## Gifted



Count: 72 Wall: 1 Level: Advanced

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Music: Somebody's Child - Blessing Offor & Dolly Parton



Intro: 8 counts. Start before first word is sang. Start with weight on L

1 – 2 – 3	Step R to R side (1), Cross L behind R (2), ¼ Turn R step R forward (3) 3:00
&4&	Step L forward (&), ½ Turn R onto R (4), ¼ Turn R step L to L side (&) 12:00
5 – 6	Cross rock R behind L, opening body up 1:30 (5), Recover on L (6) 12:00

7&8 Step R to R side (7), % Turn L step L forward (&), Step on ball R forward hitching L knee (8)

4:30

#### [9 – 16] L Forward with R sweep, R Jazz-box Cross, Sway RL, R NC Basic, Side L, Drag with R Touch

1 Step L forward while sweeping R from back to front (1) 4:30

2&3& Cross R over L (2), 1/8 step L back (&), Step R to R side (3), Cross L over R (&) 6:00

4& Step R to R side while swaying R (4), Sway L (&) 6:00

5 – 6& Step R to R side (5), Close L next to R (6), Cross R over L (&) 6:00

7&8 Step L to L side, Stretch R arm to R side with hand-palm facing forward & look R (7), Stretch

L arm to L side with hand-palm facing forward & look L (&), Drag R next to L and touch, Pull

arms in towards body (8) 6:00

# [17 – 24] Walk RL with sweeps, R Forward, ½ R Back L, R back Rock Recover, Forward R with sweep, Botafogo L

T = Z	1 – 2	Walk R forward sweeping L forward	(1), Walk L forward sweeping R forward (2) 6:00
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3& Step R forward (3), ½ Turn R step L back (&) 12:00

4 - 5 - 6 Rock R back and look over R shoulder (4), Recover on L (5), Step R forward sweeping L

forward (6) 12:00

7&8 Cross R over L (7), Rock R to R side (&), 1/8 Turn L recover on L (8) 10:30

#### [25 – 32] Run RL, Walk R, L Mambo ½ L, Slow Full Turn L, Quick Full Turn L, R Rock Forward

&1 – 2 Step R forward, Start to bring R arm up from low down (&), Step L forward, Keep raising R

arm (1), Step R forward, Finish raising R arm (2) 10:30

3&4 Rock L forward (3), Recover on R (&), ½ Turn L step L forward (4) 4:30

5 – 6 ½ Turn L step R back (5), ½ Turn L step L forward (6) 4:30

7&8 ½ Turn L step R back (7), ½ Turn L step L forward (&), Rock R forward, Reach R arm

forward (8) 4:30

Optional Styling: Raise R leg back in a low arabesque during turn (4)

#### [33 – 36] Recover, % R, L Rock Forward, Recover, ¼ L, ½ Pivot L

1& Recover back on L (1), % Turn R step R forward (&) 9:00

2 – 3 Rock L forward, Reach L arm forward (2), Recover on R (3) 9:00

&4& 1/4 Turn L Step L forward (&), Step R forward (4), 1/2 Turn L onto L (&) 12:00

### [37 – 45] Walk RL, Ball Cross, R Forward, Step ½ R, L Rocking Chair, Full Triple Turn R

1 – 2 Walk R forward (1), Walk L forward (2) 12:00

a3 – 4 ½ Turn L step R to R side (a), Cross L over R (3), ½ Turn R step R forward (4) 12:00

5& Step L forward (5), ½ Turn R onto R (&) 6:00

Rock L forward (6), Recover on R (&), Rock L back (7), Recover on R (&) 6:00 1/2 Turn R step L back (8), 1/2 Turn R step R forward (&), Step L forward (1) 6:00 1/2 Turn R step R forward (&), Step L forward (1) 6:00 1/2 Turn R step R forward (&)

[46 – 52] Fallaway, Syncopated R Cross Rock & Side Rock, Behind, Press			
2&3	Cross R over L (2), Step L to L side (&), 1/8 Turn R step R back (3) 7:30		
4&5	Step L back (4), 1/8 Turn R step R to R side (&), 1/8 Turn R step L forward (5) 10:30		
6&7&	Cross rock R over L (6), Recover on R (&), 1/8 Turn R rock R to R side (7), Recover on L (&)		
	12:00		
8&	Cross R behind L (8), Press L to L side (&) 12:00		
[53 – 60] ½ L F	Recover with Leg Lift, L Lunge, ¼ R Recover, L Lock Step, R Mambo Lift, Back Together		
1	Push off L to recover on R while making ½ Turn L and lifting L leg up, Raise both arms up infront of body (1) 6:00		
2 – 3	Lunge to L side, Bring both arms down to L hip (2), 1/4 Turn R recover forward onto R (3) 9:00		
4&5	Step L forward (4), Lock R behind L (&), Step L forward (5) 9:00		
6&7	Rock R forward (6), Recover on L (&), Step R back lifting L leg up, Reach R arm forward (7) 9:00		
8&	Step L back (8), Close R next to L (&) 9:00		
[61 – 68] L Sid 1 – 2& 3 – 4& 5 - 6 &7&8	e Rock Behind, R Side Rock Behind, ¼ L, Forward R, ½ Turn L with Knee Bounce Rock L to L side, Swing L arm to L side (1), Recover on R (2), Cross L behind R (&) 9:00 Rock R to R side, Swing R arm to R side (3), Recover on L (4), Cross R behind L (&) 6:00 ¼ Turn L Step L forward (5), Step R forward (6) 6:00  ½ Turn L push both knees forward and lift heels off the floor (&), ½ Turn L straighten legs and lower heels (7), ½ Turn L push both knees forward and lift heels off the floor (&), ½ Turn L straighten legs and lower heels (8) Weight finishes on L 12:00		
[69 – 72] Forward diagonally R&L with touches and snaps			
1 – 2	Step R into R diagonal (1), Touch L next to R and snap R (2) 12:00		
3 – 4	Step L into L diagonal (3), Touch R next to L and snap L (4) 12:00		
TAG: Walls 2 & 4, after 6 counts (We replace counts 7-8 to avoid turning) [7 – 8] Syncopated R Side Rock & Cross Rock 7&8& Rock R to R side (7), Recover on L (&), Cross rock R over L (8), Recover on L (&) 12:00			
Ending: Finish tag by stepping R to R side and slowly reaching both arms out to the sides ☐ 12:00			
START AGAIN AND HAVE FUNNNN			

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