Other Cruel Summer EZ

Level: Beginner

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Music: Cruel Summer - Bananarama

Intro: 32 counts - No restarts, no tags

Count: 32

Section 1: V STEP, KNEE POPS X 4

- Step RF to R forward diagonal, Step LF to L forward diagonal 1, 2
- 3, 4 Step RF back to center, Step LF back to center
- Pop R knee forward, Pop L knee forward 5,6
- Pop R knee forward, Pop L knee forward 7,8

Section 2: VINE, FLICK, VINE, FLICK

- Step LF to L side, Step RF behind L 1, 2
- Step LF to L side, Flick RF to R side (easier option: Touch RF next to LF) 3, 4
- 5,6 Step RF to R side, Step LF behind R
- Step RF to R side, Flick LF to L side (easier option: Touch LF next to RF) 7,8

Section 3: FWD, POINT, FWD, POINT, JAZZ BOX (END WITH TOUCH)

- 1, 2 Step LF forward (optional: slightly crossed over R), Point RF to R side
- 3, 4 Step RF forward (optional: slightly crossed over L), Point LF to L side
- 5, 6 Cross LF over R, Step RF back
- 7,8 Step LF to L side, Touch RF next to LF

Section 4: 3/4 TURN: SHUFFLE, WALK, WALK, SHUFFLE, WALK, WALK

- 1/4 Shuffle turning to the right: R, L, R (3:00) 1&2
- 3, 4 1/8 Step LF forward (4:30), 1/8 Step RF forward (6:00)
- 5&6 1/4 Shuffle turning to the right: L, R, L (9:00)
- 7,8 Step RF forward, Step LF forward

Suggested ending: Music begins to fade during Wall 11, facing 6:00. In Section 4, make a 1/2 turn to 12:00 instead of a 3/4 turn.

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Wall: 4