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# Hard As Nails

## 2 WALL - 32 COUNTS - IMPROVER

STEPS	ACTUAL FOOTWORK	CALLING SUGGESTION	DIRECTION
<b>Section 1</b> 1 & 2 3 & 4 5 & 6 7 & 8	<b>Forward, Clap x 2, Forward, Clap x 2, Forward Mambo, Coaster Step</b> Step right forward. Clap twice. Step left forward. Clap Twice. Rock forward on right. Rock back on left. Step right back. Step left back. Step right beside left. Step left forward.	Right Clap Clap Left Clap Clap Mambo Forward Coaster Step	Forward  On the spot
<b>Section 2</b> 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8	<b>Toe &amp; Heel Touches, Vaudeville Steps</b> Touch right toe to right side. Step right beside left. Touch left heel forward. Step left beside right. Touch right heel forward. Step right beside left. Touch left toe to left side. Step left beside right. Cross right over left. Step left to left side. Touch right heel diagonally forward right. Step right beside left. Cross left over right. Step right to right side. Touch left heel diagonally forward left.	Toe & Heel & Heel & Toe & Cross & Heel & Cross & Heel	On the spot  Left On the spot Right
<b>Section 3</b> & 1 2 3 & 4 <b>Note</b> 5 & 6 7 & 8	<b>Ball Cross, Unwind 1/2 Turn, Kick, Out, Out, Back Rock, Side, Sailor 1/4 Turn</b> Step left beside right. Cross right over left. Unwind 1/2 turn left (weight onto left). (6:00) Kick right forward. Step right back and out. Step left back and out. Count 4 ends with feet shoulder width apart. Rock back on right. Recover onto left. Step right to right side. Cross left behind right. Turn 1/4 left stepping right beside left. Step left slightly forward of right. (3:00)	& Cross Unwind Kick Out Out  Rock Back Side Behind Quarter Step	Left Turning left On the spot  Right Turning left On the spot
<b>Section 4</b> & 1 & 2 & 3 4 5 & 6 7 & 8	<b>Paddle 1/2 Turn, Ball Touch, Hip Bump, Cross Rock, 1/4 Turn, Step, Pivot 1/2, Step</b> On ball of left turn 1/4 left, touching right toe to right side. On ball of left turn 1/4 left, touching right toe to right side. (9:00) Step right beside left. Touch left to left side (weight stays on right). Transfer weight onto left, bumping hips left (with attitude!). Cross rock right over left. Recover onto left. Turn 1/4 right stepping right forward. Step left forward. Pivot 1/2 turn right. Step left forward. (6:00)	Paddle Paddle & Touch Bump Cross Rock Quarter Step Pivot Step	Turning left  On the spot  Turning right

**Choreographed by:** Stephen Rutter & Claire Butterworth (UK) December 2012

**Choreographed to:** 'Tough' by Kellie Pickler (102 bpm) from CD 100 Proof; **FREE** download version by Glenn Rogers available from [www.linedancermagazine.com](http://www.linedancermagazine.com) for Linedancer subscribers (16 count intro)



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