

TELL ME WHY!

Count: 48

Wall: 4

Level: beginner/intermediate west coast swing

Choreographer: Niels B. Poulsen

Music: *Why Haven't I Heard From You?* by Reba McEntire

This dance is dedicated to my friend Dot on her Italian birthday

WALK FORWARD RIGHT, WALK FORWARD LEFT WITH ¼ TURN RIGHT, RIGHT SAILOR, CROSS, POINT, CROSS, POINT

- 1-2 Walk forward on right, walk forward on left turning ¼ right
3&4 Cross right behind left, step left to left side, step right to right side
5-6 Cross left over right, point right to right side
7-8 Cross right over left, point left to left side (facing 3:00)

LEFT SAILOR, RIGHT SAILOR, CROSS LEFT BEHIND RIGHT, UNWIND ½ TURN LEFT, WALK FORWARD RIGHT LEFT

- 1&2 Cross left behind right, step right to right side, step left to left side
3&4 Cross right behind left, step left to left side, step right to right side
5-6 Cross left behind right, unwind ½ turn left (weight on left)
7-8 Walk forward on right, walk forward left (facing 9:00) - or do a full left turn forward on right left

RIGHT SIDE POINT, HOLD, & LEFT SIDE POINT, & RIGHT & LEFT & RIGHT SIDE SWITCHES, HOLD

- 1-2& Point right to right side, hold, step right next to left
3-4& Point left to left side, hold, step left next to right
5&6& Point right to right side, step right next to left, point left to left side, step left next to right
7-8 Point right to right side, hold (facing 9:00)

ROCK FORWARD RIGHT, ½ SHUFFLE TURN RIGHT, ROCK FORWARD LEFT, ½ SHUFFLE TURN LEFT

- 1-2 Rock forward on right, recover back to left
3&4 Turn ¼ right stepping right to right side, step left next to right, turn ¼ right stepping forward on right
5-6 Rock forward on left, recover back to right
7&8 Turn ¼ left stepping left to left side, step right next to left, turn ¼ left stepping forward on left (facing 9:00)

¼ TURN LEFT, HOLD, ½ TURN LEFT, HOLD, ½ TURN LEFT, HOLD, ¼ SHUFFLE TURN FORWARD

- 1-2 Turn ¼ left on left stepping right to right side, hold with clap (facing 6:00)
3-4 Turn ½ left on right stepping left to left side, hold with clap (facing 12:00)

5-6 Turn ½ left on left stepping right to right side, hold with clap (facing
6:00)
7&8 Turn ¼ left stepping forward on left, step right behind left, step
forward on left (facing 3:00)

**STEP FORWARD RIGHT, SEXY HOLDS, STEP FORWARD LEFT, SEXY
HOLDS..**

1-4 Step forward on right, hold for 3 counts (do a sexy pose, rolling your
hips)
5-8 Step forward on left, hold for 3 counts (do a sexy pose, rolling your
hips)

REPEAT

RESTART

**Restart on 3rd wall after 16 counts, facing 3:00 (after the 16 count instrumental
bit)**

Restart on 6th wall after 32 counts, facing 6:00 (on the lyrics 'tell me why...')