

# Cry me (A River)

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**Count:** 48

**Wall:** 2

**Level:** Intermediate NC2S

**Choreographer:** Charles Alexander (Swe) October 2018

**Music:** Cry Me A River (Recorded at Metropolis Studios, London) by Nina Nesbitt

## Music Available on Spotify (5.00 min)

**Intro: 8 counts, approx. 8 sec - 61 bpm**

## [1 - 8] SIDE ROCK & CROSS, CROSS-SIDE-BEHIND, BEHIND, 1/4 TURN, STEP, STEP, 1/2 TURN, STEP, 1/2 TURN

- 1&2** Rock R to side. Recover onto L. Cross R over L sweeping L foot from back to front.
- 3&4** Cross L over R. Step R to Side. Step L behind R Sweeping R from front to back.
- 5&6** Step R behind L. Make 1/4 turn left and step L forward. Step R forward. [9:00]
- 7&8&** Step L forward. Make 1/2 turn right shifting weight to R. Step L forward. Make 1/2 turn right shifting weight to R.

## [9 - 16] FULL SPIRAL TURN, STEP W/ LIFT, MAMBO SLIDE, BACK, 1/2 TURN, STEP, STEP, TURN 1/4, CROSS, SIDE

- 1-2** Step L forward and make a full spiral turn over right shoulder. Step R forward slightly flicking left foot back.
- 3&4** Rock L forward. Recover onto R. Step L back sliding R towards left foot.
- 5&6** Step R back. Make 1/2 turn left and step forward L. Step R forward. [3:00]
- 7&8&** Step L forward. Make 1/2 turn right shifting weight to R. Cross L over R. Step R to side. [6:00]

## [17 - 24] BACK ROCK, RECOVER, SIDE (x2), BEHIND-SIDE-CROSS W/ HITCH, BACK W/ SWEEP, BACK ROCK, RECOVER

- 1-2&** Rock L back. Recover onto R. Step L to side.
- 3-4&** Rock R back. Recover onto L. Step R to side.
- 5&6** Step L behind R. Step R to side. Cross L over R slightly hitching right leg.
- 7-8&** Step R back and sweep L from front to back. Rock L back. Recover onto R.

## [25 - 32] SIDE, BEHIND, 1/4 TURN, SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE, STEP, 1/2 CHASE TURN, 3/4 SPIRAL TURN

- 1-2&** Step L to side. Step R behind L. Make 1/4 turn left and step L forward. [3:00]
- 3-4&** Step R to side. Step L behind R. Step R to side.
- 5-6&7** Step L forward. Step R forward. Make 1/2 turn left shifting weight to L. Step R forward (Prep!). [9:00]
- 8** Step L forward and make a 3/4 spiral turn over right shoulder. [6:00]

**[33 - 40] 1/2 DIAMOND FALLAWAY, RIGHT BASIC, FULL MONTEREY TURN**

- 1-2&** Step R to side. Make 1/8 turn left and step L back. Step R back. [4:30]
- 3-4&** Make 1/8 turn left and step L to side. Make 1/8 turn left and step R forward. Step L forward. [1:30]
- 5-6&** Make 1/8 turn left and step R to side. Step L slightly behind R. Cross R over L. [12:00]
- 7-8&** Point L to side (Prep!). Make a full turn over left shoulder bringing L beside R. Take weight onto L.

**[41 - 48] 1/2 DIAMOND FALLAWAY, RIGHT BASIC, FULL MONTEREY TURN**

- 1-8** Repeat steps 33-40. [End facing 6:00] Weight is on your left.

**The dance finishes naturally towards the 12:00 wall.**

**Slow down with the music to the three beats doing count 47-48-1 (Point, Full Monterey, Side.)**