Cardiac Rock



Count: 32 Wall: 4 Level: Intermediate

Choreographer: Dean Gambino (USA)

Music: The Heart of Rock and Roll - Huey Lewis & The News



Dance starts 32 counts in after "heartbeats" on the lyrics

SHUFFLE RIGHT, ½ TURN LEFT, SHUFFLE LEFT, ROCK BACK, RECOVER, ¼ SHUFFLE TURN LEFT

1&2 Shuffle right-left-right to right, pivot on right ½ turn left

3&4 Shuffle left-right-left to left

5-6 Rock back right behind left, recover forward left

ROCK BACK, RECOVER, SHUFFLE FORWARD, ROCK FORWARD, RECOVER, ¾ SHUFFLE TURN RIGHT

1-2 Rock back on left, recover forward on right

3&4 Shuffle forward left-right-left

5-6 Rock forward right, recover back left 7&8 3/4 shuffle turn right right-left-right

POINT, CROSS BEHIND, POINT, CROSS BEHIND, 1/4 TURN RIGHT COASTER STEP, 1/2 STEP PIVOT LEFT

1-4 Point left to left, step left behind right, point right to right, step right behind left

5-8 Step left slightly back making a ¼ turn right, step right next to left, step left forward, step right

forward, ½ turn left weighting left

STEP RIGHT, DRAG, ROCK BACK, RECOVER, STEP LEFT, DRAG, ROCK BACK, RECOVER

1-4 Large step right to right, drag left just behind right, rock back left behind right, recover forward

on right

5-8 Large step left to left, drag right just behind left, rock back right behind left, recover forward

on left

REPEAT

TAG A

Done after walls, 1 (9:00), 4 (12:00), 9 (9:00)

1-2 Rock back on right, recover forward on left

TAG B

Done after walls, 3 (3:00) and 6 (6:00). Place hands on thighs through counts 1-8

Step right to right, weight on both feet, lift both heels, drop both heels

3&4 While pivoting on the right, make a ¼ turn left, stepping left to left, weight on both feet, lift

both heels, drop both heels

5&6 While pivoting on the left, make a ¼ turn left, stepping right to right, weight on both feet, lift

both heels, drop both heels

7&8 While pivoting on the right, make a ¼ turn left, stepping left to left, weight on both feet, lift

both heels, drop both heels

& While pivoting on the left, make a ¼ turn left and flick the right behind left leg

ALTERNATE MOVES:

During the 2nd & 5th repetitions, replace counts 29-32 with:

5-6&7-8 Step left to left, hip bumps left, right, left, hold

You'll hear heavy drum beats at this point

During the 10th repetition, replace counts 29-32 with:
5 Step left to left, lifting shoulders and looking to 7:00

&6&7&8 Shoulder pumps, count on the down moves

You'll hear the lyrics, "Dit, Dit, Dit, Dit, they say..."