

Steady Love

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Count: 80 **Wall:** 1 **Level:** Soul dance

Choreographer: Windy Lawrence-Booker – March 2020

Music: Steady Love by India Arie [Album: Worthy] (77 BPM, 4:22)

Step sheet prepared by Harry Woods

#32 count intro after near 15 second lead-in, support on right to begin a rotation (first rotation itself actually begins with support on the left with the last two counts of the intro, the steps matching those for the last two counts of a rotation)

INTRO: STEP, POINT

7-8 Step right forward, point left to side

SECTION 1: CROSS, SIDE, BEHIND SIDE CROSS, SWAY RLRL

1-2 Step left across right, step right to side

3&4 Step left behind right, step right to side, step left across right

5-8 Step right to side swaying hips right, left, right, left replacing left

SECTION 2: CROSS, SIDE, BEHIND SIDE CROSS, SWAY LRLR

1-2 Step right across left, step left to side

3&4 Step right behind left, step left to side, step right across left

5-8 Step left to side swaying hips left, right, left, right replacing right

SECTION 3: MAMBO FORWARD, MAMBO BACK, MAMBO LEFT, MAMBO RIGHT

1&2 Rock left forward, recover right, step left slightly back

3&4 Rock right back, recover left, step right slightly forward

5&6 Rock left to side, recover right, close left

7&8 Rock right to side, recover left, close right

SECTION 4: BACK, TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH

1-4 Step left back opening left, touch right beside left, step right back opening right, touch left beside right

5-8 Step left back opening left, touch right beside left, step right back opening right, touch left beside right

SECTION 5: WALK LRLR, COASTER, WALK RL

- 1-4** Step forward left, right, left, right
- 5&6** Step left back pushing off ball of right, step right beside left, step left forward
- 7-8** Step forward right, left

SECTION 6: SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, TOUCH, SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, TOUCH

- 1-4** Step right to side with sway, close left with sway, step right to side with sway, touch left beside right
- 5-8** Step left to side with sway, close right with sway, step left to side with sway, touch right beside left

SECTION 7: SIDE, DIP, RECOVER, DIP, REPLACE, DIP, RECOVER, DIP

- 1-4** Step right to side, dip left knee and shoulder toward right bending slightly, replace left raising slightly, dip left knee and shoulder toward right bending slightly
- 5-8** Recover left straightening, dip right knee and shoulder toward left bending slightly, replace right raising slightly, dip right knee and shoulder toward left bending slightly

SECTION 8: BACK, TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH

- 1-4** Step right back opening right, touch left beside right, step left back opening left, touch right beside left
- 5-8** Step right back opening right, touch left beside right, step left back opening left, touch right beside left

Tag goes here during 2nd rotation with dance resuming with SECTION 9

SECTION 9: TRIPLE FORWARD, STEP (TURN ½), REPLACE, TRIPLE FORWARD, WALK RL

- 1&2** Step right forward, step left beside right (3rd position), step right forward
- 3-4** Step left forward then turn ½ right, replace right
- 5&6** Step left forward, step right beside left (3rd position), step left forward
- 7-8** Step forward right, left

SECTION 10: TRIPLE FORWARD, STEP (TURN ½), REPLACE, TRIPLE FORWARD, STEP, POINT

- 1&2** Step right forward, step left beside right (3rd position), step right forward
- 3-4** Step left forward then turn ½ right, replace right

5&6 Step left forward, step right beside left (3rd position), step left forward

7-8 Step right forward, point left to side

REPEAT

TAG Follows SECTION 8 during 2nd rotation, after which, dance continues with SECTION 9

SECTION 1: TRIPLE RIGHT, ROCK BACK, RECOVER, TRIPLE LEFT QUARTER, ROCK BACK, RECOVER

1&2 Step right to side, step left beside right, step right to side

3-4 Rock left back, recover right

5&6 Step left to side, step right beside left then turn $\frac{1}{4}$ right, step left back

7-8 Rock right back, recover left

SECTION 2: Repeat SECTION 1

SECTION 3: Repeat SECTION 1

SECTION 4: Repeat SECTION 1

ENDING During 3rd rotation after SECTION 10 count 6 continue to walk in time off floor

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