

# Runaround Sue

Count: 32

Wall: 4

Level: Intermediate

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Music: Runaround Sue - Leif Garrett



## STEP RIGHT LOCK STEP, STEP LEFT LOCK STEP, KICK & TOUCH, SHUFFLE LEFT, RIGHT, LEFT

- 1&2 Step right (diagonally), lock left behind, step right (diagonally)  
3&4 Step left (diagonally), lock right behind, step left (diagonally)  
5&6 Kick right, recover weight onto right, touch left toe back  
7&8 Shuffle forward left, right, left

## CROSSOVER RIGHT STEP BACK, CROSSOVER LEFT STEP SIDE RIGHT

- 1-2 Cross right over left (body angled diagonally left and moving back), step back left  
&3 Facing front, step side right, cross left over right  
4 Step side right

## KNEE BENDS LEFT, HANDS UP AND DOWN TWICE

- 5 Bend knees to the left and raise hands up diagonally over right shoulder (finger snap optional)  
6 Stand up and lower hands  
7-8 Repeat steps 5-6

## SYNCOPATED KICK AND STEP BACKS

- 1 Kick right out (slightly over left)  
&2& Moving slightly back step down right (in front of) left, step back left, step back right  
3 Kick left out (slightly over right)  
&4& Moving slightly back step down left (in front of) right, step back right, step back left  
5-8 Repeat steps 1-4

**Style note: keep the steps small and stay on the balls of your feet**

### Easier alternative

- 1 Moving slightly back kick forward right  
&2 Step on right & touch side left  
3 Kick forward left  
&4 Step on left & touch side right  
5-8 Repeat 1-4

## RIGHT POINT HOLD, RIGHT ¼ TURN POINT AND HOLD, RUNNING MAN

- 1 Point right to right side  
2 Hold  
& Hitch right as you make ¼ turn to right  
3 Point right to right side  
4 Hold  
&5& Scoot left back slightly, step forward right, scoot back on right  
6& Step forward left, scoot back on left  
7& Step forward right, scoot back on right  
8 Step forward left

**Easier alternative: for those having problem with the "running man" on counts 5-8, you can simply march in place right, left, right and step forward left**

**Optional hand movement: during sections when the vocals state "Keep away from Runaround Sue", on count 3 put right hand out in "stop" position**

**REPEAT**

