

# Dear Friend

**Count:** 56    **Wall:** 4    **Level:** Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Kate Sala (UK) July 2016

**Music:** Carry You Home by Ward Thomas - 3:35m

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**Intro: 8 counts from first heavy beat.**

**Section 1: Cross Rock, Side Rock, Behind, Side, Cross Shuffle.**

- 1 2            Cross rock on R over L. Recover on to L.
- 3 4            Side Rock on R out to right side. Recover on to L.
- 5 6            Cross step R behind L. Step L to left side.
- 7 & 8          Cross step R over L. Step L to left side. Cross step R over L.

**Section 2: Side Step, Touch, Kick Ball Cross, Rolling Vine, Cross.**

- 1 2            Side step on L to left side. Touch R toe next to L instep.
- 3 & 4          Kick R forward to right diagonal. Step down on ball of R. Cross step L over R.
- 5 6            Turn 1/4 right stepping forward on R. Turn 1/2 right stepping back on L.
- 7 8            Turn 1/4 right stepping R to right side. Cross step L over R.

**Section 3: Side Rock, Turn 1/4 Right With Back Rock, Step Pivot 1/2 Turn Left x 2.**

- 1 2            Side rock on R out to right side.Recover on to L.
- 3 4            Turn 1/4 right rocking back on R. Recover on to L. 3:00
- 5 6            Step forward on R. Pivot 1/2 turn left.
- 7 8            Step forward on R. Pivot 1/2 turn left.

**Section 4: Rock Forward, Full Turn Back, Rock Back, Kick Step Touch.**

- 1 2            Rock forward on R. Recover on to L.
- 3 4            Turn 1/2 right stepping forward on R. Turn 1/2 right stepping back on L.
- 5 6            Rock back on R. Recover on to L.
- 7 & 8          Kick R forward. Step slightly forward on R. Touch L toe out to left side.

**Section 5: Kick Step Touch, Jazz Box, Cross, Side Step Right, Touch.**

- 1 & 2          Kick L forward. Step slightly forward on L. Touch R toe out to right side.
- 3 - 6          Cross step R over L. Step back on L. Step R to right side. Cross step L over R.
- 7 8            Step R to right side. Touch L toe in next to R instep.

**Section 6: Full Turn Left With Side Chasse, Cross Point, Cross Behind Kick.**

- 1 2            Turn 1/4 left stepping forward on L. Turn 1/2 left stepping back on R.
- 3 & 4          Turn 1/4 left stepping L to left side. Step R next to L. Step L to left side.
- 5 6            Cross step R over L. Point L toe out to left side.
- 7 8            Cross step L behind R. Kick R forward to right diagonal.

**\*Section 7: Step Back, Together, Shuffle Forward x 2, Step Pivot 1/2 Turn Left.**

- 1 2            Step back on R. Step L next to R.
- 3 & 4          Step forward on R. Step L next to R. Step forward on R.

5 & 6 Step forward on L. Step R next to L. Step forward on L.

7 8 Step forward on R. Pivot 1/2 turn left. 9:00

**\* Change of steps during wall 5. Step 49 - 56 facing 3 :00 are replaced with the following 8 counts. Plus 4**

1 2 Step back on R. Step L next to R.

3 4 Long step forward on R. Drag L towards R.

5 6 Long step forward on L. Drag R towards L.

7 10 Long step back on R. Slowly drag L towards R changing weight on to L.

11 12 Place your R hand on heart. Hold. Start the dance again.

**Ending: On counts 13 - 16, (Rolling Vine) Turn right 1/4, 1/2, 1/2 and step forward on L facing 12:00**