

MERCY

Choreographed by Amy Christian (August 2012)

4 Wall, Improver/Easy Intermediate Level.

Music: Mercy by Duffy. Intro: 48 count. (A dance to introduce Restarts to dancers).

*You only dance the whole dance, 64 counts on 2 walls. On Wall 1 and Wall 3. Read notes below.

SIDE ROCK, BACK ROCK, STEP, PIVOT $\frac{1}{4}$ HITCH, STPE HITCH, 1st Eight.
1-4 Step R foot to right side, Recover on L, Rock back on R, Recover on L,
5-8 Step forward on R, $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left, Hitching L foot, Step down on L and Hitch R foot,

SIDE ROCK, BACK ROCK, STEP, PIVOT $\frac{1}{4}$ HITCH, STPE HITCH, 2nd Eight.
1-4 Step R foot to right side, Recover on L, Rock back on R, Recover on L,
5-8 Step forward on R, $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left, Hitching L foot, Step down on L and Hitch R foot,

STEP & SHIMMY, STEP, HOLD, STEP & SHIMMY, STEP, HOLD, 3rd Eight.
1-2 Step R foot to right side with bent knees and Shimmy shoulders,
3-4 Step L next to R, straightening up, Hold,
5-6 Step R foot to right side with bent knees and Shimmy shoulders,
7-8 Step L next to R, straightening up, Hold,

ROCKING CHAIR, WALK FORWARD, HOLD, WALK FORWARD, HOLD 4th Eight.
1-4 Rock forward on R, Recover on L, Rock back on R, Recover on L,
5-8 SLOW & SEXY WALKS - Step fwd on R, Hold, Step fwd on L, Hold,

STEP, PIVOT $\frac{1}{2}$, HOLD, STEP, PIVOT $\frac{1}{2}$, HOLD, 5th Eight.
1-4 Step forward on R, Pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn left on L, Step forward on R, Hold,
5-8 Step forward on L, Pivot $\frac{1}{2}$ turn right on R, Step forward on L, Hold,

SIDE, RECOVER, CROSS SHUFFLE, SIDE RECOVER, CROSS SHUFFLE, 6th Eight
1-2 Step R to right side, Recover on L,
3&4 Cross R over L, Step on ball of L to left side, Cross R over L,
5-6 Step L to left side, Recover on R,
7&8 Cross L over R, Step on ball of R to right side, Cross L over R,

VINE RIGHT, $\frac{1}{4}$ VINE LEFT, 7th Eight.
1-4 Step R to right side, Step L behind R, Step R to right side, Touch L next to R,
5-8 Step L to left side, Step R behind L, $\frac{1}{4}$ turn left, Stepping L foot fwd, Touch R next to L,

OUT, OUT, IN, IN, JAZZ BOX, 8th Eight.
1-4 Step R foot out to right side, Step L foot out to left side, Step R foot in, Step L foot next to R,
5-8 Cross R over L, Step L back, Step R to R side, Step L next to R,
Begin again!

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RESTARTS - Sequence – 64, 48, 64, 48, 40, 48, 32. The restarts happens,..

On Wall 2 - After the Cross shuffle, 48 counts. (End of 6th Eight)

On Wall 4 – After the Cross shuffle , 48 counts.

On Wall 5 - After the Step, Pivot 1/2, Hold, 40 counts. (End of 5th Eight).

On Wall 6 –After the Cross shuffle, 48 counts.

On Wall 7 – After the Cross shuffles 48 counts.

On Wall 8 – Your LAST wall, the music will start to fade on the Slow Walks with the Hold s at count 32. To end, keep doing those slow sexy walks as you walk off the floor.

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