

With Open Arms

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Count: 48

Wall: 2

Level: Intermediate waltz

Choreographer: Kim Liebsch (Denmark) (February 2020)

Music: Open arms by Boyz II Men (3:18)

Intro: 24 counts after 1st beat (appr. 14 seconds) Start with weight on L foot

#3 Restarts:

(1) On wall 2 after 30 counts (*6:00)-

(2) On wall 4 after 24 counts (6:00)**

(3) On wall 6 after 30 counts (12:00)**

Ending: After 21 counts (basic back)- Step fw. on L, drag R to L

[1 -12] Back rock step, ½ turn back rock, step step ¼ turn, twinkle ½ turn

1-3 Rock back on R, recover on L, step fw. on R 12:00

4-6 Make ½ turn R stepping back on L, rock back on R, recover on L 6:00

1-3 Step fw. on R, step fw. on L, make ¼ turn R putting weight on R 9:00

4-6 Cross L over R, step ¼ turn L stepping back on R, make ¼ turn L stepping L to L side 3:00

[13-24] Cross rock side, cross ¼ turn back, basic back, step rock recover

1-3 Cross R over L, recover on L, step R to R side 3:00

4-6 Cross L over R, make ¼ turn L stepping back on R, step back on L 12:00

1-3 Step back on R, close L next to R, change weight to R 12:00

4-6 Step fw. on L, rock fw. on R, recover on L (**6:00) 12:00

[25-36] Back rock step, full turn step back , 2 X twinkle back

1-3 Rock back on R, recover on L, step fw. on R 12:00

4-6 make $\frac{1}{2}$ turn L stepping fw. on L, make $\frac{1}{2}$ turn L stepping back on R, step back on L
(*6:00)(*12:00) 12:00**

1-3 Cross R behind L, step L to L side, step R to R side 12:00

4-6 Cross L behind R, step R to R side, step L to L side 12:00

[37-48] Slow step $\frac{1}{2}$ turn, step full spiral turn, step brush cross, side rock touch

1-3 Step fw. on R, make $\frac{1}{2}$ turn L stepping fw. on L over 2 counts 6:00

4-6 Step fw. on R, make full spiral turn L changing weight to L over 2 counts 6:00

1-3 Step fw. on R, brush L fw. cross L over R 6:00

4-6 Rock R to R side, recover on L, touch R beside L 6:00

Good Luck & N´joy!

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