

Americano

64 Count, 2 Wall, Intermediate

Choreographer: Barry Andracchio (Australia)

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Choreographed to:Americano by Lady GaGa,

Album: Born This Way

Intro: Start dance after 10 Heavy Beats on words "La La La La La..."

- 1 Side Shuffle Right, Rock Back, Recover, Side Shuffle Left, Rock Back, Recover.**
1&2,3,4 Step R to side, L beside R, Step R to side, Rock back on L, Recover onto R,
5&6,7,8 Step L to side, R beside L, Step L to side, Rock back on R, Recover onto L.
- 2 Right Side, Behind, Side (&), Heel-Ball-Cross, Left Side, Behind, Side (&), Heel-Ball-Forward.**
1,2&3&4 Step R to side, L behind, R to side, L heel at 45 deg., Step L beside R, Step R across L.
5,6&7&8 Step L to side, R behind, L to side, R heel at 45 deg., Step R beside L, Step L forward.
- 3 Rock Forward, Recover, Right 1/2 Shuffle Turn, Rock Forward, Recover, Left Coaster.**
1,2,3&4 Rock forward on R, Recover onto L, Turn ¼ right Step R to side, L beside R, Turn ¼ R onto R,
5,6,7&8 Rock forward on L, Recover onto R, Step L back, R beside L, Step L forward.
(Optional for steps 3&4 - One and a 1/2 Turns)
- 4 Left 1/4 Paddle Turn, Cross Shuffle, Side Rock, Recover, Left Sailor Step.**
1,2,3&4 Step R forward, Turn ¼ left onto L, Step R across L, Step L to side, Step R across L,
5,6,7&8 Step L to side, Recover onto R, Step L behind R, R to side, Recover back onto L. *
- 5 Right Sailor 1/4 Turn, Kick-Ball-Forward, Rock, Recover, (&) Rock, Recover.**
1&2 Step R behind L, Step L to side, Turn ¼ right Step forward on R,
3&4 Kick L forward, Step L beside R, Step forward on R.
*** Tag & Restart on first wall – add 6 count Tag and Restart
5,6& Rock forward on L, Recover back onto R, Step L beside R (&),
7,8 Rock forward on R, Recover back onto L.
- 6 Walk Back Right, Left, Out, Out, Cross, 3/4 Turn, Rock, Recover.**
1,2&3,4 Walk back R, L, Step R to side (&), Step L to side, Step R across L,
5,6,7,8 Turn ¼ right Step L back, Turn ½ right Step R forward, Rock forward on L, Recover back on R.
- 7 (&) Rock Forward, Recover, Walk Back Right, Left, Out, Out, Cross, 3/4 Turn**
&1,2,3,4 Step L beside R (&), Rock forward on R, Recover onto L, Walk back R, L,
&5,6 Step R to side (&), Step L to Side, Step R across L,
Turn ¼ right step L back, Turn ½ right Step forward onto R.
- 8 Rock Forward, Recover, Shuffle Back, Touch Back, Unwind 1/2 Turn, Rock Back, Recover**
1,2,3&4 Rock forward on L, Recover back onto R, Step L back, R beside L, Step L back,
5,6,7,8 Touch R toe back, Unwind ½ turn right, (weight on L), Rock back on R, Recover onto L.
- Tag: *** Rock, Recover, Left Coaster Step, Left 1/2 Pivot Turn**
1,2,3&4 Rock forward on L, Recover onto R, Step back on L, Right beside L, Step forward on L,
5,6 Step forward on R, Turn ½ left onto L.
- Ending:** Dance to Count 32 (facing 3.00) Touch R Toe behind L, Unwind to face front (12.00) *
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