Swingin' Banana



Count: 64 Wand: 4 Ebene: Intermediate

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Musik: I Wanna Be Like You - Big Bad Voodoo Daddy



KNEE TWIST, HOLD, KNEE TWIST, HOLD KNEE TWIST X 3, POINT

1-2 Turn right knee into left, hold, (turn body slightly to the left, right knee will be "tight" crossed

over left knee)

3-4 Turn left knee into right, hold

5-6 Turn right knee into left, turn left knee into right

7-8 Turn right knee into left, take weight on right foot on count 7, on count 8, point left foot to left

1-8 moving forward

Hand movements:

1-4 Jazz hands: shake your hands at waist height, spread fingers palms facing forward

5-7 Click fingers and raise hands to shoulder level

8 Do "hands up" with spread fingers and palms facing forward

EXTENDED CROSS SHUFFLE RIGHT, HEEL BOUNCE 3/4

1&2 Cross left over right, step right to right, cross left over right

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

5-8 Turn ³/₄ right bouncing heels up and down, taking weight on right

5-6 bend knees slightly 7-8 straighten up body

Hand movements: 1-4 swing your right arm left, right, left, right, in front of your body, downwards

5-8 Shrug shoulders up and down, palms facing floor

POINT, FLICK, BACK MAMBO, POINT, FLICK, BACK MAMBO

1-2 Point left toe left in a "long point" diagonal, lean upper body slightly backwards, flick left foot

back to left diagonal, turning body to right diagonal

Rock back diagonal on left, recover on right, cross left over right (now facing right diagonal)

5-6 Do like counts 1-2, but start with right foot

7&8 Do like counts 3&4, but rock back with right foot

Hand movements:

1-2 Put your right hand upon your left, pushing palms down to left diagonal (the Charleston way)

5-6 Put your right hand upon your left, pushing palms down to right diagonal (the Charleston

way)

KICK, KICK, COASTER STEP, MOON WALK

1-2 Kick left forward, kick left too left while turning ¼ left 3&4 Step back left, step right beside left, step left forward

Touch right beside left, drag right foot back, drag left foot backDrag right foot back, drag left foot back (weight ending on left foot)

Moon walk; while dragging right foot flat back, lift left heel, step down on left dragging left foot back lifting right

KICK, KICK, COASTER STEP, MOON WALK

1-2 Kick right forward, kick right too right while turning ¼ right
3&4 Step back right, step left beside right, step right forward
&5-6 Touch right beside left, drag left foot back, drag right foot back
7-8 Drag left foot back, drag right foot back (weight ending on right foot)

KICK, KICK, COASTER STEP, KICK, KICK, COASTER STEP

1-2 Kick left forward, kick left too left, while turning ¼ left

3&4	Step back left, step right beside left, step left forward
5-6	Kick right forward, kick right foot right while turning 1/4 right
7&8	Step back right, step left beside right, step right forward
While doing the kicks in the 3-8 above, lean upper body slightly backwards	

SKATE, SKATE, SHUFFLE, SKATE, SKATE, SHUFFLE

1-2 Swivel on ball of right while stepping left diagonal, swivel on ball of left while stepping right

diagonal

3&4 Step forward on left, step right next to left, step forward on left

5-6 Swivel on ball of left while stepping right diagonal, swivel on ball of right while stepping left

diagonal

7&8 Step forward on right, step left next to right, step forward on right

CROSS, BOUNCE 1/2 RIGHT, HEEL JACKS

1-4 Cross left over right, bounce heels up and down turning ½ right 5&6 Cross right over left, step back left, touch right heel forward

&7&8& Step back right, cross left over right, step back right, touch left heel forward, step left beside

right taking weight

Hands movements: 1-4 shrug shoulders up and down, palms facing floor

REPEAT