOGETHER, L TOUCHES OUT-IN, HEEL TOGETHER

1 - 2 Touch R toes out to side, Touch R toes next to L fo	ot
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3 - 4 Tap R heel fwd, Step R next to L foot

5 - 6 Touch L toes out to side, Touch L toes next to R foot

7 - 8 Tap L heel fwd, Step L next to R foot

K-STEP

1 - 2	Step R to fwd R diagonal, Touch L toes next to R foot and CLAP
3 - 4	Step L to back L diagonal, Touch R toes next to L foot and CLAP
5 - 6	Step R to back R diagonal, Touch L toes next to R foot and CLAP
7 - 8	Step L to fwd L diagonal, Touch R toes next to L foot and CLAP

R SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, TOUCH, L SIDE, TOGETHER, 1/4 TURN L, HOLD

1 - 2	Step R to side, Step L next to R foot
3 - 4	Step R to side, Touch L toe next to R foot
5 - 6	Step L to side, Step R next to L foot

7 - 8 Turn 1/4 turn L stepping the L foot fwd, HOLD 9:00

HEEL STRUTS

1 - 2	Step R heel fwd, Slap R toes down and CLAP (weight on R)
3 - 4	Step L heel fwd, Slap L toes down and CLAP (weight on L)
5 - 8	REPEAT steps 1 - 4

Start Again

Note: More experienced dancers will feel like there should be a restart. Ignore it. It will come back on phrase!