

Bed of Roses

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Count: 32

Wall: 4

Level: Intermediate

Choreographer: Katharina Handberg (DK) & Rene Madsen (DK) Sept 2011

Music: The Band Perry - If I Die Young

Intro: The dance starts quickly. She sings "If I die young". Start on the word "young". Please see notes below!!!

[1 - 8] Back, Back, ½ L, ¼ L, Behind, ¼ R, Fw, Sweep, Cross, 1/8 Back, ¼ Fw, Cross, ¼ Back

- 1** Step L back, (12.00)
- 2&3** Step R back, make ½ L stepping L fw, make ¼ L stepping R to R, (3.00)
- 4&5** Step L behind R, make ¼ R stepping R fw, step L fw while sweeping R around (6.00)
- 6&7** Cross R over L, step L diagonally back (7.30), step R to R making ¼ R (10.30)
- 8&** Cross L over R, make ¼ L step R back (7.30)

[9 - 16] ½ L, Fw, ½ R, Back, L Coasterstep, Full turn L, 1/8 L, Behind, ¼ R Fw

1make ½ L stepping L fw (1.30)

- 2&3** Step R fw, make ½ R stepping L back, step R back (7.30)
- 4&5** Step L back, step R next to L, step L fw (7.30)
- 6&7** Make ½ L step R back, make ½ L step L fw, make 1/8 L step R to R (6.00)
- 8&** Step L behind R, make ¼ R step R fw (9.00)

[17 - 24] ½ R With Sweep, Roling Wine R, R Basic, L Basic, Back Rock, Recover

- 1** Make ½ R stepping L back while sweeping R to R (3.00)
- 2&3** Turn ¼ R step R fw, turn ½ R step L back, turn ¼ R step R to R (3.00)
- 4&5** Rock L behind R, cross R over L, step L to L (3.00)
- 6&7** Rock R behind L, cross L over R, step R to R (3.00)
- 8&** Rock L behind R, step R fw (3.00)

[25 - 32] ½ R Back, ½ Circle Run, Cross Rock, Side, Back Rock, Side, Touch

- 1** Make ½ R step L back (9.00)
- 2&3** Make ½ Circle to R while running R,L,R (3.00)

- 4&5** Cross rock L over R, recover R, step L to L (3.00)
- 6&7** Rock R behind L, recover L, step R to R (3.00)
- 8** Drag L next to R ending with a touch next to R (3.00)

Tag:

- 1-4** Step L to L while swaying L,R,L,R

***Notes: The dance moves in a clockwise motion.**

The sequences are: 24+R, 32, 32, 32, 24+R, 24+Tag/R, 8+R, 32, 21+Ending

These notes may help you to figure out where to start the dance.

Wall 1: starts facing 12.00. Dance up to and including count 24. Instead of stepping L back on count 1, make ½ R step L back and continue as usual

Wall 2: starts facing 9.00. Dance all 32 counts

Wall 3: starts facing 12.00. Dance all 32 counts

Wall 4: starts facing 3.00. Dance all 32 counts

Wall 5: starts facing 6.00. Dance up to and including count 24. Instead of stepping L back on count 1, make ½ R step L back and continue as usual

Wall 6: starts facing 3.00. The music slows down on this wall, but keep on going! Dance up to and including count 24. Add the 4 count tag and restart the dance.

Wall 7: starts facing 6.00. Dance up to and including count 8& restart the dance

Wall 8: starts facing 12.00. Dance all 32 counts

Wall 9: Dance up to and including count 21, then cross R over L and make a sloooooow ½ L to end the dance facing 12 o'clock

It is not as difficult as it looks like. Just listen to the music and go with the flow!!! :o)