

# Leave Before You Love Me (P)

Count: 64

Wall: 0

Level: Novice Oartner

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Music: Leave Before You Love Me - Marshmello & Jonas Brothers



**Start :** In Sweetheart position. The man's and lady's steps are opposite except if indicated.

**Intro:** 16 counts, start on word "Calling".

[1-8] M : WALK, WALK, SHUFFLE FWD, STEP, PIVOT 1/4 TURN R, CROSS SHUFFLE

[1-8] L : WALK, WALK, SHUFFLE FWD, STEP, PIVOT 1/4 TURN L, CROSS SHUFFLE

1-2 M : Walk forward with R,L

L : Walk forward with L,R

3&4 M : Shuffle forward with R,L,R

L : Shuffle forward with L,R,L

5-6 M : Step L forward, pivot 1/4 turn to right

L : Step R forward, pivot 1/4 turn to left

**\*\*\* On count 5, the man raises both R hands over the lady's head.**

**\*\*\* You are now in Double Hand Cross position, man facing O.L.O.D and lady facing I.L.O.D**

7&8 M : Cross shuffle to right with L,R,L

L : Cross shuffle to left with R,L,R

[9-16] M : SIDE, TOGETHER, COASTER STEP, SIDE, CROSS, 1/4 TURN L and SHUFFLE FWD

[9-16] L : SIDE, TOGETHER, COASTER STEP, 1/4 TURN R, 1/2 TURN R, 1/2 TURN R and SHUFFLE FWD

1-2 M : Step R to right side, step L together R

L : Step L to left side, step R together L

3&4 M : Step R back, step L together R, step R forward

L : Step L back, step R together L, step L forward

5-6 M : Step L to left side, cross step R behind L

L : 1/4 turn to right and step R forward, 1/2 turn to right and step L back

**\*\*\* On count 5, the man let go both L hands and raises both R hands over the lady's head.**

7&8 M : 1/4 turn to left and shuffle forward with L,R,L

L : 1/2 turn to right and shuffle forward with R,L,R

**\*\*\* You are now in Sweetheart position.**

[17-24] M : WALK, WALK, KICK-BALL-STEP, 1/4 TURN R, 1/4 TURN R, SAILOR STEP

[17-24] L : WALK, WALK, KICK-BALL-STEP, 1/4 TURN L, 1/4 TURN L, SAILOR STEP

1-2 M : Walk forward with R,L

L : Walk forward with L,R

3&4 M : Kick R forward, ball R together L, step L forward

L : Kick L forward, ball L together R, step R forward

5-6 M : 1/4 turn to right and cross step R over L, 1/4 turn to right and step L back

L : 1/4 turn to left and cross step L over R, 1/4 turn to left and step R back

**\*\*\* On count 5, the man raises both R hands over the lady's head.**

**\*\*\* You are now in Double Hand Cross position, the man facing R.L.O.D.**

7&8 M : Cross step R behind L, step L to left side, step R forward

L : Cross step L behind R, step R to right side, step L forward

[25-32] M : STEP, PIVOT 1/4 TURN R, SHUFFLE FWD, MAMBO in 1/4 TURN R, 1/4 TURN R CHASSÉ to L

[25-32] L : STEP, PIVOT 1/4 TURN L, SHUFFLE FWD, MAMBO in 1/4 TURN L, 1/4 TURN L, CHASSÉ to R

1-2 M : Step L forward, pivot 1/4 turn to right

L : Step R forward, pivot 1/4 turn to left

**\*\*\* On count 1, let go the hands.**

3&4 M : Shuffle forward with L,R,L  
L : Shuffle forward with R,L,R

5&6 M : Rock step R forward, recover on L, 1/4 turn to right and step R forward  
L : Rock step L forward, recover on R, 1/4 turn to left and step L forward

7&8 M : 1/4 turn to right and chassé to left with L,R,L  
L : 1/4 turn to left and chassé to right with R,L,R

