



Approved by:

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# Sloop John B

## 4 WALL - 32 COUNTS - IMPROVER

STEPS	ACTUAL FOOTWORK	CALLING SUGGESTION	DIRECTION
<b>Section 1</b>	<b>Side, Together, Back Shuffle, Side, Together, Forward Shuffle</b>		
1 - 2	Step left to left side. Step right beside left.	Left Together	Left
3 & 4	Step left back. Close right beside left. Step left back.	Back Shuffle	Back
5 - 6	Step right to right side. Step left beside right.	Right Together	Right
7 & 8	Step right forward. Close left beside right. Step right forward.	Right Shuffle	Forward
<b>Section 2</b>	<b>Step, Pivot 1/2, Step, Hold, 3/4 Turn, Cross Shuffle</b>		
1 - 2	Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right. (6:00)	Step Turn	Turning right
3 - 4	Step left forward. Hold. (Clap)	Step Hold	Forward
5 - 6	Make 1/2 turn left stepping right back. Make 1/4 turn left stepping left to side.	Quarter Half	Turning left
7 & 8	Cross right over left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left. (9:00)	Cross Shuffle	Left
<b>Section 3</b>	<b>Side Rock, Sailor Step, 1/4 Turn Jazz Box</b>		
1 - 2	Rock left to left side. Recover onto right.	Left Rock	On the spot
3 & 4	Cross left behind right. Step right to right side. Step left to place.	Sailor Step	
5 - 6	Cross right over left. Step left back.	Cross Back	Back
7 - 8	Step right to right side making 1/4 turn right. Cross left over right. (12:00)	Turn Cross	Turning right
<b>Section 4</b>	<b>1/4 Turn Jazz Box, Side Rock, Cross Shuffle</b>		
1 - 2	Cross right over left. Step left back.	Cross Back	Back
3 - 4	Step right to right side making 1/4 turn right. Cross left over right. (3:00)	Turn Cross	Turning right
5 - 6	Rock right to right side. Recover onto left.	Right Rock	On the spot
7 & 8	Cross right over left. Step left to left side. Cross right over left.	Cross Shuffle	Left

**Choreographed by:** Alan G Birchall (UK) February 2008

**Choreographed to:** 'Sloop John B' by Collin Raye (125 bpm) from CD Stars and Stripes: or any Beach Boys Greatest Hits collection; (12 count intro - start on vocals)

**Music Suggestion:** 'Sea Sick' by Larry Joe Taylor (172 bpm) from CD Coastal and Western (20 count intro - start on vocals)



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