Light a Candle

Count: 64

Wall: 2

Level: Phrased Advanced

Choreographer: Fred Whitehouse (IRE) & Shane McKeever (N.IRE) - August 2018

Music: Losing Sleep - Chris Young

Count-in: 36 Count Intro

Sequence - A,B,A*,A,B,B*,B,B*,Ending

Section A: 24 counts

1,2

A[1-8] Step Sweep L, Press, Heel Swivel, Kick, Together, Side Rock R, Recover, Together, Side Rock L, **Recover, Step Forward**

- 1,2 Step Rf Fwd Sweeping Lf from Back to Front, Press Lf Fwd
- 3&4 Swivel L Heel to L, Bring L Heel back to Centre, Kick Lf Fwd, Transferring weight back to Rf
- &5,6 Step Lf next to Rf, Rock Rf to R Side, Recover on to Lf
- &7&8 Step Rf next to Lf, Rock Lf to L Side, Recover on to Rf, Step Lf Fwd

A[9-16] Step Glide ½ Turn L, ½ Turn L, ½ Turn L, Grapevine R, Flick R, Rock R Forward

- Step R f Fwd, Pivot 1/2 Turn L, placing weight on to Lf (Moonwalk Glides, Push off Rf gliding back on to Lf)
- 1/2 Turn L Stepping RF back, 1/2 Turn L Stepping Lf Fwd 3.4

(*Restart here during 2nd A pattern)

- Step Rf to R Side, Cross Lf behind Rf, Step Rf to R Side 5.6&
- Cross Lf in front of Rf, Flick R Heel Up, Rock Rf Fwd 7&8

A[17-24] Recover Sweeping Rf, Behind, Side, Heel and Cross, Step R to R Side, Hold, 1 1/4 Turn L

- 1,2 Recover weight on to Lf Sweeping Rf from Front to Back, Cross Rf behind Lf
- &3&4 Step Lf to L Side, R Heel to R Side, close Rf next to Lf, Cross Lf in front of Rf
- 5.6 Step Rf to R Side, Hold (Prepping Body to R)
- 7&8 1/4 Turn L Stepping Lf Fwd, 1/2 Turn L Stepping Rf Back, 1/2 Turn L Stepping Lf Fwd

Note: When dancing A into B you Start B with ½ Turn L, however when dancing B into B you Start B with ¼ Turn L

Section B: 40 counts

B[1-8] ¹ / ₂ Turn L, Body Roll, ¹ / ₄ Turn R Step Together, Step Rf to R Side with Slight L Leg Lift, Cross, Step	
Touch Together x2, Step Rf Forward to Diagonal, Step Lf Fwd Hitching R Knee, Step Back Sweeping L	
1,2	1/2 turn L touching RF back, body roll back placing weight on RF
&3,4	Step LF back, ¼ turn R stepping RF to R side as you lift L knee, cross LF over R
&5&6	Step RF to R side, touch LF next to R, step LF to L side, touch RF next to R
&78	1/8 turn R stepping RF to R diagonal, step LF Fwd hitching R knee, step RF back sweeping LF from front to back

B[9-16] Sweep x2, Weave, ³/₄ Curve walk, Boogie walks x3

- Step LF back sweeping RF from front to back, step RF back sweeping LF from front to back 1,2
- 3&4 Step LF behind R, 1/8 turn R stepping RF to R side, cross LF over R
- 5&6 3/4 turn R curve R,L,R
- 7&8 Walk Fwd L,R,L (boogie walks)
- (*Restart here during 3rd B pattern)

B[17-24] Rock, Recover ¼ turn L, ¼ turn R with a Kick, Cross LF over R, Point, ½ turn L point, ½ turn L point, Kick diagonal 1,2

- Rock RF Fwd, 1/4 turn L stepping LF to L side
- 1/4 turn R placing weight on RF as you kick LF Fwd, cross LF over R 3,4
- Point RF to R side, ¹/₂ turn L point RF to R side, (click both fingers when you point) 5,6
- 1/2 turn L point RF to R side (Raise R hand up making a stop sign when you point RF) 1/8 turn L 7,8 kicking RF to L diagonal

B[25-32] Ball step fwd L, Step fwd R, Rock fwd, Rock side, Lock unwind 7/8 turn L, out, out & cross

- &1.2 Close RF next to L, step LF Fwd diagonal, step Rf Fwd diagonal
- 3&4& Rock LF Fwd, recover, rock LF to L side, recover

5,6Touch LF behind R, unwind 7/8 L finish with weight on LF (hug yourself as you unwind)&7&8Step RF out, step LF out, step RF in, cross LF over R

(*Add ending here during last B pattern, First 10 counts of section A)

B[33-40] Side Rock recover, Ball Rock recover, step fwd, R mambo, step back with a sweep, ½ turn sailor L

- 1,2& Rock RF to R side, recover weight onto L, ½ turn R stepping R to R side
- 3&4 ¹/₂ turn R Rock LF to L side, recover weight onto R, cross LF over R
- 5&6 Step RF back diagonal, step LF to L side, cross RF over L
- &7& Step LF back diagonal, step RF to R side, cross LF over R,
- 8& 1/4 turn L stepping RF back, 1/4 turn L stepping LF Fwd

*Ending – You dance the first 10 counts of section A.

On count 9 raise R hand up as you glide LF back slowly bring R hand down (turn lights down low) do not make the $\frac{1}{2}$ turn L.

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