

Desert Luau

56 count, 4 wall, beginner/intermediate level
Choreographer: Sandy Albano (USA) Jan 2005
Choreographed to: Desert Luau by David Ball, CD:
Freewheeler (115 bpm)

24 count into, start on vocals

R side shuffle step; 2 toe touches; Crossing shuffle; Side rock with left quarter pivot

- 1 & 2 Shuffle R, L, R
- 3, 4 Point L toe to front right diagonal, Point L toe to front left diagonal
- 5 & 6 Step L across R, Step R to right side, Step L across R
- 7,8 Rock R to right side, recover weight to L turning one-quarter turn to left (9:00)

Side rock cross; Step left and touch; Side, Behind, Side; L forward rock and recover

- 1 & 2 Rock R to right side, recover to L, cross R over L
- 3, 4 Step L to left side, touch R beside L
- 5 & 6 Step R to right side, Step L behind R, Ste R to right side
- 7,8 Rock forward on L, recover weight to R (9:00)

Tap, tap, step with quarter turn; Sweep R back to front; Rock and kick; Back lock step

- 1 & 2 Touch L toe twice beside R, Step on L turning one-quarter turn to left (6:00)
- 3, 4 Sweep R from back to front (3), touch R toe in front of L foot (4)
- 5 & 6 Rock forward on R, recover on L, low kick R forward
- 7,8 Step back on R, step back L crossing L over R

Back lock step, R, L, R; Step L, Cross R; L weave with quarter turn; R rock and recover

- 1 & 2 Step back on R, step back L crossing L over R, step back on R
- 3, 4 Step L to left side, step R to the left across L
- 5 & 6 Step L to left side, step R behind left, Step L to left side turning one-quarter left (3:00)
- 7,8 Rock forward on R, recover on L

Back shuffle on R; Rock back and recover; One-half turn pivot, Forward shuffle on L

- 1 & 2 Shuffle back R, L, R
- 3,4 L rock back and recover on R
- 5,6 Step forward on L and pivot one-half turn right onto R (9:00)
- 7 & 8 Shuffle forward L, R, L

Side steps and touches to right side; Side steps and touches to left side

- 1,2 Step R to right side, Step L beside R
- 3,4 Step R to right side, Touch L beside R
- 5,6 Step L to left side, Step R beside L
- 7,8 Step L to left side, Touch R beside L

Four quarter pivots to the left

(Think Hula!- Hand movements on the last two sets -optional)

- 1,2 Step R forward, pivot quarter turn onto L
- 3,4 Step R forward, pivot quarter turn onto L
- 5,6 Step R forward, pivot quarter turn onto L
- 7,8 Step R forward, pivot quarter turn onto L

One-time Restart: At the end of wall 3 (6:00 wall) drop the final set of 8 and start the dance from the beginning on wall 4 (3:00). At the end of the dance, you should be facing the front wall at the end of 32 counts.
