

# California Dreamin

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**Count:** 64      **Wall:** 4      **Level:** Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Rona Kaye (May 2016)

**Music:** "California Dreamin" by Freischwimmer (iTunes, amazon)

**Dance starts after 32 counts, on the vocals.**

**Step, Touch x 2, Weave:**

- 1-2-3-4** Step R Up To Right Diagonal (1), Touch L To R (2), Step L Back Diagonal (Home) (3), Lift R Knee Into L (L Shoulder Comes Across Toward Right For Style) (4)
- 5-6-7-8** Step R To Right Side (5), Step L Behind R (6), Step R To Right Side (7) Step L Across R (8)  
12:00

**Rock, Recover Cross, Slow  $\frac{3}{4}$  Turn To L,  $\frac{1}{2}$  Turn To R, "Flick" L:**

- 1-2** Rock R To Right Side (1), Recover Weight To L (2), 12:00
- 3-4-5** Step R Across L (3), Begin  $\frac{3}{4}$  Turn To Left By Turning Your Body To Left (4) Complete Turn Weight On L (Look To 3:00) (5) Hold (6) 3:00
- 7-8** Turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  To The Right Stepping on R (7), "Flick" L Foot Behind (8) 9:00

**Slow Walks Forward L, R, Side Rock L, Sailor Left Turning  $\frac{1}{2}$  Turn To Left:**

- 1-2-3-4** Walk Forward L (1), Hold (2), Walk Forward R (3), Hold (4) 9:00
- 5-6-7-8** Rock L To Side Left (5), Recover Weight To Right (6), Start Sailor By Stepping L Behind R Start To Turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  To L (7) Step R In Place (8)

**Slow Walks L (Completing Sailor), R, Step L, R, Pivot Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  To Left, Cross:**

- 1-2** Complete Sailor  $\frac{1}{2}$  Turn By Stepping Forward On To L (1), Hold (2) 3:00
- 3-4-5-6** Walk Forward R (3), Hold (4), Step Forward L (5), Step Forward R (6), 3:00
- 7-8** Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  To Left Transfer Weight To L (7), Step R Across L (8) 12:00

**$\frac{1}{2}$  Turn R, Lunge, Cross Behind, Rock Recover Cross:**

- 1-2-3-4** Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  Right As You Step Back L Hitching R Leg Up (1) Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  Right (2) 6:00 Step Down On R, Lunging Out To Right Side (3), Hold (4)
- 5-6-7-8** Recover Weight To L and Step R Behind L (5), Rock L Side Left (6), Recover To R (7), Step L Across R (8) 6:00

**(Note The Body Is Torqued—L Shoulder Forward--To Prepare For ¼ Turn To Left)**

**¼ Turn Left With Step Sweeps, Forward Rock:**

**1-2-3-4** Turn ¼ Left As You Sweep R Forward (1), Continue Sweep (2) Step R Forward (3), Sweep L Forward (4) 3:00

**5-6-7-8** Step On L (5), Sweep R Forward (6), Rock Forward On R (7), Recover L (8) 3:00

**1¼ Turns To Right With Step Out R And Tap L, 1 ¼ Turns To Left, Step Forward:**

**1-2-3-4** Turn ½ To Right Stepping Forward On R (1), Turn ½ To Right Stepping R Into L (2), Turn ¼ To Right Step Out To Right (3), Tap L Toe To Left Side (4) 6:00

**5-6-7-8** Turn ¼ To Left Recovering Weight On L (5), Turn ½ To Left Stepping Back On R (6), Turn ½ To Left Stepping Forward On L (7), Step Forward On R (8) 3:00

**Pivot ½ Turn To Left, Side Rock With Crosses Moving Forward:**

**1-2-3-4** Turn ½ To Left Transferring Weight To L (1), Step R To R Side (2) 9:00 Recover Weight Onto L (3), Step R Across L (4)

**5-6-7-8** Step L To L Side (5), Recover Weight To R (6), Step L Across R (7), Hold (8) 9:00

**End of dance....repeat to new wall. The combination is danced 6 times. The last time you start the dance is to your 9:00 wall. To end the dance facing front wall....on the last 8 count of the dance you'll be facing 6:00 and will need to turn a ½ to Right to face front wall...so, on count 5, turn ¼ to Right lifting R knee, on count 6, turn ¼ to Right lunging to side Right on count 7 and hold. This dance is dedicated with love and gratitude to my Jazz Dance Maestro, Luigi Faccuito. "Never Stop Moving".**