Desperado

Count: 96

Level: Low Intermediate waltz

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Music: Desperado - Rihanna

[1-6] Step, Touch twist 2x, Cross Sweep

- 1-2&3 Step L forward, Touch R, Twist R heel out, Twist R heel in 12:00
- 4 5 6 Cross R behind L, Sweep L from front to back□12:00

[7 – 12] □Cross behind, Side, Hold, Step diagonal, Hold□

- 1 2 3Cross L behind R, Step R to R, Hold□12:00
- 4 5 6Step R forward in R diagonal, Hold for 2 counts□01:30

[13 – 18] □½ turn sway 2x□

- 1 2 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ turn R with sway $\Box 04:30$
- 4 5 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ turn R with sway $\Box 01:30$

[19 – 24] Steps in curve

- 1 2 31/2 turn R stepping forward with R, 1/8 turn R stepping L forward, Hold 09:00
- 4 5 61/4 turn R stepping R forward, Hold for 2 counts 12:00

[25 – 30]□Rockstep, Touch□

- 1 2 3Rock L forward, Hold for 2 counts□12:00
- 4 5 6Recover on R, Touch L crossed over R, Hold□12:00

[31 – 36] 2x Twinkle

- 1 2 3Step L in R diagonal, Step R in R diagonal, Step L in L diagonal 10:30
- 4 5 6Step R on L diagonal, Step L in L diagonal, Step R on R diagonal□01:30

[37 – 42] □Rockstep, Step back□

- 1 2 3Rock L forward, Hold for 2 counts 12:00
- 4 5 6& Recover on R, Hold for 2 counts, Step L backwards 12:00

[43 – 48] □Rockstep, ½ turn step back□

- 1 2 3Rock R back, Hold for 2 counts□12:00
- 4 5 6Recover on L, Hold for 2 counts 12:00
- 1/₂ turn L stepping R back□06:00 &

[49 – 54] □Rockstep, Step back□

- 1 2 3Rock L back, Hold for 2 counts□06:00
- 4 5 6& Recover on R, Hold for 2 counts, Step L forward □06:00

[55 – 60]□Rockstep, Sweep□

- 1 2 3Rock R forward, Hold for 2 counts□06:00
- Recover on L, Sweep R from front to back□06:00 4 - 5 - 6

[61 – 66] □Step sweep, Cross behind, Side, Hold □

- 1 2 3Step R behind L, Sweep L from front to back□06:00
- Cross L behind R, Step R to R, Hold □06:00 4 - 5 - 6

[67 – 72]□Rockstep, Together□

- 1 2 3Rock L to L, Hold for 2 counts□06:00
- 4 5 6& Recover on R, Hold for 2 counts, Step L together with R□06:00





Wall: 2

[73 – 78] □Rockstep, Together□

- 1-2-3 Rock R to R, Hold for 2 counts \Box 06:00
- 4-5-6& Recover on L, Hold for 2 counts, Step R together with L \square 06:00

[79 – 84] □Step, Flick, Cross□

- 1-2-3 Step L to L, Flick R, Hold \Box 06:00
- 4-5-6 Cross R over L, Hold for 2 counts \Box 06:00

[85 – 90] □Cross rockstep, Step side□

- 1 2 3 Cross rock L over R, Hold for 2 counts \Box 06:00
- 4-5-6& Recover on R, Hold for 2 counts, Step L to L \square 06:00

[91 – 96] □Cross rockstep, Step side, Hitch□

- 1-2-3 Cross rock R over L, Hold for 2 counts \Box 06:00
- 4-5-6 Recover on L, Step R to R, Hitch L \Box 06:00

Tag:□In 2nd wall after count 66 (step R to R, Hold) : □

- 1 2 3 Sway to L, Hold for 2 counts
- 4 5 6 Sway to R, Hold for 2 counts

Start again

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