

Treat You Better

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Count: 32

Wall: 2

Level: Intermediate / Advanced

Choreographer: Darcie DeAngelis - July 2016

Music: " Treat You Better " by Shawn Mendes

Count in: 16 counts - Restart: Wall 5

(1-8) L Scissor, Step 1/4 Sweep, Behind, Forward, Samba Steps with Turn

- 1 2&** Step L to L side (1) Step R next to L (2) Cross L over R (&)
- 3 4&** Making a 1/8 turn L, step R to R side while sweeping L front to back (3) Cross L behind R (4) Step R forward, moving to 10:30 diagonal (&)
- 5 6** Step L forward to 10:30 (5) Making 1/8 turn R, cross R over L squaring to 12:00 (6)
- 7 8&** Making 1/8 turn R to 1:30, step L back (7) Step R back (8) Making 1/8 turn R, step L behind R, squaring to 3:00 (&)

(9-16) Samba Steps with Turn, L Shuffle, R Cross Unwind, R Rock Forward, L Recover

- 1 2&** Making 1/8 turn R to 4:30, step L forward (1) Step R forward (2) Step L side, squaring to 6:00 (&)
- 3 4&** Making 1/8 turn R to 7:30, step R back (3) Step L back (4) Step R next to L, squaring to 9:00 (&)
- 5&6** Step L forward (5) Step R next to L (&) Step L forward (6)
- &7** Cross R over L (&) Unwind full turn over L (7) Step L sown in place (&)
- 8&** Rock R forward (8) Recover weight to L (&)

**** Restart after count 16 on wall 5. Rock R forward (8) Do not recover L. Restart with 1/4 turn L to begin dance facing 6:00 (1)**

(17-24) Batucada R L R L, R Rock Back, L Recover, Step, L 1/2 Turn, Step, 1/4 Turn

- 1&a**Step R back (1) Press ball of L forward (&) Recover R (a)
- 2&a**Step L back (2) Press ball of R forward (&) Recover L (a)
- 3&a**Step R back (3) Press ball of L forward (&) Recover R (a)
- 4&a**Step L back (4) Press ball of R forward (&) Recover L (a)

Alternative to Batucada: Back Touch RLRL

- 1&2&** Step R back (1) Touch L next to R (&) Step L back (2) Touch R next to L (&)
- 3&4&** Step R back (3) Touch L next to R (&) Step L back (4) Touch R next to L (&)
- 5&6&** Rock R back (5) Recover weight to L (&) Step R forward (6) 1/2 turn L (&)
- 7 8&** Step R forward (7) Making 1/4 turn R, step L to L side (8) Making 1/4 turn R, replace R (&)

(25-32) Cross, 1/4, 1/2, Step, 1/4, Cross, 1/4 Rocking Chair, Full Chase

- 1 2&** Cross L over R (1) Making 1/4 turn L, step R back (2) Making 1/2 turn L, step L forward (&)
- 3&4** Making 1/4 turn L, step R forward, pushing R hip slightly R (3) Step ball of L down in place (&) Cross R over L (4)
- 5&6&** Making 1/4 turn L, Rock L forward (5) Recover weight to R (&) Rock L back (6) Recover weight to R (&)
- 7&8&** Step L forward (7) Making 1/2 turn R, step R down in place (&) Step L forward (8) Making 1/2 turn R, step R down in place (&)

****When starting new wall: Make 1/4 turn R, stepping L to L side (1) and continue dance as written**