# Sail My Vessel



Count: 68 Wall: 4 Level: Improver

**Choreographer:** Judith Campbell (NZ)

Music: The River - Garth Brooks



Intro: this is a long intro, wait for the vocals and start on the word "dream"

## SIDE TOGETHER CROSS, HOLD - SIDE TOGETHER CROSS (SCISSORS), HOLD

1-4 Step right foot to right side, close left foot next to right, step right foot across in front of left,

hold

5-8 Step left foot to left side, close right foot next to left, step left foot across in front of right, hold

(12:00)

## STEP LOCK STEP HOLD, 1/2 TURN RIGHT, 1/2 TURN RIGHT, STEP CROSS, HOLD

1-4 Step right foot forward on right diagonal, lock left foot behind right, step forward on diagonal

right, hold

# Body stays facing the front on this lock step

5-8 Turning ¼ to right, step back on left foot, turning ¼ to right - step right to right side, step left

across right, hold (6:00)

17-32 Repeat all the above - finish facing 12:00

# SWAY, HOLD, SWAY, HOLD, BEHIND SIDE FRONT, HOLD

1-4 Sway /rock to right side, hold, sway /rock to left side, hold

5-8 Step right behind left, step left to left, step/cross right in front of left, hold (12:00)

## SIDE TOGETHER FORWARD, HOLD, ROCK RECOVER, ½ TURN RIGHT, STEP FORWARD HOLD

1-4 Step left to left side, close right next to left, step forward onto left foot, hold

5-8 Rock forward onto right, recover onto left turning ½ to right, step forward on right foot, hold

(6:00)

# FULL TURN RIGHT, FULL TURN RIGHT, (OPTIONAL, 4 QUICK WALKS FORWARD)

1-2 Step forward on left ball of foot turning ½ to right, turning ½ to right stepping forward on right

foot

3-4 Step forward on left ball of foot turning ½ to right, turning ½ to right stepping forward on right

foot

#### This double turn is done moving forward

Option for roll: do 4 walks forward, left-right-left-right

# ROCK FORWARD, HOLD, BACK TOGETHER

5-8 Rock/step forward on left, hold, step back on right, close left next to right

## BACK ROCK, HOLD, FORWARD 1/4 TURN LEFT, TOGETHER

1-2 Rock/step back on right, (leaving left heel on floor, lifting toes off the floor) hold

3-4 Recover forward onto left, turning ½ to left closing right next to left

# **BACK ROCK, HOLD - TOGETHER**

5-6 Rock/step back on left, (leaving right heel on floor, lifting toes off the floor) hold

7-8 Recover forward onto right, closing left next to right

#### TOUCH, HOLD, 1/2 TURN RIGHT CLOSE, HOLD

1-4 Touch right foot out to right side, hold, turning ½ to right bringing right foot in next to left, hold

# **REPEAT**

TAG At the end of 2nd wall add SWAY, HOLD, 4 TIMES

1-4 Right-left-right-left

# **RESTART**

5th wall you will be facing the front. Dance through to the end of sways right, left (counts 1-36). Then restart the dance from the beginning