

SINK OR SWIM POLKA

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Count: 48

Wall: 4

Level: intermediate

Choreographer: John Dembiec

Music: Don't Cross The River by Garth Brooks

ROCK/RECOVER, TURNING SHUFFLE, KICKS, PIVOT, HITCH

- 1-2 Rock forward left, recover back to right
- 3&4 Making $\frac{1}{2}$ turn to left, shuffle back left, right, left
- 5-6 Kick right forward, kick right back
- 7-8 While on left foot, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn right with a right kick, hitch right over left

SHUFFLE FORWARD, SHUFFLE SIDE (TWICE)

- 1&2 Shuffle forward right, left, right
- 3&4 Making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right, side shuffle left, right, left
- 5&6 Making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left, shuffle forward right, left, right
- 7&8 Making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right, side shuffle left, right, left

ROCK/RECOVER, KICK AND CROSSES, $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN PIVOT

- 1-2 Rock diagonally back behind with right, recover to left
- 3&4 Facing diagonally right, kick right, step right next to left, step left over right
- 5&6 Kick right, step right next to left, step left over right
- 7-8 Step right to right, pivoting $\frac{1}{2}$ turn to right on right, step left to left

KICK AND STEP, ROCK/RECOVER, $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN SHUFFLE

- 1&2 Facing diagonally left, kick right forward, step right next to left, step left tot left
- 3&4 Kick right forward, step right next to left, step left tot left
- 5-6 Rock right diagonally over left, recover to left
- 7&8 Turning $\frac{1}{2}$ turn to right, shuffle right, left, right

SHUFFLE FORWARD, $\frac{1}{2}$ TURNS WITH HITCHES, ROCK/RECOVER

- 1&2 Shuffle forward left, right, left
- 3& Step right forward, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left and hitch left knee up
- 4& Step left back, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left and hitch right knee up

- 5&** Step right forward, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left and hitch left knee up
- 6&** Step left back, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left and hitch right knee up
- 7-8** Rock right forward, replace back to left

BACK COASTER, TURNING TOE TOUCHES, BACK ROCK/RECOVER

- 1&2** Step right back, step left next to right, step right slightly forward
- 3&** Touch left to left, step left next to right with $\frac{1}{4}$ turn to left
- 4&** Touch right to right, step right next to left
- 5&** Touch left to left, step left next to right with $\frac{1}{4}$ turn to left
- 6&** Touch right to right, step right next to left
- 7-8** Rock back on left, replace back to right

REPEAT