

# THE SOONER

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**Count:** 64

**Wall:** 4

**Level:** intermediate

**Choreographer:** Gloria Johnson & Dusty Miller

**Music:** A Long Way From OK by Jeff Wood

## SYNCOATED STEPS WITH HEEL TAPS AND FINGER SNAPS

- &1** Step out quickly on right; step out on left
- 2-4** Hold position and tap right heel and snap right fingers on each count
- &5** Step in to center quickly on right; step into center on left
- 6-8** Hold position and tap left heel and snap right fingers on each count

## MONTEREY TURN

- 9-10** Touch right toe to right side; hold
- 11-12** Turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  to the right putting weight on right; hold
- 13-14** Touch left toe to left side; hold
- 15-16** Touch left toe beside right foot; hold

## RIGHT AND LEFT SIDE SHUFFLES WITH ROCK STEPS

- 17&18** Step right foot to the right; step left beside right; step right to the right
- 19-20** Rock step left foot back; step right foot forward
- 21&22** Step left foot to the left; step right beside left; step left to the left
- 23-24** Rock step right foot back; step left foot forward.

## MONTEREY TURN

- 25-26** Touch right toe to the right side; hold
- 27-28** Turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  to the right putting weight on the right foot; hold
- 29-30** Touch left toe to the left side; hold:
- 31-32** Step left foot beside right foot; hold.

## $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN, $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN

- 33-34** Touch right toe behind; hold
- 35-36** Pivot  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn to the right keeping weight on left; hold
- 37-38** Touch right toe behind; hold

**39-40** Pivot ¼ turn to the right keeping weight on left; hold.

### **SHUFFLE FORWARD; TURNING SHUFFLE; SHUFFLE BACKWARD**

**41&42** Step right foot forward; step left beside right; step right forward

**43&44** Step left forward beginning a ½ turn right; step right beside left continuing turn; step left foot slightly forward completing the turn

**45&46** Step right foot back; step left foot beside right; step right foot back

**47-48** Rock step back on left; step forward on right.

### **LEFT AND RIGHT SIDE TOUCHES**

**49-50** Touch left toe to left side; step left across in front of right

**51-52** Touch right toe to right side; step right across in front of left

**53-54** Touch left toe to left side; step left across in front of right

**55-56** Touch right toe to right side; step right across in front of left.

### **KICK-BALL-CHANGES MOVING BACKWARD**

**57&58** Kick right foot forward; step back on right foot; step left beside right

**59&60** Kick right foot forward; step back on right foot; step left beside right

**61&62** Kick right foot forward; step back on right foot; step left beside right

**63&64** Kick right foot forward; step back on right foot; step left beside right.

**These kick-ball-changes will cause dancers to move slightly backward each time they are done.**

### **REPEAT**