**\*\*\* On count 8, you are now in Double Hand Cross position, R hands on top, man facing O.L.O.D, lady facing I..L.O.D**

**[33-40] M : SIDE, TOUCH, 1/4 TURN L and SHUFFLE FWD, WALK, WALK, SHUFFLE FWD**  
**[33-40] L : SIDE, TOUCH, 1/4 TURN R and SHUFFLE FWD, 1/2 TURN R, 1/2 TURN R, SHUFFLE FWD**

1-2 M : Step R to right side, point L together R  
L : Step L to left side, point R together L

3&4 M : 1/4 turn to left and shuffle forward with L,R,L  
L : 1/4 turn to right and shuffle forward with R,L,R

**\*\*\* You are now in Volkswagen position face L.O.D.**

5-6 M : Walk forward with R,L  
L : 1/2 turn to right and step L back, 1/2 turn to right and step R forward

**\*\*\* On count 5, the man let go both L hands and raises both R hands over the lady's head.**

**\*\*\* You are now in Sweetheart position facing L.O.D.**

7&8 M : Shuffle forward with R,L,R  
L : Shuffle forward with L,R,L

**[41-48] M : 1/4 TURN R, 1/2 TURN R, TRIPLE STEP, ROCK SIDE in 1/4 TURN L, SHUFFLE FWD**  
**[41-48] L : 1/4 TURN L, 1/2 TURN L, TRIPLE STEP, ROCK SIDE in 1/4 TURN R, SHUFFLE FWD**

1-2 M : 1/4 turn to right and step L forward, 1/2 turn to right and step R back  
L : 1/4 turn to left and step R forward, 1/2 turn to left and step L back

**\*\*\* On count 1, the man lower both L hands and raises both R hands over the lady's head.**

**\*\*\* On count 2, the man lower both R hands and raises both L hands over his head.**

**Position Double Hand Cross, man facing I.L.O.D. and lady facing O.L.O.D.**

3&4 M : Triple step on place with L,R,L  
L : Triple step on place with R,L,R

5-6 M : Rock R to right side, 1/4 turn to left and recover on L  
L : Rock L to left side, 1/4 turn to right and recover on R

**\*\*\* You are now in Volkswagen position, facing R.L.O.D.**

7&8 M : Shuffle forward with R,L,R  
L : Shuffle forward with L,R,L

**[49-56] M : STEP, PIVOT 1/2 TURN R, SHUFFLE FWD, CROSS, STEP, SHUFFLE FWD**  
**[49-56] L : STEP, PIVOT 1/2 TURN L, SHUFFLE FWD, CROSS, 1/2 TURN L, 1/2 TURN L and SHUFFLE FWD**

1-2 M : Step L forward, pivot 1/2 turn to right  
L : Step R forward, pivot 1/2 turn to left

**\*\*\* You are now in Reverse Volkswagen position facing L.O.D.**

3&4 M : Shuffle forward with L,R,L  
L : Shuffle forward with R,L,R

5-6 M : Cross step R over L, step L forward  
L : Cross step L over R, 1/2 turn to left and step R back

**\*\*\* On count 5, the man let go both L hands and raises Both R hands over the lady's head.**

7&8 M : Shuffle forward with R,L,R  
L : 1/2 turn to left and shuffle forward with L,R,L

**\*\*\* You are now in Sweetheart position facing L.O.D.**

**[57-64] M : 2X (CROSS, POINT), STEP, TOUCH TOGETHER, KICK-BALL-STEP**  
**[57-64] L : 2X (CROSS, POINT), STEP, TOUCH TOGETHER, KICK-BALL-STEP**

1-2 M : Cross step L over R, point R to right side

3-4	L : Cross step R over L, point L to left side M : Cross step R over L, point L to left side
5-6	L : Cross step L over R, point R to right side M : Step L forward, point R together L
7&8	L : Step R forward, point L together R M : Kick R forward, ball R together L, step L forward L : Kick L forward, ball L together R, step R forward

**Restart from beginning...**

**HAVE FUN !**

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