

# Mandolins In The Moonlight (



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**Count:** 32      **Wall:** 4      **Level:** Beginner

**Choreographer:** Karla & Paul Dornstedt (Apr 09)

**Music:** Mandolins In The Moonlight by Helmut Lotti

☐☐☐    **Lead in 16**

**counts after the choir sings introduction 16**☐☐☐☐

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**Side, Together, Side Shuffle, Cross**

**Rock, Recover, Cross Rock, Recover** ☐ , ☐ , ☐☐☐ , ☐☐☐☐ , ☐☐ , ☐☐☐☐ , ☐☐

**1-2**

**Step right side right, step left next to right**

☐☐☐☐ , ☐☐☐☐

**3&4**

**Step right side right,**

**step left next to right, step right side right** ☐☐☐☐ , ☐☐☐☐ , ☐☐☐☐

**5-6**

**Cross rock left over**

**right, recover weight back on right**

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**7-8**

**Cross rock left over right, recover weight back on right**

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**Side, Together, Side Shuffle, Cross**

**Rock, Reco Ver, Cross Rock, Recover** □ , □ , □□ , □□□ , □□ , □□□□ , □□

**1-2**

**Step left side left, step right next to left**

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**3&4**

**Step left side left, step right next to left, step left side left**

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**Cross rock right over**

**left, recover weight back on left**

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**1/4 Right Forward, Forward, Coaster**

**Step, Back, Back, Coaster Step** □ 1/4□□ , □□ , □□□ , □ , □ , □□

**1-2**

**Turn 1/4 right and step forward on right, step forward on left**

□□ 90□□□□□□ , □□□□

**3&4**

**Step forward on right, step left next to right, step back on right**

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**5-6**

**Step back on left, step back on right**

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**7&8**

**Step back on left, step right next to left, step forward on left**

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**Alternate steps for 17-24** □□□

**1-2**

**Turn 1/4 right and step forward on right, step forward on left**

□□ 90□□□□□□ , □□□□

**3&4**

**Step forward on right,**

**turn 1/2 left and step on left, step forward on right** □□□□ , □□ 180□□□□ , □□□□

**5-6**

**Step forward on left, step forward on right**

□□□□ , □□□□

**7&8**

**Step forward on left, turn 1/2 right and step on right, step forward on**

**left** □□□□ , □□ 180□□□□ , □□□□

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**Skate, Hold, Skate, Hold, Jazz Box**

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**1-2**

**Skate forward on right, hold □□□□ , □**

**3-4**

**Skate forward on left,**

**hold □□□□ , □**

**5-6**

**Cross right over left,**

**step back on left**

□□□□□□□□ , □□□□

**7-8**

**Step right side right, step left next to right**

□□□□ , □□□□

**TAG This one is easy folks, really! Even for beginners. REPEAT the last**

**8 counts AFTER the chorus and instrumental.**

**After the second rotation (6:00), after the fourth rotation**

**(12:00),**

**After the fifth rotation, instrumental (3:00), after the seventh**

**rotation (9:00)**

□□□□ (□□ 6□□ ) , □□□□ (□□ 12□□ ) , □□□□ (□□ 3□□ )

□□□□ (□□ 9□□ )□ , □□□□□□ 8□

**ENDING:**The music really slows down **DURING** the **FIRST 8** counts of the final (8th) rotation. Dance the first 8 counts to the beat of the music, very slow, count 5 hits on the word **MOONlight**, continue to the slow beat through count 8, hold for two slow counts then continue the next two 8 counts at normal speed.

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**The dance will end with the two skate / holds forward, facing the 12**

**o'clock wall.** □□□□□□□□ , □ , □□□□□□ **12**□□□□