

The Battle (of 1814)

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Count: 40 **Wall:** 4 **Level:** Improver

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Music: The Battle of New Orleans by Sham Rock, CD: The Album

Start after 16 counts

Intro - Step in a square

- 1 - 4 Step forward right, left. Step forward right. Pivot $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left
- 5 - 8 Repeat 1-4
- 1 - 8 Repeat 1-8 (12:00)

Section 1: Mambo r l, forward run, heel split

- 1 & 2 Mambo right
- 3 & 4 Mambo left
- 5 & 6 Run forward right, left, right
- 7 & 8 Left beside right. Heel Split. Together

Section 2: Left heel dig, hitch, heel dig, back coaster cross, scissor step r, l

- 1 & 2 Left heel dig forward. Left hitch. Left heel dig forward
- 3 & 4 Back coaster cross left, right, left
- 5 & 6 Scissor step right. Step right to right, step left beside right, cross left over right
- 7 & 8 Scissor step left. Step left to left, step right beside left, cross left over right (12:00)

Section 3: Step $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left, shuffle, kick ball touch, point touch

- 1 - 2 Step forward right. Pivot $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left
- 3 & 4 Shuffle forward right, left, right
- 5 & 6 Left kick ball, touch right beside left
- 7 - 8 Point right to right. Touch right beside left (9:00)

Section 4: Step pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left, shuffle, rock step, triple full turn left

- 1 - 2 Step forward right. Pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left

- 3 & 4 Shuffle forward right left right
- 5 - 6 Rock forward left, recover right
- 7 & 8 Triple full turn left, left right left (3:00)

Section 5: Side together, scissor step, side together scissor step

- 1 - 2 Step right to right side. Step left beside right
- 3 & 4 Scissor step. Step right to right, step left beside right, cross left over right
- 5 - 6 Step left to left side. Step right beside left
- 7 & 8 Scissor step. Step left to left, step right beside left, cross left over right (3:00)

Begin again.

Tag: Danced at the end of 4th (12:00) and 6th wall (6:00)

- 1 & 2 Step right diagonally backwards to right. 2 steps on the spot left, right
- 3 & 4 Step left diagonally backwards to left. 2 steps on the spot right, left
- 5 - 6 Step forward right. Pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left
- 7 - 8 Repeat 5-6

Ending:

- 1 - 4 Step forward right left. Step forward right. Pivot $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left
- 5 - 8 Repeat 1-4
- 1 - 4 Step forward right left. Step forward right. Pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left
- 5 - 8 Repeat 1-4

Dance and be happy.