

# Mambo

Count: 64

Wall: 2

Level: Advanced

Choreographer: Hiroko Carlsson (Grafton, Australia) February 2021

Music: Mambo by Nikki Vianna– Available on iTunes/ Spotify

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(Dance starts on main lyrics “Take my hand”)

## **[S1] Back Rock, Touch-Knee Switch, Paddle 1/8L, Quick Paddle 1/8L-Together**

- 1 2 Rock back on R, Recover weight on L
- 3&4 Touch R next to L, Weight switch onto R/ L knee in, Weight switch onto L/ R knee in
- 5 6 Step forward on R, Make a 1/8 turn left recover weight on L
- 7&8 Step forward on R, Make a 1/8 turn left recover weight on L, Step R together (9:00)

## **[S2] Back Rock, Touch-Knee Switch, Step-Pivot 1/2R, Step-Lock-Step**

- 1 2 Rock back on L, Recover weight on R
- 3&4 Touch L next to R, Weight switch onto L/ R knee in, Weight switch onto R/ L knee in
- 5 6 Step forward on L, Make a ½ turn right recover weight on R (3:00)
- 7&8 Step forward on L, Lock R behind L, Step forward on L

## **[S3] Samba Turn 1/4R, Cross Rock, Side, Cha-Cha Cross Step**

- 1&2 Step forward on R, Make a ¼ turn right stepping L to the side, Recover weight on R in place (6:00)
- 3 4 Rock L across L, Recover weight on R
- 5 6& Step L to the side, Cross R over L, Step L close to R
- 7&8 Cross R over L, Step L close to R, Cross R over L

## **[S4] Side Rock Turn 1/4R, Step-Lock-Step, Full Turn Fwd, Walk-Walk**

- 1 2 Step/rock L to the side, Recover weight on R whilst making a ¼ turn right (9:00)
- 3&4 Step forward on L, Lock R behind L, Step forward on L
- 5 6 Make a ½ turn left stepping back on R, Make a ½ turn left stepping forward on L (9:00)
- 7 8 Walk forward on R-L

## **[S5] Fwd Rock-Back-Rock-Rock, Side Rock-Back-Rock-Rock**

- 1 2 Rock forward on R, Recover weight on L
- 3&4 Step back on R/lifting L heel up while touching toe on the floor, Step L heel down on the floor/lifting R heel up, Step R heel down on the floor/lifting L heel up
- 5 6 Rock L to the side, Recover weight on R
- 7&8 Step back on L/lifting R heel up while touching toe on the floor, Step R heel down on the floor/lifting L heel up, Step L heel down on the floor/lifting R heel up

## **[S6] Side Rock-Back-Rock-Rock, Reverse Lock Turn 3/4R**

- 1 2 Rock R to the side, Recover weight on L
- 3&4 Step back on R/lifting L heel up while touching toe on the floor, Step L heel down on the floor/lifting R heel up, Step R heel down on the floor/lifting L heel up
- 5&6& -On count 5 to 8, making a ¾ reverse turn right on the spot- Step back on L, Lock R across L, Step back on L, Lock R across L
- 7&8 Step back on L, Lock R across L, Step back on L (6:00)

## **[S7] Skate-Skate, Diagonal R Shuffle Fwd, Cross Rock, Side Chasse**

- 1 2 Skate R to the right diagonal, Skate L to the left diagonal
- 3&4 Shuffle forward to the right diagonal on R-L-R
- 5 6 Rock L across R, Recover weight on R
- 7&8 Step L to the side, Step R close to L, Step L to the side

## **[S8] 2x Ball-Side-Hold, Ball-Side Rock-Cross Shuffle, Flick**

- &1 2 Ball step R next to L, Step L to the side, Hold

- &3 4 Ball step R next to L, Step L to the side, Hold
- &5& Ball step R next to L, Step Rock L to the side, Recover weight on R
- 6&7 Cross L over R, Step R close L, Cross L over R
- 8 Flick R to the right side (6:00)

The dance finishes at 12:00. No tags or restarts.

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