## Baby Keep Smilin'

**Count: 32** 

Level: Beginner

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Music: Baby Keep Smiling - Lou Bega : (Album: Ladies & Gentleman)

## Intro: 32 counts

SIDE, HOLD, TOUCH, HOLD, SIDE HOLD, TOUCH, HOLD Step right to side, hold, touch left together, hold 1 - 2 - 3 - 4Option for count 3: raise right hand and place behind right ear facing left and smile for 2 counts 5-6-7-8 Step left to side, hold, touch right together, hold Option for on count 7: raise left hand and place behind left ear facing right and smile for 2 counts FORWARD, TOGETHER, FORWARD, BRUSH, FORWARD, TOGETHER, FORWARD, TOUCH 1-2-3-4 Step right forward, step left together, step right forward, brush left forward Option for count 2: lock left behind right 5-6-7-8 Step left forward, step right together, step left forward, touch right together Option for count 6: lock right behind left BACK, HOLD, BACK, HOLD, BACK, HOLD, BACK. HOLD Step right back (bend right knee and lower right shoulder), hold (straighten right knee raise 1-2 right shoulder) 3-4 Step left back (bend left knee and lower left shoulder), hold (straighten left knee raise left shoulder) 5-6 Step right back (bend right knee and lower right shoulder), hold (straighten right knee raise right shoulder) 7-8 Step left back (bend left knee and lower left shoulder), hold (straighten left knee raise left shoulder) There should be a down up action with these steps - down on step, up on hold SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, TOUCH, SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, TURN 1/4 LEFT 1-2 Step right to side, step left together 3-4 Step right to side, touch left together 5-6 Step left to side, step right together 7-8 Step left to side, turn 1/4 left and touch right together Option for counts 1-4: vine right with a touch Option for counts 5-8: vine left turn 1/4 left on count 8, with a touch Intermediate option for counts 1-4: full right turning vine with a touch Intermediate option for counts 5-8: 1 1/4 turning left vine with a touch

## REPEAT

## ENDING

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Cross right over left and unwind " turn left to face front





Wall: 4