

# Brighten My Day

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**Count:** 64

**Wall:** 4

**Level:** Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Joe Parilla (March 2013)

**Music:** A Brighter Day by Helena Paparizou. CD: (My Number One) 130 bpm

**(Start dance on lyrics) - (NO TAGS OR RESTARTS)**

**CROSS ROCK, SIDE ROCK, SAILOR SHUFFLE WITH LEFT ¼ TURN.**

- 1-2 Cross rock LEFT over right, recover on RIGHT.
- 3-4 Side rock on LEFT, recover on RIGHT.
- 5&6 Sailor shuffle on LEFT, RIGHT, LEFT.
- 7-8 Step RIGHT forward, ¼ turn left and step on LEFT. (9:00)

**CROSS ROCK, SIDE ROCK, SAILOR SHUFFLE WITH RIGHT ¼ TURN.**

- 1-2 Cross rock RIGHT over left, recover on LEFT.
- 3-4 Side rock on RIGHT, recover on LEFT.
- 5&6 Sailor shuffle on RIGHT, LEFT, RIGHT.
- 7-8 Step LEFT forward, ¼ turn right and step on RIGHT. (12:00)

**WEAVE TO RIGHT WITH ¼ TURN RIGHT, ½ TURN RIGHT PIVOT, FORWARD SHUFFLE.**

- 1-4 Cross LEFT over right, step RIGHT beside left, step LEFT behind right, ¼ turn right and step RIGHT forward. (3:00)
- 5-6 Step LEFT forward, ½ pivot to right and step on RIGHT. (9:00)
- 7&8 Shuffle forward LEFT, RIGHT, LEFT.

**RIGHT KICK BALL CROSS 2X, ½ LEFT HINGE TURN, CROSS-OVER SHUFFLE.**

- 1&2 At right diagonal RIGHT kick, RIGHT step, cross LEFT over right.
- 3&4 At right diagonal RIGHT kick, RIGHT step, cross LEFT over right.
- 5-6 Step RIGHT to side, ½ hinge turn to left and step on LEFT. (3:00)
- 7&8 Crossing shuffle to left - RIGHT, LEFT, RIGHT.

**RONDE-STEP FORWARD, BACK-WEAVE INTO A ¼ TURN RIGHT SAILOR SHUFFLE.**

- 1-2 Arc LEFT foot forward, cross LEFT slightly over and in front of right.
- 3-4 Step RIGHT back diagonally, step LEFT back diagonally.

- 5-6** Cross RIGHT back over left, step back on LEFT.
- 7&8** Swing RIGHT behind left while making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn to right, step LEFT beside right, step RIGHT beside left. (6:00)

**STEP FORWARD, HOLD, TWIST  $\frac{1}{4}$  RIGHT, TWIST  $\frac{1}{2}$  LEFT, FORWARD SKATE.**

- 1-2** Step LEFT forward while leaning slightly forward, HOLD.
- 3-4** Twist BOTH feet  $\frac{1}{4}$  right and  $\frac{1}{2}$  to left (end with weight on LEFT). (3:00)
- 5-8** Skate forward RIGHT, LEFT, RIGHT, LEFT.

**FORWARD ROCK, RECOVER  $\frac{1}{2}$  TURN RIGHT TRIPLE,  $\frac{1}{2}$  TURN RIGHT,  $\frac{1}{2}$  TURN RIGHT, STEP PIVOT  $\frac{1}{2}$  TURN RIGHT.**

- 1-2** Rock RIGHT forward, recover on LEFT.
- 3&4** Right  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn shuffle RIGHT, LEFT, RIGHT. (9:00)
- 5-6** Right  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn and step LEFT back, right  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn and step RIGHT forward.
- 7-8** Step LEFT forward, right  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn pivot and step RIGHT forward. (3:00)

**WEAVE TO RIGHT & POINT, WEAVE TO LEFT & POINT.**

- 1-4** Weave to right - Step LEFT over right, step RIGHT to side, step LEFT behind right, point RIGHT to side.
- 5-8** Weave to left - Step RIGHT over left, step LEFT to side, step RIGHT behind left, point LEFT to side.

**REPEAT**

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