Can't Take That Away

Level: Beginner

Choreographer: Charlotte Skeeters (USA)

Count: 32

1

1-2

7-8

1

2

3

4

5

6 7-8

1-4

Music: They Can't Take That Away from Me - Rod Stewart

SIDE, SAILOR, SAILOR, ROCK, ROCK, FORWARD Right step side right (can be a stomp) 2&3 Left step behind right; right step side right; left step side left (sailor) 4&5 Right step behind left; left step side left; right step side right (sailor) 6-7-8 Left rock back; right rock forward; left step forward PIVOT, SIDE, SAILOR, SAILOR, ROCK, ROCK Pivot on ¹/₂ turn right and transfer weight forward on right; left step side left 3&4 Right step behind left; left step side left; right step side right (sailor) 5&6 Left step behind right; right step side right; left step side left (sailor) Right rock forward; left rock back "BIG STEPS": BACK, CROSS, BACK, BACK, CROSS, BACK, TOGETHER, FORWARD Big step back on right into almost ¼ turn right (head toward the right diagonal corner and let left foot drift toward right) Open arms: left stretched forward, right stretched back Left cross over right (still headed toward diagonal, bring arms down) Right step back 1/4 turn left, squaring up with back wall Next 3 counts are exact mirror of the above 3 counts on opposite feet Big step back on left into almost 1/4 turn left (head toward left diagonal corner and let right foot drift toward left) Open arms: right stretched forward, left stretched back Right cross over left (still headed toward diagonal ... bring arms down) Left step back 1/4 turn right, squaring up with back wall Right step next to left (feet together); left step forward "BIG FULL CIRCLE": CIRCLE TO THE LEFT, STOMP, ROCK, ROCK, ROCK Begin walking around in a big to the left full circle starting with right (arms out to side) You should not have completed a full circle yet

- Complete the circle by snapping your body around and stomp forward diagonal right (bring 5 left heel up)
- Swing arms out to side waist level and snap fingers
- Last 3 counts of dance are executed with a rocking motion
- Rock back on left bringing heel down, at the same time bring right heel up 6
- Swing arms in crossing in front ... don't care which arm is on top
- Rock forward on right bring heel down, at the same time bring left heel up 7

Arms out to side waist level and snap fingers

Rock back on left bringing heel down, at the same time bring right heel up 8 Swing arms in crossing in front

REPEAT





Wall: 2