

# LIKE I NEVER LOVED BEFORE

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**Count:** 64

**Wall:** 3

**Level:** Phrased Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Annette Skaff (Mar 08)

**Music:** Never Loved Before by Alan Jackson & Martina McBride (CD: Good Time)

**SEQUENCE: A, A, B, A, A, B, A (to 32& counts) tag (then continue dancing from count 33-64), A (to end at front wall on count 50)**

**Thanks for your input Barb!**

**PART A ("A" sequences start either at the 12o'clock or 3 o'clock walls)**

**WALK RIGHT, LEFT, STEP BACK RIGHT, DRAG LEFT BACK TO MEET RIGHT, WALK RIGHT, LEFT, SYNCOPATED ROCK RECOVER ½ TURN RIGHT**

- 1,2 Walk forward right, walk forward left
- 3,4 Step back right, drag left beside right stepping onto left
- 5,6 Walk forward right, walk forward left
- 7&8 Rock forward right, recover left, make ½ turn right and step forward right

**CROSS ROCK LEFT OVER RIGHT, RECOVER RIGHT, POINT LEFT TOE TO LEFT SIDE, TWO RIGHT HIP BUMPS, CROSS ROCK LEFT OVER RIGHT, RECOVER RIGHT, MAKE ¼ TURN LEFT, PIVOT TURN STEP**

- 9&10 Cross rock left over right, recover right, point left toe to the left side (weight is on RF)
- 11,12 Bump right hip to right, bump right hip to right
- 13&14 Cross rock left over right, recover right, make ¼ turn left stepping on the left
- 15&16 Step forward right, make ½ turn left stepping on the left, step forward right

**WALK LEFT, RIGHT, STEP BACK LEFT, DRAG RIGHT BACK TO MEET LEFT, WALK LEFT, RIGHT, SYNCOPATED ROCK RECOVER ½ TURN LEFT**

- 17,18 Walk forward left, walk forward right
- 19,20 Step back left, drag right beside left stepping onto right
- 21,22 Walk forward left, walk forward right
- 23&24 Rock forward left, recover right, make ½ turn left and step forward left

## **RIGHT MAMBO FORWARD, LEFT MAMBO BACK, HEEL SWITCHES R&L&R&L& WHILE MOVING BACKWARDS**

- 25&26** Rock forward right, recover left, step right beside left
- 27&28** Rock back left, recover right, step left beside right
- 29&30&** Touch right heel forward, step on right, touch left heel forward, step on left
- 31&32&** Touch right heel forward, step on right, touch left heel forward, step on left (move backwards as you do the heel switches)

## **RIGHT LOCK, RIGHT LOCK STEP, $\frac{3}{4}$ PIVOT RIGHT, SIDE SHUFFLE LEFT**

- 33,34** Step forward right, lock left behind right
- 35&36** Step forward right, lock left behind right, step forward right
- 37,38** Step forward left, make a  $\frac{3}{4}$  pivot turn right on ball of right foot
- 39&40** Step side left, step together with the right, step side left

## **CROSS RIGHT OVER LEFT, STEP SIDE LEFT, RIGHT SAILOR SHUFFLE, LEFT SAILOR SHUFFLE MAKING $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN LEFT, RIGHT KICK BALL STEP**

- 41,42** Cross right over left, step side left
- 43&44** Step right behind left, step side left, step right beside left
- 45&46** Step left behind right, make  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left and step side right, step left beside right
- 47&48** Kick the right forward, step right beside left, step forward left

## **SYNCOPATED SCISSOR RIGHT, SYNCOPATED SCISSOR LEFT WITH $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN RIGHT, STEP FORWARD, HOLD, LEFT SHUFFLE FORWARD**

- 49&50** Step side right, step together left, cross right over left
- 51&52** Step side left, step together right, make  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn right stepping forward left
- 53,54** Step forward right, hold
- 55&56** Shuffle forward left, right, left

## **RIGHT ROCK, RECOVER, $\frac{1}{2}$ TURNING SHUFFLE RIGHT, CROSS LEFT OVER RIGHT, $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN LEFT STEPPING BACK ON RIGHT, LEFT COASTER BACK**

- 57,58** Rock forward right, recover left
- 59&60** Shuffle right, left, right making  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right
- 61,62** Cross left over right, make  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left stepping back right

**63&64** Step back left, step right beside left, step forward left

**PART B (Both "B" sequences start at the 6 o'clock wall)**

**RIGHT TOE HEEL STRUT, LEFT TOE HEEL STRUT, RIGHT AND LEFT VAUDEVILLE**

**1-4** Step forward on the right toe, step down on the right foot, step forward on the left toe, step down on the left foot

**5&6&7&8&** Cross right over left, step back on left, touch right heel forward, step right beside left, cross left over right, step back on right, touch left heel forward, step left beside right

**RIGHT TOE HEEL STRUT, LEFT TOE HEEL STRUT, RIGHT ROCK RECOVER, RIGHT COASTER BACK**

**9-12** Step forward on the right toe, step down on the right foot, step forward on the left toe, step down on the left foot

**13,14** Rock forward right, recover left

**15&16** Step back on the right, step together with the left, step forward right

**LEFT ROCK RECOVER, LEFT COASTER BACK, TWO PADDLE TURNS LEFT**

**17,18** Rock forward left, recover right

**19&20** Step back on the left, step together with the right, step forward left

**21-24** Touch right forward, make  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left, Touch right forward, make  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left (use your hips in the turns)

**TAG (4 counts)**

**RIGHT TOE HEEL STRUT, LEFT TOE HEEL STRUT**

**1-4** Step forward on the right toe, step down on the right foot, step forward on the left toe, step down on the left foot