Funny Thing Called Love



Count: 32 Wall: 4 Level: Beginner

Choreographer: Becky Hawthorne (USA) - January 2022

Music: What Is This Thing Called Love? - John Barrowman: (Album: John Barrowman

Swings Cole Porter)



No tags, no restarts

Intro: 16 counts from the start of the song (first step on the word "is" after the vocals start "What is"/8 seconds in)

Section 1: L SHAPED ROCKING CHAIR, STEP TOGETHER, SLOW COASTER

1, 2	Rock forward RF	F, Recover back LF
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- 3, 4 1/4 turn Rock RF to R side (3:00), 1/4 turn Recover forward LF (12:00)
- 5, 6 Step RF next to LF, Step LF back
- 7, 8 Step RF back next to LF, Step LF forward

Easier option counts 3-4: Rock back on RF, Recover forward on LF (regular Rocking Chair)

Section 2: FWD STEP, HOLD, 1/2 TURN PIVOT, HOLD (REPEAT)

1.	2	Stan	RF	forward.	Hold
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- 3, 4 Pivot 1/2 turn L transferring weight to LF (6:00), Hold
- 5, 6 Step RF forward, Hold
- 7, 8 Pivot 1/2 turn L transferring weight to LF (12:00), Hold

Section 3: WEAVE, FWD CROSS WITH 2 KNEE BOUNCES

1, 2	Cross RF over LF, Step LF to L side
3, 4	Cross RF behind LF, Step LF to L side

- 5, 6 Cross RF over LF and dip with small knee bend, Straighten knees
- 7, 8 Keep holding with another dip, Straighten knees

Section 4: 1/8 BACK, 1/8 BACK, SIDE, HOLD, 1/8 PADDLE TURNS X 4

1, 2 Step LF back on diagonal, 1/8 turn Step RF back (9:00)

3, 4 Step LF to L side, Hold

5,6,7,8 With left leg as pivot point, 4 pushes with ball of RF, 1/8 turn each push (3:00)

Suggested ending: Song ends during Wall 11 Section 3, facing 6:00. Do Weave (counts 1-4) as is, step forward with RF on count 5, hold count 6, pivot 1/2 turn on count 7 to face 12:00 on final chord.

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