

Country Strong

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Count: 40

Wall: 4

Level: Intermediate

Choreographer: Tim Gauci , Broken Hill, NSW, Australia (July 2014) v.1

Music: A Little Bit Stronger - Sara Evans. Album: Stronger (5:03)

Begin dance on lyrics 16 beats in,

Sequence - 24*, 32, 40, Tag, 24*, 40, Tag, 36***, 40, Tag, Bonus Hips, 40**

[1-8] SIDE, BEHIND, ¼, FWD, ROCK, ¼, SIDE, ¼ BACK, TOG, FWD, FWD, ½

12&34& Step L to L dragging R towards L, step R behind L, making ¼ turn L step L fwd (&), step R fwd, rock weight back onto L, making ¼ turn R step R tog (&) 12.00

56&78& Step L to L sweeping R from front to back, making ¼ turn R step R back, step L tog (&), step R fwd, step L fwd, making ½ turn L step R back (&) 9.00

[9-16] ½, STEP, PIVOT, STEP, ½, ½, STEP, SWEEP, STEP, SWEEP, CROSS, SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE

12&34& Making ½ turn L step L fwd, step R fwd, pivot ½ turn L (&), step R fwd, making ½ turn R step L back, making ½ turn R step R fwd 9.00

567&8& Step L fwd, sweep R from back to front, step R fwd, sweep L from back to front, step L over R, step R to R (&), step L behind R, step R to R (&) 9.00

[17-24] FWD, ROCK, ½, ½, ½ HITCH, FWD, TOG, FWD, ROCK, ½, SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE

12&3&4& Making 45deg turn to R (10.30) step L fwd, rock weight back onto R, making ½ turn L step L fwd (4.30), making ½ turn L step R back (10:30), hitch L knee making ½ turn to L (&), step L fwd, step R tog (&) 4.30

56&78& Step L fwd, rock weight back onto R, making ½ turn L step L fwd (&), making 45deg turn L (straightening up to 9.00 wall) step R to R dragging L towards R, step L behind R, step R to R (&)* 9.00

[25-32] CROSS, ROCK, SIDE, CROSS, ROCK, SIDE, STEP, PIVOT, STEP, STEP, PIVOT, STEP

12&34& Cross L over R, rock weight back onto R, step L to L (&), cross R over L, rock weight back onto L, step R to R (&)

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

[33-40] FWD, TOG, BACK, BACK, TOG, FWD, TOUCH, SIDE, TOG, CROSS, SIDE, TOG, CROSS

- 1&23&4&** Step L fwd, step R tog (&), step L back, step R back, step L tog (&), step R fwd, touch L tog (&)***
- 56&78&** Step L to L dragging R towards L, step R tog, cross L over R, step R to R dragging L towards R, step L tog, cross R over L

[40] Beats Repeat dance in new direction

TAG: 12 beat Tag

- 12&34&** Step L to L dragging R towards L, step R behind L, making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn L step L fwd (&), step R fwd, rock weight back onto L, making $\frac{1}{2}$ turn R step R fwd (&)
- 56&78&** Making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn R step L to L dragging R towards L, step R behind L, making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn L step L fwd (&), step R fwd, rock weight back onto L, making $\frac{1}{2}$ turn R step R tog (&)
- 12&34&** Making $\frac{1}{4}$ turn R step L to L dragging R towards L, step R back, rock weight fwd onto L (&), step R to R dragging L towards R, step L back, rock weight fwd onto R (&)

Bonus Hips!

- 1234** Sway hips LRLR

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Enjoy

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