

# **ROCKING AROUND THE CHRISTMAS TREE**

Choreographed by Hsiu-Fang Liu (Dec. 2007)

Description: Phrased, 1 wall, beginner/intermediate east coast swing line dance

Music: Rockin' Around The Christmas Tree by Brenda Lee

**Sequence:** A A B A A A B A ENDING

## **PART A**

### **TOUCH, KICK, RIGHT CHASSE, TOUCH, KICK, LEFT CHASSE**

1-2 Touch right foot next to left foot, soft kick right foot diagonally forward

3&4 Chasse right foot to right

5-6 Touch left foot next to right foot, soft kick left foot diagonally forward

7&8 Chasse left foot to left

### **ROCK FORWARD, ROCK BACKWARD, PADDLE ½ TURN LEFT**

1-2 Rock right foot forward, recover on left foot

3-4 Rock right foot backward, recover on left foot

5-6 Touch right foot forward, make ¼ turn left on left foot

7-8 Touch right foot forward, make ¼ turn left on left foot (6:00)

### **STEP, CROSS, AND, CROSS, STEP (TO RIGHT) STEP, CROSS, AND, CROSS, STEP (TO LEFT)**

1-2 Step right foot to right, cross left foot behind right foot

&3-4 Step right foot next to left foot, cross left foot over right foot, step right foot to right

5-6 Step left foot to left, cross right foot behind left foot

&7-8 Step left foot next to right foot, cross right foot over left foot, step left foot to left

### **STEP, SHIMMY, STEP, CROSS, UNWIND ½ LEFT**

1-2 Step right foot to right and shimmy

3-4 Step left foot next to right foot

5-6 Cross right foot over left foot

7-8 Unwind ½ turn left (12:00)

## **PART B**

### **WEAVE RIGHT, BIG STEP, DRAG, TOUCH**

1-2 Step right foot to right, cross left foot behind right foot

3-4 Step right foot to right, cross left foot over right foot

5 Right foot big step to right

6-7 Drag left foot towards right foot

8 Touch left foot beside right foot

### **WEAVE LEFT, BIG STEP, DRAG, TOUCH**

1-2 Step left foot to left, cross right foot behind left foot

3-4 Step left foot to left, cross right foot over left foot

5 Left foot big step to left

6-7 Drag right foot towards left foot

8 Touch right foot beside left foot

### **SKATE FORWARD**

- 1-2Skate right foot forward
- 3-4Skate left foot forward
- 5-6Skate faster forward on right foot, left foot
- 7-8Right foot, left foot

### **JUMP FORWARD, JUMP BACKWARD, JAZZ BOX CROSS**

- 1-2Jump both feet forward
- 3-4Jump both feet backward
- 5-6Cross right foot over left foot, step left foot in place
- 7-8 Step right foot to right, cross left foot over right foot

### **ENDING**

#### **CROSS, STEP, STEP, FORWARD**

- 1-2Cross right foot over left foot, hold
- 3-4Step left foot diagonally back to left, hold
- 5-6Step right foot to right, hold
- 7-8 Step left foot forward, hold

#### **CROSS, STEP, STEP, FORWARD, CROSS, STEP, STEP, TOUCH**

- 1-2Cross right foot over left foot, step left foot diagonally back to left
- 3-4Step right foot to right, step left foot forward
- 5-6Cross right foot over left foot, step left foot diagonally back to left
- 7-8Step right foot to right, touch left foot behind right foot and raise both arms up in a "V" shape