

# FIRST DEGREE

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**Count:** —                      **Wall:** 2                      **Level:** intermediate

**Choreographer:** Bill Larson

**Music:** Murder On The Dance Floor by Sophie Ellis Bextor

## INTRO

**Start 16 counts in on the words "Murder on the dance floor".**

1-2            Dance 41-60&, then start dance.

## THE MAIN DANCE

### STEP-LOCK-STEP, SAMBA STEP, STEP-LOCK-STEP SAMBA STEP

1&2            Step right forward at 45 degrees right, lock left up behind right, step right forward at 45 degrees right

3&4            Step left to side, replace weight onto right, step left across in front of right

5&6            Step right forward at 45 degrees right, lock left up behind right, step right forward at 45 degrees right

7&8            Step left to side, replace weight onto right, step left across in front of right

### STEP PIVOT ½ TURN, TRIPLE STEP ½ TURN, BACK ROCK, STEP PADDLE ¼ TURN

1-2            Step forward on right, pivot turn ½ left

3&4            Triple step ½ turn left (right-left-right)

5-6            Step back on left, rock forward onto right

7-8            Step forward on left, pivot turn ¼ right (weight onto right)

### EXTENDED CROSS SHUFFLE, SLIDE TOUCH

1&2&            Step left across in front of right, step right to side, step left across in front of right, step right to side

3&4&            Step left across in front of right, step right to side, step left across in front of right, step right to side

5&6            Step left across in front of right, step right to side, step left across in front of right

7-8            Step right to side (long step) slide left up to touch beside right (weight on right)

### BALL-CROSS, UNWIND, TRIPLE STEP ¼ TURN, COASTER STEP, FORWARD TURN, TURN

- &1-2** Step left slightly to side, step right across in front of left, unwind a full turn left (weight on left)
- 3&4** Triple step  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left (right-left-right)
- 5-6** Step back on left, step right beside left, step forward on left
- 7-8** Step forward on right, left completing a full turn left

### **WALK WALK WALK WALK, FORWARD COASTER, BACK COASTER**

- 1-4** Walk forward right-left-right-left
- 5&6** Step forward on right, step left beside right, step back on right
- 7&8** Step back on left, step right beside left, step forward on left

### **SIDE ROCK BEHIND-BALL-CROSS, SIDE ROCK BEHIND-BALL-CROSS**

- 1-2** Step right forward at 45 degrees right, replace weight onto left
- 3-4** Step right behind left, step left to side, step right across in front of left
- 5-6** Step left forward at 45 degrees left, replace weight onto right
- 7&8** Step left behind right, step right to side, step left across in front of right

### **FORWARD, ROCK TRIPLE STEP $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN, STEP PIVOT SHUFFLE**

- 1-2** Step forward on right, rock back onto left
- 3&4** Triple step  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right (right-left-right)
- 5-6** Step left forward, pivot turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  right
- 7&8** Shuffle forward (left-right-left)

### **SIDE & SIDE & HEEL & TOE & HEEL & TURN & HEEL & TURN &**

- 1&2&** Touch right to side, step right beside left, touch left to side, step left beside right
- 3&4&** Tap right heel forward, step right beside left, tap left toe back, step left beside right
- 5&6&** Tap right heel forward, step right beside left with  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left, tap left heel forward, step left beside right
- 7&8&** Tap right heel forward, step right beside left with  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left, tap left heel forward, step left beside right

**REPEAT**

**RESTART**

**Restart after count 36 on walls 2 and 5**

**Restart after count 32 on walls 4, 7, 8, and 9**

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