

# Makes Me Want to Stay

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**Count:** 32

**Wall:** 4

**Level:** Easy Improver

**Choreographer:** Sue Ayers - June 2019

**Music:** "Makes Me Want to Stay" by Clay Walker (4:15); Album "Long Live the Cowboy"

**Intro: Irish, then bluegrass-style intro ends around 0:53. Begin to dance at lyrics**

## **S1: Lindy Right, ½ Right Hinge Turn, Cross Shuffle**

- 1&2** Step RF to right (1), step LF next to RF (&), step RF to right (2)
- 3-4** Rock back on LF (3), recover weight to RF (4)
- 5-6** Step back on LF turning ¼ turn right (5), step RF forward turning ¼ turn right (6) (6:00)
- 7&8** Cross LF over RF (7), step RF right, cross LF over RF (8)

## **S2: Step, Diagonal Heel Touch, Chasse Left, Cross Rock/Recover, ¼ Right Shuffle Forward**

- 1-2** Step RF to right (1), touch L heel to diagonal forward left (2)
- 3&4** Step LF to left (3), step RF next to LF (&), step LF to left (4)
- 5-6** Cross rock RF over LF (5), recover weight to LF (6)
- 7&8** Turning ¼ right, Step RF forward (7), step LF next to RF (&), step RF forward (8) (9:00)

**Both tags occur here (Walls 2 and 5). See below for details.**

## **S3: Rock Forward/Recover, Coaster Step, Step, Diagonal Heel Touch, Step, Diagonal Heel Touch**

- 1-2** Rock forward on LF (1), recover weight back to RF (2)
- 3&4** Step LF back (3), step RF next to LF (&), step LF forward (4)
- 5-6** Step RF right (5), touch L heel to diagonal left forward (6)
- 7-8** Step LF left (7), touch R heel to diagonal right forward (8)

## **S4: Chasse, ½ Turn Chasse, Rock Back/Recover, Heel Tap x 2**

- 1&2** Step RF to right (1), step LF next to RF (&), step RF to right (2)
- 3&4** Turning ½ right, step LF to left (3), step RF next to LF (&), step LF to left (4) (3:00)
- 5-6** Rock back on RF (5), recover weight to LF (6)
- 7-8** Tap R heel to right diagonal front two times (7, 8)

**Tag (after the 16th count (end of S2) on Wall 2 facing 12:00 and Wall 5 facing 6:00):**

**(1) step left on LF**

**(2) touch RF next to LF, then restart the dance.**

**Added styling: starting with count 5 in S3 and continuing through the end of S4, touch knuckles of each fisted hand at waist for a folk/Irish flair (or thumbs in belt loops works, too!).**