

# Masquerade

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**Count:** 64      **Wall:** 2      **Level:** Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Anthony Nieto , Marquet Aurélien (2012)

**Music:** Masquerade by Eric Saade

## **Intro: 32 count**

### **Kick Step Point, Repeat, Jazz-Box Turn 1/4 Right**

- 1&2      Kick right forward, step right together, touch left side
- 3&4      Kick left forward, step left together, touch right side
- 5-6      Cross right over, step left back
- 7-8      Turn 1/4 right and step right forward (3:00), step left forward

### **Turn 1/2 Left, Right Shuffle Forward, Full Turn Right, Left Slide Forward, Drag, Touch**

- 1-2      Step right forward, turn 1/2 left (weight to left) (9:00)
- 3&4      Chassé forward right-left-right
- 5-6      Turn 1/2 right and step left back, turn 1/2 left and step right forward
- 7-8      Big step left forward, drag/touch right together

### **Syncopated Rock Steps Left Shuffle Back, Touch Back Turn 1/4 Right**

- 1-2      Rock right forward, recover to left
- &3-4      Step right together, rock left forward, recover to right
- 5&6      Chassé back left-right-left
- 7-8      Touch right back, turn 1/4 right (weight to right) (12:00)

### **Switch Steps Back Touch Turn 1/2 Left, Sailor Step 1/4 Turn Left**

- 1&2&      Touch left side, step left together, touch right side, step right together
- 3&4&      Touch left heel forward, step left together, touch right heel forward, step right together
- 5-6      Touch left back, turn 1/2 left (weight to left) (6:00)
- 7&8      Step left back, turn 1/4 left (weight to right) (3:00), step left side

### **Right Stomp, Hold, Behind Side Cross, Repeat**

- 1-2      Stomp right side, hold

- 3&4 Behind-side-cross left-right-left  
5-6 Stomp right side, hold  
7&8 Behind-side-cross left-right-left

### **Right Side Rock, Cross Shuffle Right, Left Vine Syncopated**

- 1-2 Rock right side, recover to left  
3&4 Crossing chassé right-left-right  
5-6 Step left side, cross right behind  
&7-8 Step left side, cross right over, step left side

### **Rock Back, Right Kick Ball Cross Twice, Right Slide 1/4 Turn**

- 1-2 Rock right back, recover to left  
3&4 Right kick ball cross  
5&6 Right kick ball cross  
7-8 Big step right side, turn 1/4 right and slide/touch left together (6:00)

### **Restart: on Walls 2 and 4**

### **Point Right, Hold Point Left, Hold, Heel Switches, Clap**

- 1-2& Touch right side, hold, step right together  
3-4& Touch left side, hold, step left together  
5&6& Touch right heel forward, step right together, touch left heel forward, step left together  
7-8 Touch right heel forward, clap

### **Repeat**

**Tag & Restart: On Wall 6, after count 40, rock step turn 1/4 left (6:00), step turn 1/2 turn to the left (12:00), jazz box and restart the dance at count 1.**

**(musical landmark: the singer repeats the word "masquerade" several times and the music is a little softer)**

**Restart: On 2nd and 4th Wall, omit the last 8 counts of the dance**

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