

BLAME THE BACKROAD

32 Count, 4 Wall, Improver Line Dance

Choreographed by: Chris Cleevely (UK) Sept 2021

Choreographed to: "Blame It On The Backroad" by Thomas Rhett

Section 1 (Counts 1 – 8)

Walk forward R, L; R Kick, Ball, Step; Rock Forward, Recover; ¼ R Chasse

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| 1 - 2 | Walk forward R, walk forward L | |
| 3 & 4 | Kick R forward, touch ball of R, step forward on L | |
| 5 - 6 | Rock forward R, recover weight on L | |
| 7 & 8 | Making ¼ turn R, chasse R | (3 .00) |

Section 2 (Counts 9 – 16)

Cross, Side, Behind, ¼ R; Step ¼ R, Cross & Hold

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| 1 - 2 | Cross L over R, step R to R side | |
| 3 - 4 | Cross L behind R, Step ¼ R | (6.00) |
| 5 - 6 | Step forward L, pivot ¼ R | (9.00) |
| 7 - 8 | Cross L over R & hold for one count | |

*(Restart here during wall 2.)

Section 3 (Counts 17 – 24)

Back R, ¼ L; R Shuffle Forwards; L Toe/Heel; L Coaster Step

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| 1 - 2 | Step back on R, making a ¼ turn L, step forward on L | (6.00) |
| 3 & 4 | Shuffle forward R, stepping R/L/R | |
| 5 - 6 | Touch L toe next to R (L knee turned in), touch L heel slightly L (L toe turned out) | |
| 7 & 8 | Step back on L, step R beside L, step forward on L | |

Section 4 (Counts 25 – 32)

Step ¼ Turn L, Cross, Point L; Back, Point R; Rock Back, Recover

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| 1 - 2 | Step forward on R & pivot ¼ turn L | (3.00) |
| 3 - 4 | Cross R over L, point L toe to L side | |
| 5 - 6 | Step back on L, point R toe to R side | |
| 7 - 8 | Rock back on r, recover weight on L | |

*Restart during wall 2, after 16 counts but change count 15 from cross to step forward. You will now be facing 12.00)

Ending: Dance up to count 12, then pivot ½ turn R (instead of a ¼ R) to finish at the front.

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