

Take Me Away

64 Count, 4 Wall, Intermediate

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Choreographed to: Take Me Away by James House,

Album: Days Gone By (iTunes)

Intro – 8 counts, start on the word ..take me **AWAY**. There are two restarts.

1 RIGHT SIDE, BEHIND & CROSS, SIDE, LEFT BACK, ROCK, KICK-BALL-CROSS

1-2 Step right to right side, step left behind right

&3-4 Step right to right side, cross step left over right, step right to right side

Rock back on left foot, recover onto right

7&8 Kick left foot forward, step back on left, cross step right over left

2 PADDLE TURNS 1/4 RIGHT, LEFT CROSS, BACK & CROSS, SIDE

1-2 Step forward on left, pivot 1/8 turn right (weight onto right)

3-4 Step forward on left, pivot 1/8 turn right (completing 1/4 turn right, weight on right) [3.00]

5-6 Cross step left over right, step back on right

&7-8 Step left to left side, cross step right over left, step left to left side

3 RIGHT BACK, ROCK, SHUFFLE 1/2 TURN LEFT, LEFT BACK, ROCK, WALK FORWARD x2

1-2 Rock back on right foot, recover onto left

3&4 Shuffle 1/2 turn left, stepping – Right-Left-Right [9.00]

Rock back on left foot, recover onto right.

7-8 Walk forward Left-Right

4 LEFT SIDE, ROCK & SIDE, ROCK, RIGHT SAILOR STEP, LEFT SAILOR STEP

1-2 Rock left to left side, recover onto right,

&3-4 Step left beside right, Rock right to right side, recover onto left

5&6 Step right behind left, step left to left side, step right to right side

7&8 Step left behind right, step right to right side, step left to left side

5 RIGHT BEHIND, UNWIND 1/2 TURN, SHUFFLE FORWARD, JAZZBOX CROSS

1-2 Step right behind left, unwind 1/2 turn right keeping weight on right foot. [3.00]

3&4 Left Shuffle forward stepping Left-Right-Left (**NOTE: Restart here on walls 2 and 4**)

5-6-7-8 Cross step right over left, step back on left, step right to right side, cross step left over right

6 RIGHT CHASSE, BACK, ROCK, LEFT CHASSE, BACK, ROCK

1&2 Step right to right side, close left beside right, step right to right side

3-4 Rock back on left, recover onto right

5&6 Step left to left side, step right beside left, step left to left side

Rock back on right foot, recover onto left

7 RIGHT FORWARD, ROCK, & LEFT FORWARD, ROCK, SHUFFLE BACK, ROCK BACK

1-2 Rock forward on right foot, recover onto left

&3-4 Step right beside left, rock forward on left foot, recover onto right

5&6 Shuffle backwards stepping Left, Right, Left

7-8 Rock back on right, recover onto left

8 STEP, PIVOT 1/2 TURN, SHUFFLE, STEP, PIVOT 1/2 TURN, SHUFFLE

1-2 Step forward on right, pivot 1/2 turn left [9.00]

3&4 Shuffle forward stepping Right-Left-Right

5-6 Step forward on left, pivot 1/2 turn right [3.00]

7&8 Shuffle forward stepping Left-Right-Left

RESTARTS; On Walls 2 and 4 (facing {6.00} and [12.00] respectively)

Dance through to Section 5, Steps 1-4 then restart at the beginning

SLOWDOWN: TOWARDS THE END OF THE DANCE (Wall 6) - the music slows down during Section 1

(on steps 7&8 Kick ball cross) and Section 2 (steps 1-4 – Paddle turns)

Slow down your steps accordingly then pick up the beat on steps 5-6 onwards.
