Open Highway



Count: 64 Wall: 4 Level: Beginner / Novice

Choreographer: Marie-Odile Jélinek (FR) - 6 December 2020

Music: Back Seat Driver - William Michael Morgan



PS: Music is available as link in YouTube video

Dance starts after intro of 32 Counts at lyrics « He Said You Best... »

Hold on LF

[1 to 8] RIGHT VINE - TOUCH - STEP FORWARD - KICK - STEP BACK - TOUCH BACK (CHARLESTON STEP)

1,2 R	F to the R, Step LF crossed behind RF - 12H	
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3-4 RF to the R, Touch point LF next to RF

5-6 LF fwd, Kick RF fwd7-8 RF back, Touch LF back

[9 to 16] LEFT VINE - TOUCH - STEP FORWARD - KICK - STEP BACK - TOUCH BACK (CHARLESTON STEP)

1-2 LF to the L, Step RF crossed behind LF3-4 LF to the L, Touch point RF next to LF

5-6 RF fwd, Kick LF fwd 7-8 LF back, Touch RF back

[17 to 24] R L SCISSOR STEP - CROSS - R L KICK BALL CHANGE

Scissor Step: RF to the R, Gather LF next to RF, Cross RF front of LF
Scissor Step: LF to the L, Gather RF next to LF, Cross LF in front of RF
Kick RF fwd, Gather RF next to LF, LF slightly higher, Put BW back on LF
Kick LF fwd, Gather LF next to RF, RF slightly higher, Put BW back on RF

Final: TWIST TURN after 3 First Sections

[25 to 32] R L STEPS FORWARD & SCUFF - STEP - TURN 1/4 LEFT - STEP - TURN 1/4 LEFT

1-2 Walk RF, Scrape heel L on ground3-4 Walk LF, Scrape heel R on ground

5-6 Step R fwd, ¼ turn to the Left (BW on LF) - 9H 7-8 Step R fwd, ¼ turn to the Left (BW on LF) - 6H

[33 to 40] V-STEPS: OUT-OUT-IN WITH 1/4 R-IN-ACROSS-ROCK RECOVERS FORWARD TWICE

V Steps: RF on diagonal fwd R & OUT, LF on diagonal fwd L & OUT
 1/4 Turn to the R of RF behind and center IN - LF next to RF IN - 9H

5-6 CROSS ROCK STEP G fwd, Return on RF back

7-8 ROCK STEP G fwd, Return on RF back

[41 to 48] R L STEP LOCK STEP- JAZZ BOX

1&2 RF fwd, LF crossed behind RF, RF fwd - 9H
 3&4 LF fwd, RF crossed behind LF, LF fwd

5-6-7-8 Jazz Box RF

After dancing 2 X the 48 counts, end off 2nd Wall at 6H: Interpret the 2 Bridge Sections below:

[49 to 56] BRIDGE: HEEL TAPS FWD (R - L & R) HEEL FORWARD - TOUCH BACK

1 Heel R fwd, Point R inside - 6H

2 ½ turn to the right while pivoting point R outside - 9H

3-4 Stomp RF fwd, Stomp LF fwd5 Heel R fwd, Point R inside - 9H

6 ½ turn to the right while pivoting point R outside - 12H

7-8 Stomp RF fwd, Stomp LF fwd

[57 to 64] FULL TURN - HEEL SWITCHES - MONTEREY TURN ½ R L TWICE

1-2 ½ Turn to the L w/ RF back, ½ turn to the L w/ LF fwd & 3 & 4 RF next to LF - Heel L fwd, LF next to RF, Heel R fwd

&-5-&-6 Point R to R, Pivot ½ turn to the R on LF, and RF next to LF, Point L to L, Gather LF next to

RF

&-7-&-8 Point R to R, Pivot ½ turn to the R on LF, and RF next to LF, Point L to L, Gather LF next to

RF

Final: TWIST TURN cross RF front of LF while unrolling on Full Turn - 12H / 6H / 12H

How the dance goes: 48 Counts + 1 Bridge of 16 count

Convention: R = Right, L = Left, BW = Balance Weight, LF = Left Foot

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