# Soldier's Joy



Compte: 32 Mur: 4 Niveau: Intermediate/Advanced

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Starting position: right toe pointed forward

RIGHT HOOK, HOP, 1/4 TURN RIGHT, RIGHT SHUFFLE FORWARD, LEFT HOOK, HOP 1/4 TURN RIGHT, LEFT SHUFFLE FORWARD

1-2	Right hook in front of left knee.	left hop into ½ turn	right flicking right back

3&4 Right step forward, left step next to right, right foot step forward

5-6 Left hook in front of right knee, right hop into 1/4 turn right, flicking left back

7&8 Left step forward, right step next to left, left step forward

## SCUFF, SCOOT, STOMP, SCOOT-TAP, SCOOT-TAP, SYNCOPATED GRAPEVINE, TOUCH FORWARD, **SWIVELS**

1&2	Right scuff backwards, left foot scoot forward, hitching right knee, right stomp-down in front of left
3-4	Right scoot back tapping left toe behind right, right scoot back tapping left toe behind right
&5&6	Left step side left, right cross-step behind left, left step side left, right cross-step behind left

Left step side left, right step in front on left & rise on balls of both feet, swivel both heels out,

swivel both heels in

### & 1/2 SHUFFLE TURN LEFT, HEEL, SLIDE, STOMPS, HEEL CLICKS

&	Right scoot back flicking left back
1&2	Left step back into ¼ turn left, right step next to left, left step forward into ¼ turn left
3-4	Right heel-lead long step forward, 45 degrees right, left slide step next to right
5&6	Right stomp-down next to left, left stomp down next to right, right stomp down next to left
7-8	Split heels apart & bring them back & click (weight on balls of feet), split heels apart & bring them back & click (weight on balls of feet)

# SCUFF, TURN, TAP, SCUFF, TOGETHER, BEHIND, UNWIND ½ TURN RIGHT & TOUCH BACK, PIVOT ½ TURN LEFT & POINT FORWARD

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#### REPEAT

&7&8

Dance ends at 9:00 wall with the first 3 counts. Instead of finishing with left shuffle forward, substitute counts 7&8 to left stomp forward, right stomp next to left, left stomp forward with left knee bent and pose (out of breath, but smiling!) With arms out to side palms down.