

# When I Was

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**Count:** 32                      **Wall:** 4                      **Level:** Easy Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Pauline Greenwood : Australia (April 2013)

**Music:** When I Was Your Man - Bruno Mars. Album: Unorthodox Jukebox [3mins. 34secs. 72 bpm]

**Position - Feet Together Weight On Left Foot.**

**Dance Starts On The Word 'Stay' - After 16 Count Introduction. (13 Secs) CCW rotation**

**[1 - 8] SIDE. ROCK. TOGETHER. SIDE. ROCK. TOGETHER. COASTER. PADDLE QUARTER**

- 1 2 &      Step R to R side, Rock weight to L side, Step R beside L,  
3 4 &      Step L to L side, Rock weight to R side, Step L beside R,  
5 & 6      Step R back, Step L beside R, Step R forward,  
7 8        Step L forward, Paddle 1/4R. (3.00)

**[9 - 16] CROSS SHUFFLE. SIDE. ROCK. HINGE SIDE. ROCK. SHUFFLE FORWARD**

- 1 & 2      Step L across R, Step R to the R side, Step L across R,  
3 4        Step R to R side, Rock weight to L,  
5 6        Hinge turn 1/2R Stepping R to R side and sway hips R, Rock weight onto L (9.00)  
7 & 8      Step R forward, Step L beside R, Step R forward.

**[17 - 24] QUARTER SAILOR. MAMBO FORWARD. MAMBO BACK. CROSS UNWIND HALF**

- 1 & 2      Turn 1/4L stepping L behind R, Rock weight to R side, Replace weight to L (6.00)  
3 & 4      Step R forward, Rock weight to L, Step R back,  
5 & 6      Step L back, Rock weight onto R, Step L forward,  
7 & 8      Step R across L, Unwind 1/2L (weight on R 12.00)

**[25 - 32] SWEEP. SWEEP. QUARTER CROSS SAMBA. TOGETHER, FORWARD, ROCK, COASTER**

- 1 2        Sweep L in front of R, Sweep R in front of L,  
3 & 4 &    Step L across R, Turn 1/4L stepping R to R side, Rock weight to L side, Step R beside L,  
5 6        Step L forward, Rock weight back onto R,  
7 & 8      Step L back, Step R beside L, Step L forward (9.00)

**REPEAT IN COUNTER CLOCKWISE ROTATION**

**RESTARTS Wall 2 (6.00) & 5 (9.00) Dance to count 16 and add an & count (16&) stepping L beside R.**

**TAG: At the end of Wall 3 (3.00) there is a 4 count tag**

**1 2** Step R forward, Rock weight back on L,

**3 & 4 &** Step R back, Step L beside R, Step R forward, Step L beside R.

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