When I Was

32 Count, 4 Wall, Intermediate
Choreographer: Pauline Greenwood (Australia) April 2013
Choreographed to: When I Was Your Man by Bruno Mars.
Album: Unorthodox Jukebox (3mins. 34secs. 72 bpm)

Dance Starts On The Word 'Stay' - After 16 Count Introduction. (13 Secs)

1 – 8   SIDE. ROCK. TOGETHER. SIDE. ROCK. TOGETHER. COASTER. PADDLE 1/4
1 2 &   Step R to R side, Rock weight to L side, Step R beside L,
3 4 &   Step L to L side, Rock weight to R side, Step L beside R,
5 & 6   Step R back, Step L beside R, Step R forward,
7 8   Step L forward, Paddle 1/4R. (3.00)

9 – 16   CROSS SHUFFLE. SIDE. ROCK. HINGE SIDE. ROCK. SHUFFLE FORWARD
1 & 2   Step L across R, Step R to the R side, Step L across R,
3 4   Step R to R side, Rock weight to L,
5 6   Hinge turn 1/2R Stepping R to R side and sway hips R, Rock weight onto L (9.00)
7 & 8   Step R forward, Step L beside R, Step R forward.

17 - 24   1/4 SAILOR. MAMBO FORWARD. MAMBO BACK. CROSS UNWIND 1/2
1 & 2   Turn 1/4L stepping L behind R, Rock weight to R side, Replace weight to L (6.00)
3 & 4   Step R forward, Rock weight to L, Step R back,
5 & 6   Step L back, Rock weight onto R, Step L forward,
7 & 8   Step R across L, Unwind 1/2L (weight on R 12.00)

25 – 32   SWEEP. SWEEP. 1/4 CROSS SAMBA. TOGETHER, FORWARD, ROCK, COASTER
1 2   Sweep L in front of R, Sweep R in front of L,
3 & 4 & Step L across R, Turn 1/4L stepping R to R side, Rock weight to L side, Step R beside L,
5 6   Step L forward, Rock weight back onto R,
7 & 8   Step L back, Step R beside L, Step L forward (9.00)

RESTARTS Wall 2 (6.00) & 5 (9.00) Dance to count 16 and add an & count (16&) stepping L beside R.

TAG: At the end of Wall 3 (3.00) there is a 4 count tag
1 2   Step R forward, Rock weight back on L,
3 & 4 & Step R back, Step L beside R, Step R forward, Step L beside R.