

# BACK TO THE ISLAND

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**Count:** 64

**Wall:** 2

**Level:** intermediate social cha

**Choreographer:** Charlotte Skeeters

**Music:** Back To The Island by Jimmy Buffett

## **CROSS, ¼, SHUFFLE ½, FORWARD, RECOVER, BACK, CROSS, BACK**

- 1-2 Right cross over left, execute ¼ turn right as you step back onto left
- 3&4 Continue turning as you shuffle into ½ turn right stepping right, left, right
- 5-6 Left rock forward, recover back onto right
- 7&8 Left step back, right cross over left, left step back

## **BACK, FORWARD, SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, CROSS, RECOVER, SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE**

- 1-2 Right rock back, left rock forward
- 3&4 Right step side right, left step next to right, right step side right
- 5-6 Left cross over right, recover back onto right
- 7&8 Left step side left, right step next to left, left step side left

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- 3&4 Continue turning as you shuffle into ½ turn right stepping right, left, right
- 5-6 Left rock forward, recover back onto right
- 7&8 Left step back, right cross over left, left step back

## **BACK, FORWARD, SIDE, TOGETHER, ¼, FORWARD, ½ PIVOT, ¼, HOLD**

- 1-2 Right rock back, left rock forward
- 3&4 Right step side right, left step next to right, right step side right into ¼ turn right
- 5-6 Left step forward, pivot ½ turn right (weight ends on right)
- 7-8 Continue turning right into ¼ turn as you step a long step back on left, hold

## **SWAYS: BACK, RECOVER, ¼, RECOVER, BACK, RECOVER, FORWARD, HOLD**

**Next 1-6 should be executed with swaying motion**

- 1-2 Right step back (raise left heel) and sway your body back: recover onto left

- 3-4 Turn ¼ left as you step side right and sway body to right, recover onto left
- 5-6 Right step back (raise left heel) and sway body back, recover onto left
- 7-8 Right step forward, hold

### **BACK, SHUFFLE ½, FORWARD, BACK, BACK, CROSS, BACK, SWEEP**

- 1-2&3 Left step back, shuffle into ½ turn right stepping right, left, right
- 4-5 Left rock forward, right rock back
- 6&7 Left step back, right cross over left, left step back
- 8 Sweep right foot around to the right ending behind left (weight is still left)

### **BEHIND, SIDE, CROSS, HOLD OR TAP, RECOVER, SIDE, TOGETHER, SIDE, BRUSH-UP**

- 1-4 Right step behind left, left step side left, right cross over left, hold or tap left behind right
- 5-6&7 Left step behind right, right step side right, left step next to right, right step \*long\* side right
- 8 Left brush-up behind right (you can almost start a ¼ turn left which comes up next)

### **¼, CROSS, SIDE, SIDE, CROSS, SIDE, HOLD, SAILOR**

- 1-2 Turn ¼ turn left as you step forward on left, right cross over left
- 3&4 Left step side left, right step side right, left cross over right
- 5-6 Right step \*long\* side right, hold
- 7&8 Left cross behind right, right step side right, left step side left (sailor)

### **REPEAT**

### **TAG**

**At the end of second repetition do these 16 counts one time only. You will be facing front wall**

- 1-4 Right cross over left, recover back to left, right step side right, recover to left
- 5-67&8 Right cross over left, recover back to left, shuffle into ½ turn right stepping right, left, right
- 1-4 Left cross over right, recover back to right, left step side left, recover to right
- 5-67&8 Left cross over right, recover back to right, shuffle into ½ turn left stepping left, right, left

**Start dance again from the beginning**