

The Storm

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Count: 70 **Wall:** 2 **Level:** Phrased Intermediate

Choreographer: Maggie Gallagher (Jan 2013)

Music: A Bar in Amsterdam by Katzenjammer

Intro: 40 Counts (20 secs)

**PHRASED: AA TAG B - A with Restart 1 - AA TAG B - AA with Restart 2 - B with Restart 3
B**

SECTION A -VERSE- 34 Counts

S1: FIGURE OF EIGHT

- 1-2-3** Step right to right side, Cross left behind right, $\frac{1}{4}$ right stepping right forward [3:00]
4-5-6 Step left forward, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn right, $\frac{1}{4}$ right stepping left to left side [12:00]
7-8 Cross right behind left, $\frac{1}{4}$ left stepping left forward [9:00]

S2: CONTINUED FIGURE OF 8, CROSS, SIDE ROCK

- 1-2** Step right forward, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left [3:00]
3-4 $\frac{1}{4}$ left stepping right to right side, Cross left behind right [12:00]
5-6 Step right to right side, Cross left over right
7-8 Rock right to right side, Recover on left

S3: $\frac{1}{4}$ SHUFFLE BACK, ROCK BACK, SHUFFLE FWD, STEP $\frac{1}{2}$ TURN

- 1&2 $\frac{1}{4}$ right stepping back on right, Step left next to right, Step back on right [3:00]**
3-4 Rock back on left, Recover on right
5&6 Step left forward, Step right next to left, Step left forward
7-8 Step forward right, pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left [9:00] * Restart 1

S4: $\frac{1}{4}$ POINT, HOLD & POINT HOLD & HEEL & HEEL & ROCKING CHAIR

- 1-2 $\frac{1}{4}$ left pointing right to right side, HOLD [6:00]**
&3-4 Step right next to left, Point left to left side, HOLD
&5&6 Step left next to right, Tap right heel forward, Step right next to left, Tap left heel forward

&7-8 Step left next to right (**Restart 2) Rock forward on right, Recover on left

9-10 Rock back on right, Recover on left

SECTION B - CHORUS- 36 Counts

S1: STOMP, HOLD, STOMP, HOLD, & CROSS, SIDE, BEHIND SIDE CROSS

1-2 Stomp forward and out on right, HOLD

3-4 Stomp forward and out on left, HOLD

&5-6 Step right next to left, Cross left over right, Step right to right side

7&8 Cross left behind right, Step right to right side, Cross left over right

S2: CHASSE R, ROCK BACK, VINE, CROSS

1&2 Step right to right side, Step left next to right, Step right to right side

3-4 Rock back on left, Recover on right

5-6 Step left to left side, Cross right behind left

7-8 Step left to left side, Cross right over left

S3: SIDE, HOLD, & SIDE, TOUCH, VINE, CROSS

1-2 Step left to left side, HOLD

&3-4 Step right next to left , Step left to left side, Touch right next to left

5-6 Step right to right side, Cross left behind right

7-8 Step right to right side, Cross left over right (Harder option for counts 5-6-7-8 Rolling Vine Cross)

S4: ROCKING CHAIR, STEP ½ TURN, KICK BALL CHANGE

1-2 Rock forward on right to slightly right diagonal, Recover on left

3-4 Rock back on right, Recover on left

5-6 Step forward right, pivot ½ turn left

7&8 Kick right forward, Step right next to left, Step left next to right *** Restart 3

S5: JAZZ BOX CROSS

1-2 Cross right over left, Step back on left

3-4 Step right to right side, Cross left over right

TAG

1-2 Step forward on right, pivot ½ turn left

3-4 Step forward on right, pivot ½ turn left

*** RESTART 1: Wall 4 after 24 counts of Section A ¼ turn left stepping out to right (instead of pointing) to restart Section A [12:00]**

**** RESTART 2: Wall 9 after 30& counts of section A, (having stepped left next to right on the & count) restart Section B [6:00]**

***** RESTART 3: Wall 10 after 32 counts of section B, restart Section B [12:00]**

ENDING: Wall 11 after the Jazz Box Cross, unwind ½ right to finish at 12:00

CHOREOGRAPHER NOTE: On Walls 8 & 9, which are the last 2 x section A, the music goes in and out but just keep to the beat of the music and, remember to do your restart on the last A by dropping the last four counts, which is the rocking chair.