

Like A Rose

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Count: 48 **Wall:** 2 **Level:** Intermediate

Choreographer: Tom & Wendy Monaghan (NZ)

Music: "Like A Rose" by Westlife

Intro: Dance starts on vocals.

[1 - 8] ACROSS, SIDE, 1/4 TURN, FULL-TURN, FWD, 1/2 PIVOT, STEP, FULL-TURN

- 1&2** Step R across L, & step L to side, turn $\frac{1}{4}$ right stepping R fwd,
3&4 Turn right full-turn triple fwd stepping L. R. L,
5&6 Step R fwd, & pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left, step R fwd,
7&8 Turn right full-turn triple fwd stepping L. R. L. ** (Tag & restart here on wall 5) (9)

[9 - 16] SIDE, ROCK, ACROSS, 1/4 TURN-SHUFFLE, 1/4 TURN-SAILOR, FULL-TURN

- 1&2** Step R to side, & rock onto L, step R across L,
3&4 Turn $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right & shuffle back L. R. L,
5&6 Step R behind L, & turn $\frac{1}{4}$ right step L to side, step R to side, (3)
7&8 Turn right full-turn triple fwd stepping L. R. L

[17-24] FWD, BACK, BACK, 1/2 TURN-SHUFFLE X 2, 1/4 TURN, FWD, 1/2 PIVOT

- 1&2** Step R fwd, & rock back onto L, step R back,
3&4 Turn $\frac{1}{2}$ left & shuffle fwd L. R. L,
5&6 Turn $\frac{1}{2}$ left & shuffle back R. L. R,
7&8 Turn $\frac{1}{4}$ left stepping L to side, & step R fwd, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left. (6)

[25-32] ACROSS, 1/2 TURN, SIDE, HIP SWAYS X 3, ACROSS, 1/4 TURN, BACK, COASTER

- 1&2** Step R across L, & turn $\frac{1}{4}$ right stepping L back, turn $\frac{1}{4}$ right step R to side, (12)
3&4 Sway L, & sway R, sway L,
5&6 Step R across L, & turn $\frac{1}{4}$ right stepping L back, step R back, (3)
7&8 Step L back, & step R beside L, step L fwd.

[33-40] SIDE, ROCK, FWD, FWD, 1/4 PIVOT, STEP, FWD, BACK, BACK, BACK, FWD, FWD

- 1&2** Step R to side, & recover on L, step R fwd, 3&4 Step L fwd, & pivot $\frac{1}{4}$ turn right, step L fwd,
(Restart here on wall 2) (6)

5&6 Step R fwd, & step back on L, step R back,

7&8 Step L back, & step fwd on R, step L fwd.

[41-48] COASTER-STEP, 1/4, 1/2, 1/2, CROSS, SIDE-ROCK, CROSS, 1/4 TURN, 1/2 TURN

1&2 Step R fwd, & step L beside R, step R back,

3&4 Turn $\frac{1}{4}$ left stepping L fwd, & turn $\frac{1}{2}$ left stepping R back, turn $\frac{1}{2}$ left stepping L fwd, (3)

5&6 Step R across L, & step L to side, step R to side,

7&8 Step L across R, & turn $\frac{1}{4}$ left stepping R back, turn $\frac{1}{2}$ left stepping L fwd. (6)

Repeat dance in new direction.

Restart on wall 2: Dance to count 36 (1/4 pivot, step) then restart facing the front wall.

****Tag & restart on wall 5: Dance to count 8 (Full Turn) then add the following:**

1 2 Step R fwd, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left, (weight fwd)

3 4 Step R fwd, pivot $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left, (weight on L)

Restart facing front wall.

Dance ends on wall 7 to finish facing the front wall: dance to count 16, cross R over L unwind $\frac{3}{4}$ turn left.