

Ku-U-I-Po (Hawaiian Sweetheart)

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Count: 32

Wall: 4

Level: Absolute Beginner

Choreographer: Kim Nolan (Aug 2014)

Music: "Ku-U-I-Po" by Elvis Presley [96 bpm - 2m 21secs]

Intro: 16ct. Start dance on the word "I" (I love you...) of lyrics

Right Side - Together - Side - Touch - Left Side - Together - Side - Touch

(styling: use Hawaiian Hula Hula arm movement e.g. gently push hands in a subtle wave motion in direction of movement to right for cts 1-4, then to left on cts 5-8)

1-4 Step R to right, Step L together, Step R to side again, Touch L next to right

5-8 Step L to left, Step R together, Step L to side, Touch R next to left

(zig-zag/stroll) Right Diag. Back, - Touch, - Left Diag. Back, - Touch, - Side Rock right, - Turn ¼ left & Side Rock right (sway hips as you do the rocks)

1-2 Step R back on right diagonal, Touch L next to right

3-4 Step L back on left diagonal, Touch R next to left

5-6(swaying hips as you rock) Rock R to right (weight on right), recover (weight to left)

7-8quick ¼ turn left (9:00) and repeat cts 5 and 6

Cross Rock - Together - Hold - Cross Rock - Together - Hold

1-4 Cross Rock R over left, Recover (weight to left), Step R back in place, Hold

5-8 Cross Rock L over right, Recover (weight to right), Step L back in place, Hold

Weave - Hold - Side Rock - Cross (& cross arms) - Hold

1-4 Cross R over left, Step L to left, Cross R behind left, Hold

5-8 Rock L to side with weight, recover weight to right, Cross L over right, (cross arms over chest also for the love effect, Hold

Start again

Ending: last line of song slows so just dance slow also and on last step (cross), don't be shy, give yourself a bigger hug as you cross your arms xxx

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