

Walkin' the Dog

Description: 32 – count, 4 wall line dance
Choreographer: Juliet Hauser
Suggested Music: **Walking the Dog, by Rufus Thomas**
Available at i-tunes 2 min 32 sec version
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Difficulty: Adv. Beginner
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Intro: start with lyrics
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1 – 8 WALK, WALK, ANCHOR STEP, WALK BACK, BACK, COASTER STEP

1 – 2 Step R forward; Step L forward
3 & 4 Step R behind left (3rd position); Recover L; Step R behind left (3rd position)
5 – 6 Step L backward; Step R backward
{ or make a full turn left stepping ½ turn left on L to the back (6:00); ½ turn left on R to the back (12:00) }
7 & 8 Step L back; Step R beside left; Step L forward (*for a more west coast feel make this an anchor step*)

9 – 16 WALK, WALK, ANCHOR STEP, WALK BACK, BACK, COASTER STEP

1 – 2 Step R forward; Step L forward
3 & 4 Step R behind left (3rd position); Recover L; Step R behind left (3rd position)
5 – 6 Step L backward; Step R backward
{ or make a full turn left stepping ½ turn left on L to the back (6:00); ½ turn left on R to the back (12:00) }
7 & 8 Step L back; Step R beside left; Step L forward (*for a more west coast feel make this an anchor step*)

17–24 SIDE, TOGETHER, HEEL DROP, CROSS, SIDE, SAILOR STEP, SAILOR STEP

& 1 Step R to right angling body to the left diagonal; Step L beside right;
& 2 Slightly lift both heels, popping knees forward; Drop both heels and snap fingers (keep weight on L)
3 – 4 Step R across front of left; Step L to left
5 & 6 Step R behind left; Step L to right; Step R slightly right
7 & 8 Step L behind right; Step R to left; Step L slightly left

25–32 CROSS STEP, TAP, STEP, ¼ TURN RIGHT, ROCK, RETURN, COASTER STEP

1 – 2 Step R across front of left (bringing right arm up, palm facing forward in a STOP gesture); Tap L behind R heel
3 – 4 Step L in place; ¼ turn right on R (3 O'clock)
5 – 6 Rock forward on L; Return weight R
7 & 8 Step L back; Step R beside left; Step L forward (*for a more west coast feel make this an anchor step*)

Begin Again and Enjoy ☺