

# 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 (3<sup>rd</sup> position); Recover L; Step R behind left (3<sup>rd</sup> 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 (3<sup>rd</sup> position); Recover L; Step R behind left (3<sup>rd</sup> 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 ☺