

# American Sweetheart

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**Count:** 64      **Wall:** 2      **Level:** Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Tim Gauci , BROKEN HILL - NSW 2880 - Oct 2016

**Music:** America's Sweetheart - Elle King - iTunes single

**Begin dance on lyrics 16 beats in.**

**Sequence - 64 T1 64 T2 64 T1 64 28 T3 T1 T1 64 64**

**[1-8] OUT, OUT, BEHIND, SIDE, CROSS, SIDE, ROCK  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$**

**123&4** Step R fwd to R45, step L fwd to L45, step R behind L, step L to L (&), step R across L 12.00

**5678** Step L to L, making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn R rock weight onto R, making  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn R step L back, making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn R step R to R side 12.00

**[9-16] CROSS, SIDE,  $\frac{1}{4}$  COASTER STEP, FWD,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$  SHUFFLE FWD**

**123&4** Cross L over R, step R to R, making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn L step L back, step R tog (&), step L fwd 9.00

**567&8** Step R fwd, making  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn R step L back, making  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn R shuffle fwd RLR 9.00

**[17-24] FWD COASTER STEP, BACK,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , STEP, PADDLE  $\frac{1}{4}$ , CROSS SHUFFLE**

**1&234** Step L fwd, step R tog (&), step L back, step R back, making  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn L step fwd L 3.00

**567&8** Step R fwd, paddle  $\frac{1}{4}$  L, cross shuffle R over L (RLR) 12.00

**[25-32]  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ , CROSS, SIDE, HEEL, TOG, CROSS, SIDE,  $\frac{1}{4}$  COASTER STEP**

**123&4&** Making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn R step L back, making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn R step R to R, cross L over R, step R to R (&), touch L heel to L45, step L tog (&) 6.00

**567&8** Cross R over L, step L to L, making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn R step R back, step L tog (&), step R fwd 9.00

**[33-40] STEP, LOCK, STEP, FWD, ROCK, BACK, LOCK, BACK,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$**

**12&34** Step L fwd, lock R behind L, step L fwd (&), step R fwd, rock weight back onto L 9.00

**5&678** Step R back, step L across R (&), step R back, making  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn L step L fwd, making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn L step R to R 12.00

**[41-48] SAILOR STEP,  $\frac{1}{4}$  SAILOR STEP, STEP, PADDLE  $\frac{1}{4}$ , CROSS SHUFFLE**

**1&23&4** Step L behind R, step R to R (&), step L to L, making  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn R step R back/behind L, step L tog (&), step R fwd 3.00

**567&8** Step L fwd, paddle  $\frac{1}{4}$  R, cross shuffle L over R (LRL) 6.00

**[49-56] SIDE, ROCK, TOG, SIDE, ROCK, SAILOR FWD, STEP, PIVOT ½**

**12&34** Step R to R, rock weight onto L, step R tog (&), step L to L, rock weight onto R 6.00

**5&678** Step L behind R, step R to R (&), step L fwd, step R fwd, pivot ½ turn L 12.00

**[57-64] FWD, ROCK, TOG, STEP, PIVOT ½, SHUFFLE FWD, FULL TURN**

**12&34** Step R fwd, rock weight back onto L, step R tog (&), step L fwd, pivot ½ R 6.00

**5&678** Shuffle fwd LRL, making ½ turn L step R back, making ½ turn L step R fwd 6.00

**[64] Beats Repeat dance in new direction**

**Tag 1 - facing 6.00, 12.00, 6.00, 12.00**

**[1-8] KICK, TOG, POINT, KICK, TOG, POINT, FWD, ROCK, ½, ½**

**1&23&4** Kick R fwd, step R tog (&), point L to L, kick L fwd, step L tog (&), point R to R

**5678** Rock weight back onto L, making ½ turn R step R fwd, making ½ turn R step L back

**[9-16] COASTER STEP, KICK BALL CHANGE, STEP, STEP, PIVOT ½, WALK RL**

**1&23&4** Step R back, step L tog (&), step R fwd, kick L fwd, step L tog (&), step R fwd

**56&78** Step L fwd, step R fwd, pivot ½ L (&), walk fwd RL

**Tag 2 at the end of wall 2 - restart dance from beginning facing 6.00**

**[1-4] ROCKING CHAIR, STEP, PIVOT ½, STEP, PIVOT ½**

**1234** Step R fwd, rock weight back onto L, step R back, rock weight fwd onto L 6.00

**5678** Step R fwd, pivot ½ L, step R fwd, pivot ½ L 6.00

**Tag 3 - R Jazzbox facing 6.00 wall**

**1234** Step R across L, step L back, step R to R, step L fwd 6.00

**Enjoy**