## I'm a Lost Cause

Compte: 32

Niveau: Intermediate - Rolling 8 count

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Musique: Save Me (with Lainey Wilson) - Jelly Roll

NO tags or restarts	
INTRO: 16 Counts. Start on the word "Save" (Somebody "save" me)	
(SECTION 1) S <sup>1</sup> 1-2-3	WAY L-R-L, WEAVE w SWEEP Step L slightly to side and sway L-R-L (Tiny hitch bringing R foot towards L)
4&a	Step R to side, Step L behind R, Step R to side
5	Step L across R and sweep R fwd
JAZZ BOX CROSS, MAMBO STEP	
6&a	Step R across L, Step L back, Step R to side
7	Step L across R angling body towards the R corner sliding R toes fwd 1:30
8&a	Rock R fwd, Recover onto L, Step R slightly back
(SECTION 2) BACK w SWEEP, TURN 1/2 R, BALL-STEP FWD, BALL-STEP (PREP), FULL TURN L,	
1	Step L back and sweep
a2	Turn 1/2 R and Step ball of R foot fwd, Step L fwd 7:30
a3	Step ball of R foot fwd, Step L fwd (prep for turn)
4&a	Turn 1/2 L stepping back on R, Turn 1/2 L stepping fwd on L, Step R fwd
Non-turning option: 3 Runs fwd BALL-ROCKSTEPS, HITCH, COASTER CROSS	
5a	Rock L fwd, Recover onto ball of R foot
6a	Rock L back, Recover onto ball of R foot
7	Step L fwd and hitch R knee up
8&a	Step R to back, Step L next to R, Step R across L - squaring up to wall 6:00
(SECTION 3) L SIDE-DRAG, 1/4 SIDE-DRAG, 1/4 SIDE-DRAG, SAILOR STEP-CROSS	
1	Big step L to side dragging R towards L foot
2	Turn 1/4 R and big step to R side dragging L towards R foot 9:00
3	Turn 1/4 R and big step to L side slightly drag R towards L foot 12:00
4&a5	Step R behind L, Step L to side, Step R slightly to side, Step L across R
SIDE-1/8, BACK-1/8 (PREP), FULL TURN TRIPLE	
a6	Step R to side, Turn 1/8 L stepping L back 11:30
а7	Step R slightly back, Turn 1/8 L stepping L fwd 9:00
8&a	Full turn over your L shoulder - stepping R-L-R, Squaring up to the wall
Non-turning opt	ion: 3 Runs fwd
(SECTION 4) FWD ROCK, REC, BACK BALL-STEP w 1/4 SWEEP L, L SAILOR STEP	
1-2	Rock L fwd, Recover onto R foot (Slooow rock, rec)
a3	Step ball of L next to R foot, Step R back sweeping L back – Turning 1/4 L
4&a	Step L behind R, Step R to side, Step L to side 6:00
CROSS, SIDE-CROSS, JAZZ BOX w CROSS-SIDE-CROSS	
5a6	Step R across L, Step L to side, Step R across
7&a	Cross L over R, Step R back, Step L to side
8&a	Step R across L, Step L to side, Step R across L
START OVER	

Options / Variations to do in section 4:





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## Instead of the Fwd Rock, Recover (1-2), you can Step, Tap, Step slightly back.

1a2 Step L fwd, Tap R toes behind L foot, Step R slightly back)

## You can leave out the last & Cross (&a).

7&a8 Ending with the Jazz Box w cross.

Updated 12-22-2023 (Made a correction and also added options/variations in the last section)