

# DON'T GIVE UP

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**Count:** 32

**Wall:** 2

**Level:** intermediate

**Choreographer:** Barry Amato

**Music:** Don't Give Up by Michael W. Smith

## WALK, WALK, BALL CHANGE, CROSS-STEP, SWEEP, CROSS-STEP, $\frac{3}{4}$ TURN

1-2 Walk forward right - left

&3 Step to the right side on ball of right foot, change weight to left foot in place

4 Cross right foot over left weighting right foot

5-6 Sweep left foot from behind right foot, cross left foot over right weighting left foot

**7-8 $\frac{1}{4}$  turn to the left (facing 9:00) stepping back on the right foot,  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn left (facing 3:00) stepping forward on left foot**

## STEP PIVOT, BALL CHANGE, CROSS-STEP, BALL CHANGE CROSS-STEP, ROCK STEP

1-2 Step forward on the right foot, pivot  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn left with left foot taking weight

&3 Step to the right side on ball of right foot, change weight to left foot

4 Cross right foot over left weighting right foot

&5 Step to the left side on ball of left foot, change weight to right foot in place

6 Cross left foot over right weighting left foot

7-8 Bring right foot around and rock forward on right foot, recover in place on left foot

## 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN, SHUFFLE, $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN SHUFFLE, $\frac{1}{4}$ TURN SHUFFLE

**1-2 $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right pivoting on ball of left (facing 3:00) and step forward on right foot, continue to do another  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right pivoting on ball of right (facing 9:00) and step together with left foot**

3&4 Open  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn right to face original position as you step to the shuffle to the right stepping right-left-right

5&6 Open  $\frac{1}{4}$  left, pivoting on ball of right foot and shuffle to the left stepping left-right-left, (9:00)

7&8 Open one more  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left (facing 6:00) and shuffle to the right stepping right-left-right

**CROSS-ROCK STEP, STEP RECOVER, STEP SIDE, CROSS-ROCK STEP, STEP RECOVER,  
STEP SIDE, FORWARD MAMBO**

- 1-2** Cross the left foot over the right weight left foot, recover in place on the right foot
- 3-4** Step to the left on the left foot, cross the right foot over the left weighting right foot
- 5-6** Recover in place on the left foot, step to the right on the right foot
- 7&8** Forward mambo stepping forward on the left foot, recover in place on the right foot, step together with left foot with left taking weight

**REPEAT**

**TAG**

**After wall 8 (you will be facing front), step out on the right foot with feet shoulder width apart and throw hands out and down to your side on count 1, Hold 2-3-4, You will hear the break in the music and then start dance pattern again**