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The Family Way

64 Count, 2 Wall, Improver Choreographer: Tony Stanton (UK) Nov 2008 Choreographed to: Unwed Fathers by Gail Davies

Start dancing on lyrics

1. RHUMBA BOX WITH TOUCHES

- 1-4 Step right to right, step left together, step right forward, touch left toe against right
- 5-8 Step left to side, step right together, step left back, touch right against left

2. SWEEP BACK LEFT AND RIGHT, ROCKING HORSE STEP, STEP 1/4 TURN LEFT

- 9-12 Step back right, sweep left out to left and from front to back, step left back, sweep right out to right and from front to back
- 13-16 Rock right back, recover left forward, step right forward, turn ¼ left, weight onto left **Restart here** on walls 3 and 6

3. GRAPEVINE RIGHT WITH SIDE TOUCHES

- 17-20 Step right to right, cross left behind right, step right to right, touch left toe to right instep
- 21-24 Step left to side angling body to right, touch right toe to left instep, step right to right angling body to left, touch left toe to right instep

4. KICKS FORWARD X 2, ¹/₄ TURN LEFT, STEP SCUFFS FORWARD

- 25-28 Kick left forward, kick left forward turning ¼ turn left, rock left back, rock forward on to right
- 29-32 Step left forward, scuff right forward together, step right forward, scuff left forward together

5. LOCK STEPS FORWARD WITH SCUFFS X 2

- 33-36 Step left forward into left diagonal, lock right behind left, step left forward, scuff right forward
- 37-40 Step forward right on right diagonal, lock left behind right, step right forward, scuff left forward

6. JAZZ BOX 1/4 TURN LEFT WITH SIDE DRAG, CROSS WITH TOUCH

- 41-44 Cross left over right, step right back turning ¼ turn left, step left a long step to left, drag right to touch to left
- 45-48 Cross right over left, recover back on to left, step right to side, touch left toe to right instep

7. SIDE SHUFFLE WITH ¹/₄ TURN LEFT, ¹/₂ TURN LEFT X 2 WITH HITCHES

49-52 Step left to side, slide right together, step left to side turning ¼ turn left, hitch right knee
53-56 Turn ½ turn left stepping right back, hitch left knee, turn ½ turn left stepping left forward, hitch right knee

Alternative steps 53-56: step forward right, hitch left, step forward left, hitch right

8. TURN 1/2 TURN LEFT, SKATE STEPS FORWARD WITH TOUCHES X 2, STEP TOGETHER

- 57-60 Step right forward, turn ½ turn left, skate right forward into right diagonal, touch left toe to right instep
- 61-64 Skate left forward into left diagonal, touch right toe to left instep, step right forward into right diagonal, step left together

RESTART the dance from the beginning after count 16 on wall 3 (facing 9:00) and on wall 6 (facing 6:00)

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