

# Cruel To Be Kind

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BY STEPSHEETS

Count: 48

Wall: 4

Level: Improver / Intermediate

Choreographer: Brenda Burroughs (USA) - April 2021

Music: Cruel to Be Kind - Nick Lowe



Intro: 36 counts

## STEP R SIDE, L BEHIND, ¼, STEP PIVOT ½, ¼, SIDE, BEHIND (FIG.8)

1 2 3 Step R to R side, step L behind R, step R ¼ turn to R (3:00)

4 - 8 Step L fwd, pivot 1/2 turn R (wt. R), further ¼ turn R stepping on L, step R behind L, step L to side (12:00)

## CROSS ROCK, CHASSE' RIGHT., CROSS ROCK, SHUFFLE ¼ LEFT

1-2 3&4 Cross rock R over L, recover on L, chasse' right (R together R)

5-6 7&8 Cross rock L over R, recover on R, ¼ turn step L fwd, step R next to L, step L fwd. (9:00)

## CROSS POINT, CROSS POINT, JAZZ BOX WITH ¼ TURN RIGHT

1 - 4 Cross R over L, point L to side, cross L over R, point R to side

5 - 8 Cross R over L, step back on L, step ¼ turn R on R, step L next to R (12:00)

## SIDE ROCK, CROSSING SHUFFLE, SIDE ROCK, CROSSING SHUFFLE

1-23&4 Rock R to side, recover L, cross R over L, step L side, cross R over L

5-6 7&8 Rock L to side, recover R, cross L over, R, step R side, cross L over R

**\*Tag and restart here on wall 5 (12:00)**

## HINGE TURN, CROSS ROCK, SHUFFLE ¼ TURN RIGHT, ROCK, RECOVER

1 - 4 Step back on R turning ¼ turn L, step side on L turning ¼ turn L (hinge turn L), cross rock R over L, rec on L

5&6-7-8 ¼ turn R, triple step fwd, rock fwd on L, rec on R (9:00)

## BACK, CROSS, BACK, SIDE, CROSS, BACK, BACK, TOUCH

1 - 4 Step back on L, cross R over L, step back on L, step R to R

5 - 8 Cross L over R, step back on R, step L to L, touch R next to L

**(these steps are done moving slightly backwards)**

**\*TAG: Side touch, side touch -**

1 - 4 Step R to R, touch L next to R, Step L to L, touch R next to L

Tag Occurs at the end of wall 2 (6:00) and wall 4 (12:00)

On Wall 5, tag occurs after 32 cts and restart dance (12:00)

Ending: On the last wall just do the jazz box without the ¼ turn...voila'

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