

Mini Mariana

32 count, 4 wall, beginner level
Choreographer: Jan Welsh (Scotland) Sept 2004
Choreographed to: Mariana Mambo by Chayanne,
Album: Simplemente
32 count intro

WALK, HOLD, WALK, HOLD, FORWARD MAMBO STEP, HOLD

1 - 2 Step right foot forward, hold
3 - 4 step left foot forward, hold
5 - 6 Rock forward on to right foot, recover weight on to left foot in place
7 - 8 step right foot back, hold

BACK, HOLD, BACK, HOLD, BACKWARD MAMBO STEP, HOLD

9 -10 Step left foot back, hold
11 -12 step right foot back, hold
13 -14 Rock back on to left foot, recover weight on to right foot in place
15 -16 step left foot forward, hold

RIGHT SIDE ROCK CROSS, HOLD, LEFT SIDE ROCK CROSS, HOLD

17 -18 Rock right foot to the side, recover weight on to left foot in place
19 -20 cross step right foot over left foot, hold
21 -22 Rock left foot to the side, recover weight on to right foot in place
23 -24 cross step left foot over right foot, hold

COASTER ¼ TURN LEFT, HOLD, ½ PIVOT TURN RIGHT, STEP, HOLD

25 - 26 Step right foot back making ¼ turn left, close left foot next to right foot
27 - 28 step right foot forward, hold
29 - 30 Step left foot forward, pivot ½ turn right
31 - 32 step left foot forward, hold

Choreographer's Note:

Kate Sala's Mariana Mambo is such a great dance to a great track. The beginner's in my classes keep asking what they can dance to it so I thought I'd choreographer this beginner dance to split the floor.