

Riverboat Queen

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Count: 156

Wall: 2

Level: Intermediate / Advanced

Choreographer: Ross Brown (UK) March 2011

Music: Proud Mary by Ike & Tina Turner [Length - 4:57]

Intro: 16 Counts (Approx. 10 Secs)

Sequence: A (x6) - A (1st Two Sections) - B (Onwards)

NOTE: You will notice that on the 7th sequence of Part A, the music begins to slow down.

Dance up to Counts 16 & (*) , then start dancing Part B, facing the front wall.**

When you start doing Part B, the beat will kick in after the ROCKING CHAIR.

Also, Part B should feel as though it “starts” with the RUMBA BOX FORWARD.

Part A : 32 Counts - 2 Wall

STEP ¼ TURN R. ROCK FORWARD. SHUFFLE ½ TURN L. ROCK FORWARD. SHUFFLE ½ TURN R.

- 1 - 2 - 3** Make a ¼ turn right stepping forward with right, rock forward with left, recover onto right.
- 4 & 5** Shuffle a ½ turn left stepping; left, right, left.
- 6 - 7** Rock forward with right, recover onto left.
- 8 & 1** Shuffle a ½ turn right stepping; right, left, right. (3 o'clock)

STEP, SPIRAL ¾ TURN R. SHUFFLE FORWARD. ROCK FORWARD. COASTER STEP.

- 2 - 3** Step forward with left, make a ¾ turn right hooking right across left.
- 4 & 5** Step forward with right, close left up to right, step forward with right.
- 6 - 7** Rock forward with left, recover onto right.
- 8 &** Step back with left, step right next to left. (***) (12 o'clock)

STEP. PIVOT ½ TURN R, SIDE STEP ¼ TURN R. SAILOR ¼ TURN R. PIVOT ½ TURN L, SIDE STEP ¼ TURN L. SAILOR ½ TURN L with CROSS.

- 1** Step forward with left.
- 2 - 3** Pivot a ½ turn right, make a ¼ turn right stepping left to the left.

- 4 & 5 Make a $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right stepping; right behind left, left next to right, forward with right.
- 6 - 7 Pivot a $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left, make a $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left stepping right to the right.
- 8 & 1 Make a $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left stepping; left behind right, right next to left, left over right. (9 o'clock)

MONTEREY $\frac{3}{4}$ TURN R. SIDE ROCK, CROSS. HIP ROLL. SIDE, TOGETHER.

- 2 - 3 Point right to the right, make a $\frac{3}{4}$ turn right stepping right over left.
- 4 & 5 Rock left to the left, recover onto right, cross step left over right.
- 6 - 7 Step right to the right rolling hips anti clockwise over two counts. (Weight ends on left)
- 8 & Step right to the right, close left up to right. (6 o'clock)

Part B : 124 Counts - 1 Wall

ROCKING CHAIR.

- 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Rock forward with left, recover onto right, rock back with left, recover onto right. (12 o'clock)

STEP, HOLD. STEP $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN R. HOLD. STEP $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN L, HOLD. STEP $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN R, HOLD.

- 1 - 2 Step forward with left, hold for 1 count.
- 3 - 4 Make a $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right stepping forward with right, hold for 1 count.
- 5 - 6 Make a $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left stepping forward with left, hold for 1 count.
- 7 - 8 Make a $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right stepping forward with right, hold for 1 count. (12 o'clock)

STEP $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN L, HOLD. STEP $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN R, HOLD. STEP $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN L, HOLD. STEP, PIVOT $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN L.

- 1 - 2 Make a $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left stepping forward with left, hold for 1 count.
- 3 - 4 Make a $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right stepping forward with right, hold for 1 count.
- 5 - 6 Make a $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left stepping forward with left, hold for 1 count.
- 7 - 8 Step forward with right, pivot a $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left. (12 o'clock)

SLOW JAZZ BOX.

- 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Cross step right over left, hold for 1 count, step back with left, hold for 1 count.
- 5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step right to the right, hold for 1 count, step forward with left, hold for 1 count. (12 o'clock)

SLOW JAZZ BOX with CROSS.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Cross step right over left, hold for 1 count, step back with left, hold for 1 count.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step right to the right, hold for 1 count, cross step left over right, hold for 1 count. (12 o'clock)

RUMBA BOX FORWARD.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step right to the right, step left next to right, step forward with right, hold for 1 count.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step left to the left, step right next to left, step back with left, hold for 1 count. (12 o'clock)

RUMBA BOX BACK.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step right to the right, step left next to right, step back with right, hold for 1 count.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step left to the left, step right next to left, step forward with left, hold for 1 count. (12 o'clock)

CHASSE ¼ TURN R, HOLD. MAMBO ½ TURN L, HOLD.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step right to the right, close left up to right, make a ¼ turn right stepping forward with right, hold for 1 count.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Rock forward with left, recover onto right, make a ½ turn left stepping forward with left, hold for 1 count. (9 o'clock)

STEP, LOCK, STEP, HOLD. STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN R, STEP, HOLD.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step forward with right, lock left behind right, step forward with right, hold for 1 count.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step forward with left, pivot a ½ turn right, step forward with left, hold for 1 count. (3 o'clock)

SIDE ROCK ¼ TURN L. KICK, CROSS. SIDE ROCK. KICK, CROSS.

1 - 2 Make a ¼ turn left rocking right to the right, recover onto left.

3 - 4 Kick right foot forward, cross step right over left.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Rock left to the left, recover onto right, kick left foot forward, cross step left over right. (12 o'clock)

SIDE, TOUCH, SIDE, TOUCH. COASTER STEP, HOLD.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step right to the right, touch left next to right, step left to the left, touch right next to left.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step back with right, step left next to right, step forward with right, hold for 1 count. (12 o'clock)

STEP, HOLD, STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN. X2.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step forward with left, hold for 1 count, step forward with right, pivot a ½ turn left.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step forward with right, hold for 1 count, step forward with left, pivot a ½ turn right. (12 o'clock)

STEP, HOLD, STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN L. RUN, RUN, RUN, RUN.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step forward with left, hold for 1 count, step forward with right, pivot a ½ turn left.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Run forward; right, left, right, left. (6 o'clock)

STEP, HOLD, STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN. X2.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step forward with right, hold for 1 count, step forward with left, pivot a ½ turn right.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Step forward with left, hold for 1 count, step forward with right, pivot a ½ turn left. (6 o'clock)

STEP, HOLD, STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN R. RUN, RUN, RUN, RUN.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Step forward with right, hold for 1 count, step forward with left, pivot a ½ turn right.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Run forward; left, right, left, right. (12 o'clock)

ROCK FORWARD. BACK STRUT. BACK STRUT. ROCK BACK.

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 Rock forward with left, recover onto right, touch left toe back, place left heel.

5 - 6 - 7 - 8 Touch right toe back, place right heel, rock back with left, recover onto right. (12 o'clock)

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