

# Bird Upon The Wind

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**Count:** 34

**Wall:** 4

**Level:** Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Phil Johnson – Bridlington, England. Jan 08

**Music:** "The River – Garth Brooks; CD "The Ultimate Hits"

**Intro: 40 counts (80bbm).**

**CCW Direction**

**Step right,  $\frac{1}{4}$  left, cross right over left,  $\frac{1}{4}$  left crossing left over right x 2; step right, step left back, rock back right recover, half turn left**

**1** Long step right to right side;

**2&3  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left stepping left to left side, cross step right over left,  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left cross stepping left over right;**

**4&5** Long step right to right side,  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left stepping left to left side, cross step right over left;

**6&7  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn left cross stepping left over right, step right to right side, step back on left;**

**8&9** Rock back on right, recover weight forward on left (starting to  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn left),  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn left stepping back on right.

**Behind side cross, rock right and cross, left shuffle  $\frac{3}{4}$  turn right, rock right forward recover  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right**

**10&11** Ronde left from front to cross step behind right, step right to right side, cross step left in front of right.

**12&13** Rock right to right side, recover weight on left, cross step right in front of left;

**14&15  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn right stepping back on left,  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right stepping right forward, step forward on left;**

**16&17** Rock forward on right, recover weight back on left (starting to  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right),  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn right stepping forward on right

**Left rocking chair, Jazz Box  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn right, Cross rock left over right, recover, long step to left, rock back on right, recover, long step to right**

**18&19** Rock forward on left, recover weight back on right, step back on left;

**20&21** Cross step right over left,  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn right stepping back on left, step right to right side;

**(You will be moving slightly backwards during steps 20&21)**

**22&23** Cross rock left over right, recover weight back on right, left long step to left;

**24&25** Rock back on right behind left, recover weight forward on left, long step right to right side.

**Rock left back, recover, ¼ turn right, rock right back and forward, Step left forward pivot ½ turn right step left forward, cross rock right recover**

**26&27** Rock back on left behind right, recover weight forward on right, ¼ turn right stepping back on left;

**28&29** Rock back on right, recover weight forward on left, step forward on right;

**30&31** Step forward on left, pivot ½ turn right, step forward on left;

**32&** Cross rock right over left, recover weight back on left

**33-34** Stepping right to right side sway right left (dance ends with weight on left)

**Begin again.**

**TAG - end of wall two (facing 6 O'clock)**

**Sway right, Rock back and step left, cross rock recover**

### **1. Sway right**

**2&3** Rock back on left behind right, recover weight forward on right, step left to left side;

**4&** Cross rock right over left, recover weight back on left start again with long step to right

**RESTART on wall five (starting on home wall)**

**After count 14&15 (triple shuffle turn left) you will be facing three O'clock. Dance steps 32-34 - Cross rock recover, sway right left - then start again with long step to right**

**TAGLESS**

**After the restart you will dance a wall to end face the home wall and there are then two walls and 11 counts left.**

**At the end of the next two walls miss out the last two steps (facing 9 and 6 O'clock - 33-34 sways right and left)**

**Last wall will start at 6 o'clock. Dance to counts 8&9 to face home wall, then end on counts 10&11 (behind side cross) as music fades**

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