

Slappin' Leather

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Count: 42

Wall: 4

Level: —

Choreographer: A modified version of the 1978 dance by Gayle Brandon (Scripted by G. Frazer, 28 Feb. 2016.)

Music: "T-R-O-U-B-L-E" by Travis Tritt

(This stepsheet documents the version of the dance as it has been done since the 1990's in southeastern NH and northeastern MA, USA.)

Starting position: feet together

HEELS SPLIT, TOGETHER, HEELS SPLIT, TOGETHER

1,2 Swivel on balls of both feet to move heels apart, move heels together

3,4 Move heels apart, move heels together

HEEL TOUCH, STEP TOGETHER, HEEL TOUCH, STEP TOGETHER

5,6 Touch right heel diagonally forward, step right foot together

7,8 Touch left heel diagonally forward, step left foot together

HEEL TOUCH, STEP TOGETHER, HEEL TOUCH, STEP TOGETHER

9,10 Touch right heel diagonally forward, step right foot together

11,12 Touch left heel diagonally forward, step left foot together

HEEL, HEEL, TOE, TOE

13,14 Touch right heel forward, touch right heel forward

15,16 Touch right toe back, touch right toe back

FORWARD, SIDE, FLICK BEHIND, SIDE, FLICK IN FRONT, TURN AND FLICK OUTWARD

17,18 Touch right heel forward, touch right toe to side

19 Raise right foot behind left leg and slap right heel with left hand

20 Touch right toe to side

21 Raise right foot in front of left leg and slap right heel with left hand

22 On ball of left foot, pivot 1/4 left and flick right foot to right side and slap right heel with right hand

VINE RIGHT, SLAP

23,24 Step right foot to side, step left foot behind right

25,26 Step right foot to side, raise left foot behind right leg and slap left heel with right hand

VINE LEFT, SLAP

27,28 Step left foot to side, step right foot behind left

29,30 Step left foot to side, raise right foot behind left leg and slap right heel with left hand

BACK 3 STEPS, SLAP

31,32 Step right foot back, step left foot back

33,34 Step right foot back, raise left foot in front of right leg and slap left heel with right hand

STEP FORWARD, SLAP, STEP BACK, SLAP

35,36 Step left foot forward, raise right foot behind left leg and slap right heel with left hand

37,38 Step right foot back, raise left foot in front of right leg and slap left heel with right hand

STEP, LOCK, STEP, STOMP

39,40 Step left foot forward, step right foot close behind left

41,42 Step left foot forward, stomp right foot beside left

REPEAT IF PULSE RATE PERMITS!

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