# The Stranger



Count: 28 Wand: 4 Ebene: Improver

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Musik: If I Were A Stranger - Jo Hikk



\*1 Tag of 2 Counts, followed by: 1 easy Tag/Restart resuming the 1st section transformed at 7&8

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Dance starts after intro at 16 counts at the Lyrics: « If I Were a Stranger » -

Sequence: 28 -28 -16- [Tag :2] + [Tag/Restart :8] - 28 -28- 16 - [Tag/Restart 2] -28 - 28 - 4: for the Final at

12h

Hold on LF

### [1to8]: CROSS R - SIDE POINT L -SAILOR STEP L & R - SWEEP 1/4 SAILOR TURN L

1-2 Cross RF front of LF – Touch LF Point to L 12h

3&4 Cross LF behind RF – RF to R – LF to L
5&6 Cross RF behind LF – LF to L – RF to R

7&8 Sweep of LF: with ¼ Turn to the L: LF behind RF – RF to R – LF forward 9h

# [9to16]: DIAGONALLY STEP R-POINT BACK L-STEP BACK KICK DIAGONALLY-COASTER STEPS-ROCK L OVER R- RECOVER SCISSOR CROSS

1& Pose RF in diagonal forward R - Touch point LF behind RF

2& Pose LF back- Kick RF in diagonal forward Right

3&4 RF back, LF next to RF, RF forward 5&6 Cross LF front of RF -BW on RF-LF to L

7&8 RF to R-Gather LF close to RF (hold on LF) -Cross RF front of LF

Here: Tag of 2 counts during Wall 3, after the 2nd Section facing 9h

Followed by Easy 1Tag /Restart that resumes the 1st Section transformed at counts: 7&8 while staying on 9H Here: 2nd Tag/Restart of 2 Counts during Wall 6, after the 2nd Section facing 6H

# [17to 24]: LEFT HEEL GRIND WITH 1/4 TURN L- BACK LOCK STEP- ROCK BACK JUMP - KICK BALL STEP

1-2 Thrust L Heel slightly forward-Pivot point of LF to L with ¼ turn to L BW on RF) 6h

3&4 Pose LF back- Cross RF front of LF- Pose LF back

5-6 Rock RF back - hopping slightly - Return LF7&8 Kick RF forward - RF next LF -LF forward

#### [25 to28] VAUDEVILLE.R - VAUDEVILLE. L

1&2& CROSS RF front of LF - step LF to L side - TOUCH heel R on diagonal forward R & - step RF

next to LF

3&4& CROSS LF front of RF - step RF to R side - TOUCH heel L on diagonal forward L &- step LF

next to RF

### Music's end will end on 4 counts: first 2 counts: 1-2 facing 6h

1-2 CROSS R – SIDE POINT L: Cross RF front of LF – Touch point of LF to L

## Finish with an Unwind LF 1/2 Turn to the L facing 12h + Hat Tip

3-4 UNDWIND ½ TURN LEFT: Touch Point LF behind RF - 1/2 turn L (hold Point LF forward) 12h

\*1st Tag of: 2 counts during Wall 3, after 2nd Section facing 9h:

#### [1-2] Stomp LF - Stomp Up RF

\*1st Easy Tag/ Restart resuming 1st section at Sweep LF transformed at 7&8 into sailor Step LF: facing 9H

7&8 Cross LF behind RF – RF to the R – LF to the L

\*\*2nd Tag/Restart of 2 counts during Mur 6, after 2nd Section facing 6h [ 1-2] Stomp LF – Stomp Up RF

\* Happy Dance \*