Count: 32
Wall: 2
Level: Improver - Samba
Choreographer: Eva Pau (CAN) - January 2012
Music: El Bimbo - Paul Mauriat

## Start dancing after 16 counts

## CROSS SIDE ROCK X 4

1\&2, 3\&4 Cross $L$ over $R$, rock $R$ to $R$, recover to $L$, cross $R$ over $L$, rock $L$ to $L$, recover to $R$
5\&6, 7\&8 Repeat the above

## BASIC SAMBA STEP X 3, BEHIND SIDE ¼ L CROSS

$1 \& 2,3 \& 4 \quad$ Step $L$ fwd, step $R$ in place, step $L$ in place, step $R$ fwd, step $L$ in place, step $R$ in place
$5 \& 6,7 \& 8 \quad$ Step $L$ fwd, step $R$ in place, step $L$ in place, step $R$ back, step $L$ to side $1 / 4 L$, cross $R$ over $L$

## SIDE ROCK CROSS X 4

1\&2, 3\&4 Rock $L$ to side, recover to $R$, cross $L$ over $R$, rock $R$ to side, recover to $L$, cross $R$ over $L$
5\&6, 7\&8 Repeat the above
FORWARD ROCK, SIDE SHUFFLE $1 / 2$ L, FORWARD ROCK, $1 / 4$ R HIPS SWAYS
1-2, 3\&4 Rock $L$ forward, recover to $R$, side shuffle $L R L 1 / 2$ turn $L$
5-6, 7\&8 Rock $R$ forward, recover to $L, 1 / 4$ turn $R$ sway hips $R L R$

TAG - 16 count - to be done at 3rd \& 5th wall after 3rd section (facing 9:00) and then restart MERENGE WALK

| $1-2 \& 3-4 \&$ | Step $L$ to $L$, hold, step $R$ together (twice) |
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| $5-6 \& 7-8$ | Step $L$ to $L$, hold, step $R$ together, step $L$ to $L$, scuff $R$ |

JAZZ BOX, STEP ¼ L, CROSS, FLICK
1-4 Cross $R$ over $L$, step $L$ back, step $R$ back, step $L$ forward
5-8 Step $R$ forward, pivot $1 / 4$ turn $L$, cross $R$ over $L$, flick $L$ to side
ENDING - 24 count +4 count +7 count - to be done at 7 th wall (facing 9:00) after 3rd section MERENGE WALK
1-2\&3-4\& $\quad$ Step $L$ to $L$, hold, step $R$ together (twice)
5-6\&7-8 Step $L$ to $L$, hold, step $R$ together, step $L$ to $L$, touch $R$ together

## MERENGE WALK

1-2\&3-4\& $\quad$ Step $R$ to $R$, hold, step $L$ together (twice)
5-6\&7-8 Step $R$ to $R$, hold, step $L$ together, step $R$ to $R$, scuff $L$
JAZZ BOX, STEP ¼ R, CROSS, FLICK
1-4 Cross $L$ over $R$, step $R$ back, step $L$ back, step $R$ forward
5-8 Step $L$ forward, pivot $1 / 4$ turn $R$, cross $L$ over $R$, flick $R$ to side

## CROSS SIDE ROCK X 2

1\&2, 3\&4 Cross $R$ over $L$, rock $L$ to $L$, recover to $R$, cross $L$ over $R$, rock $R$ to $R$, recover to $L$

## BASIC SAMBA STEP X 3, CROSS

1\&2, 3\&4 Step $R$ fwd, step $L$ in place, step $R$ in place, step $L$ fwd, step $R$ in place, step $L$ in place
5\&6, 7
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