Southern Thing



Count: 64 Wall: 2 Level: Intermediate

Choreographer: Rob Fowler and Darren Bailey – March 2017

Music: Ain't Just a Southern Thing by Alan Jackson



Intro: 16 Counts from the heavy beat, Approx 8 secs

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S1: Stomp, Toe Fan, Toe, Heel, Cross, Hold	
1-2	Stomp RF forward, Fan toes to the R
3-4	Fan toes to the L, Fan toes to the R (finish with weight on RF)
5-6	Touch toes of LF in towards RF, Touch heel of LF next to RF
7-8	Cross LF over RF, Hold
S2: Back, Side, Cross, Scuff, L Shuffle forwards	
1-2	Step back on RF, Step LF to L side
3-4	Step forward on RF, Scuff LF forward
5-6	Step forward on LF, Close RF next to LF
7-8	Step forward on LF, Hold
S3: Pivot ½ turn L, ¾ turn R,	
1-2	Step forward on RF, Make a 1 /2 turn pivot L
3-4	Step forward on RF, Hold
5-6	Make a ½ turn R and step back on LF, Make a ¼ turn R step RF to R side
7-8	Cross LF in front of RF, Hold (Now facing 3:00)
S4: Figure of 8, ¼ turn L	
1-2	Step RF to R side, Cross LF behind RF
3-4	Make a ¼ turn R and step forward on RF, Step forward on LF
5-6	Make a ½ turn Pivot R, Make a ¼ turn R and step LF to L side
7-8	Cross RF behind LF, Make a ¼ turn L and step forward on LF (Now facing 12:00)
Restart here durin	g wall 4 facing 6:00
S5: Scuff R, Step f	orward, Flick, Step back, Hitch, Step back, Heel, Step
1-2	Scuff RF forward, Step forward onto RF
3-4	Flick LF behind R knee, Step back on LF
5-6	Hitch R knee, Step back on RF
7-8	Touch L heel forward, Step onto LF
S6: Touch, Hold, Heel jack, Step, Touch, Heel jack, Step, Close, Stomp x2	
1-2	Touch RF behind LF, Hold
&3-4	Step back on RF, Touch L heel forward, Hold
&5&6	Step onto LF, Touch RF behind LF, Step back on RF, Touch L heel forward
&7-8	Step onto LF, Stomp RF next to LF (weight on LF), Stomp RF next to LF (weight on LF)
S7: R Vine, Touch, L Vine, ¼ turn L, Scuff R	
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Step RF to R side, Cross LF behind RF

Step RF to R side, Touch LF next to RF

Step LF to L side, Cross RF behind LF

Make a ¼ turn L and step forward on LF, Scuff RF forward (Now facing 9:00)

1-2

3-4 5-6

7-8

S8: Step, Twist out, Twist In, Kick, Back Lock L, Step Side L with 1/4 turn L

1-2 Step forward on RF, Twist R heel to R,
3-4 Return R heel to centre, Kick RF forward
5-6 Step back on RF, Cross LF in front of RF

7-8 Step back on RF, Make a ¼ turn L and step LF to L side (Now facing 6:00)

Tag: add the following 4 counts at the end of wall 1

1-2 Rock Forward on RF, Recover onto LF3-4 Touch RF next to LF, Clap hands

Hope you enjoy the dance.

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