Listen to My Heart

Count: 64

Wall: 2

Level: Intermediate

Choreographer: Maggie Gallagher (UK) & Gary O'Reilly (IRE) - June 2024

Music: Listen - Eloise Viola

Intro: Start on the word "Hold" approx 3 secs

S1: 1/4 SIDE, TOUCH, 1/4, 1/4 HITCH, SIDE, POINT/LOOK, 1/4, 1/2

- 1-2 ¹/₄ right stepping right to right side, Touch left next to right [3:00]
- 3-4 ¹/₄ left stepping forward on left, ¹/₄ left hitching right knee up [9:00]
- 5-6 Step right to right side, Point left to left side and look right
- 7-8 ¹/₄ left stepping forward on left, ¹/₂ left stepping back on right [12:00]

S2: BACK, CROSS BALL WALK, WALK, CROSS, SWEEP, CROSS, SWEEP

- 1-2& Step back on left, Cross right over left, Step slightly back on left
- 3-4 Walk forward on right, Walk forward on left
- 5-6 Step forward on right slightly crossing over left, Sweep left from back to front
- 7-8 Step forward on left slightly crossing over right, Sweep right from back to front

S3: CROSS, BACK, BALL CROSS, SIDE, BEHIND SIDE CROSS, HOLD, 1/8, TOGETHER

- 1-2& Cross right over left, Step back on left, Step right next to left
- 3-4 Cross left over right, Step right to right side
- 5&6 Cross left behind right, Step right to right side, Cross left over right
- 7&8 HOLD, ¹/₈ left stepping right to right side, Step left next to right [10:30]

S4: CROSS, 1/8 SIDE, SAILOR 1/2 R, WALK, WALK, ANCHOR STEP

- 1-2 Cross right over left, ¹/₈ right stepping left to left side [12:00]
- 3&4 ¹/₂ right crossing right behind left, Step left to left side, Step forward on right [6:00]
- 5-6 Walk forward on left, Walk forward on right
- 7&8 Lock left behind right, Step weight onto right, Step slightly back on left

Restart here on Wall 3 facing [6:00]

S5: PUSH HIPS BACK-FORWARD-BACK, WALK, 1/2, BACK/POP, STEP, 1/4 SIDE

- 1-2-3 Step back on right pushing hips back, Rock forward on left pushing hips forward, Rock back on right pushing hips back
- 4-5 Walk forward on left, ½ left stepping back on right [12:00]
- 6-7 Step back on left popping both knees, Step down on right
- 8 ¹/₄ right stepping left to left side [3:00]

S6: BEHIND, SWEEP, BEHIND SIDE CROSS, SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, BEHIND SIDE CROSS

- 1-2 Cross right behind left, Sweep left from front to back
- 3&4 Cross left behind right, Step right to right side, Cross left over right
- 5-6 Rock right to right side, Recover on left
- 7&8 Cross right behind left, Step left to left side, Cross right over left

S7: SIDE, HOLD & SIDE, POINT/LOOK, 1/4, 1/2, 1/2, WALK

- 1-2& Step left to left side, HOLD, Step right next to left
- 3-4 Step left to left side, Point right to right side and look left
- 5-6 ¹/₄ right stepping forward on right, ¹/₂ right stepping back on left [12:00]
- 7-8 ¹/₂ right stepping forward on right, Walk forward on left [6:00]

S8: BACK/DRAG, BACK/DRAG, REVERSE ROCKING CHAIR

- 1-2 Walk back on right dragging left to meet right
- 3-4 Walk back on left dragging right to meet left
- 5-6 Rock back on right, Recover on left
- 7-8 Rock forward on right, Recover on left [6:00]

RESTART: Dance 32 counts of Wall 3, then restart the dance from the beginning facing [6:00]

ENDING: After 32 counts of Wall 6, step right to right side to finish facing [12:00]

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