

# RHYTHM CHA CHA

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**Count:** 48      **Wall:** —      **Level:** —

**Choreographer:** Bev Kerins & Tony Mucci

**Music:** Lonely Too Long by Patty Loveless

**Position:** Right Side-By Side

**Man and lady follow same footwork except as noted**

## LEFT TOUCH, KICK, COASTER STEP, FORWARD SHUFFLES

- 1-2      Cross left over right and touch left toe, kick left slightly forward
- 3&4      Step back on left, step right next to left, step forward on left
- 5&6      Shuffle forward (right-left-right)
- 7&8      Shuffle forward (left-right-left)

## RIGHT TOUCH, KICK, COASTER STEP, FORWARD SHUFFLES, PIVOT

- 9-10      Cross right over left and touch right toe, kick right slightly forward
- 11&12      Step back on right, step left next to right, step forward on right
- 13&14      Shuffle forward (left-right-left)
- 15&16      Shuffle forward (right-left-right)
- &      Pivot  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn to the right on ball of right

## SIDE SHUFFLE LEFT, PIVOT, SHUFFLE BACK, PIVOT, SIDE SHUFFLE, LEFT, PIVOT, SHUFFLE FORWARD

- 17&18      Shuffle sideways to the left (left-right-left)
- &      Pivot  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn to the right on ball of left
- 19&20      Shuffle backward (right-left-right)
- &      Pivot  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn to the left on ball of right
- 21&22      Shuffle sideways to the left (left-right-left)
- &      Pivot  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn to the left on ball of left
- 23&24      Shuffle forward (right-left-right)

## STEP, HOLD, SYNCOPATED SLIDE, STEP, HOLD, ROCK STEPS, FORWARD SHUFFLE

- 25-26 Step forward on left, hold
- &27-28 Slide right up next to left, step forward on left, hold
- 29-30 Step back and rock onto right, rock forward onto left in place
- 31&32 Shuffle forward (right-left-right)

### **LADY'S TURNING SHUFFLE, BACKWARD SHUFFLES**

**33MAN: Step forward on left**

**LADY: Step forward on left**

**Partners raise both hands over lady's head**

**&MAN: Hold**

**LADY: Pivot ½ turn to the right on ball of left**

**34&35MAN: Shuffle in place (right, left, right)**

**LADY: Shuffle in place (right, left, right) & make a full turn to the right**

**Lady has now made a 1 ½ turn to the right & partners bring hands down into a "window" position**

**36MAN: Step forward on left**

**LADY: Step back on left**

**37&38MAN: Shuffle forward (right, left, right)**

**LADY: Shuffle backward (, right, left, right)**

**39&40MAN: Shuffle forward (left, right, left)**

**LADY: Shuffle backward (left, right, left)**

**Man's half-jazz square & coaster step, lady's to the right walk around, shuffles. Release left hands and raise right hands**

**41MAN: Step forward on right**

**LADY: Step right forward and behind man begin making a full right walk-around of man**

**42MAN: Cross left over right**

**LADY: Step on left and continue full right to the walkaround**

**43MAN: Step back on right**

**LADY: Step on right continuing full right to the walkaround**

**&MAN: Step left next to right**

**LADY: Step on left continuing full right to the walk-around**

**44MAN: Step forward on right**

**LADY: Step on right continuing full right to the walkaround**

**45&46MAN: Shuffle in place (left-right-left)**

**LADY: Shuffle (left-right-left) in front of man continuing walk around**

**47&48MAN: Shuffle forward (right-left-right)**

**LADY: Shuffle forward (right-left-right) positioning yourself at man's right side**

**Rejoin left hands returning to the right side by side position**

**REPEAT**