

SUKIYAKI

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Count: 64

Wall: 4

Level: Beginner / Intermediate foxtrot

Choreographer: Max Perry

Music: Sukiyaki by Kyu Sakamoto

This dance has a Foxtrot feeling, so you can do a slight rise onto the balls of the feet during the "quick" steps and settle back down on the "slow" steps, just like in Foxtrot.

2 WALKS FORWARD, $\frac{3}{4}$ PADDLE TURN LEFT, 2 WALKS FORWARD, $\frac{3}{4}$ PADDLE TURN LEFT

1-4(SS) Step left forward, hold, step right forward, hold

5-6(QQ) Step left forward toe turned out, rock right to right side & slightly back with ball of foot

7-8(QQ) Step left in place turning toe out to left, rock right side & slightly back with ball of foot

Total amount of turn should be $\frac{3}{4}$ to the left on the paddle turn

1-8(SSQQQQ) Repeat previous 8 counts

3 SCISSORS STEPS (CLOSED TWINKLES), WEAVE LEFT TO $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN LEFT

1-2(S) Cross step left over right (diagonally forward towards right corner), hold

3-4(QQ) Step right side, step left next to right turning slightly to face left corner

5-6(S) Step right forward to left corner, hold

7-8(QQ) Step left side, step right next to left turning slightly to face right corner

1-2(S) Step left forward to right corner, hold

3-4(QQ) Step right side, step left next to right turning slightly to face left corner

5-6(QQ) Cross right over left, step left to left side

7-8(QQ) Cross right behind left and turn $\frac{1}{4}$ left, step left forward

FORWARD STEP, FORWARD COASTER, BACK STEP, BACK COASTER

1-2(S) Step right forward, hold

3-4(QQ) Step left forward, step right up next to left

5-6(S) Step left back, hold

7-8(QQ) Step right back, step left next to right

¼ PIVOT TURN LEFT, SLOW SAILOR SHUFFLE WITH HOLD

1-2(S) Step right forward, hold

3-4(S) Turn ¼ left and step left in place, hold

5-8(QQS) Cross right behind left, step left to left side, step right in place, hold (weight on right)

Here's count 49

STEP FORWARD, TOUCH HEEL FORWARD, RIGHT COASTER STEP (SLOW)

1-2(S) Step left forward, hold

3-4(S) Touch right heel forward, hold

5-8(QQS) Step right back, step left next to right, step right forward, hold

½ SLOW PIVOT TURN RIGHT, ¼ SLOW PIVOT TURN RIGHT

1-2(S) Step left forward, hold

3-4(S) Turn ½ right and step right in place, hold

5-6(S) Step left forward, hold

7-8(S) Turn ¼ right and step right in place, hold

REPEAT

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After walls 2 and 4

4 MEASURES OF A LEFT BOX TURNING ¼ LEFT PER MEASURE

1-4(SQQ) Step left forward turning $\frac{1}{4}$ left, hold, step right side, step left next to right

5-8(SQQ) Step right back turning $\frac{1}{4}$ left, hold, step left side, step right next to left

1-4(SQQ) Step left forward turning $\frac{1}{4}$ left, hold, step right side, step left next to right

5-8(SQQ) Step right back turning $\frac{1}{4}$ left, hold, step left side, step right next to left

STEP FORWARD, TOUCH RIGHT HEEL FORWARD, RIGHT COASTER (SLOW) - TWICE

1-2(S) Step left forward, hold

3-4(S) Touch right heel forward, hold

5-8(QQS) Step right back, step left next to right, step right forward, hold

1-8(SSQQS) Repeat 1-8

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After wall 5, repeat counts 49-64 of the main dance, then begin again from count 1