

I Want It That Way AB

Count: 32

Wall: 4

Level: Absolute Beginner

Choreographer: Annemaree Sleeth (AUS) - October 2021

Music: I Want It That Way - Backstreet Boys : (Album: Millenium)

or: Islands in the Stream - Dolly Parton & Kenny Rogers



Note I have written this for the students at Sherbrooke U3a Melbourne Australia.

Alternative Music: Islands In The Stream By Dolly Parton Dance Through Restart

BEGINS AFTER There'll Be approximate 26 seconds in

Note I count the first 32 counts to the beat with my class but you can begin **EARLIER**

S 1 (1 - 8) WALK FORWARD 3, TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH, FORWARD TOUCH (Charleston's)

- 1-2 Step Right Forward, Step Left Forward
- 3-4 Step Right Forward, Touch Left Forward
- 5-6 Step Left Back, Touch Right Behind Left
- 7-8 Step Right Forward, Touch Left Forward

S 2 (9 - 16) WALK BACK 3, TOUCH, FORWARD TOUCH, BACK, TOUCH (Charlestons)

- 1-2 Step Left Back Step Right Back
- 3-4 Step Left Back, Touch Right Behind Left
- 5-6 Step Right Forward, Touch Left Forward
- 7-8 Step Left Back, Touch Right Beside Left

S 3 (17 -24) VINE, TOUCH, VINE ¼ , TOUCH

- 1-2 Step Right Side, Cross Left Slightly Behind Right
- 3-4 Step Right Side, Touch Left Beside Right
- 5-6 Step Left Side, Cross Right Behind Left
- 7-8 Turn ¼ L Step Left Forward, ouch Right Beside Left (9.00)

S 4 (25-32) OUT HOLD, OUT HOLD, BACK 4

- 1-2 Step Right Side, Hold
- 3-4 Step Left Out Side, Hold (Arm Movements)
- 5-6 Step Right Back, Step Left Back,
- 7-8 Step Right Back, Step Left Beside Right

Styling Options

On Count 1 As Right Foot Goes Out, Right Hand In Towards Body

On Count 2 Bring Right Hand Across Face/ Up Above Your Head Draw a C From Bottom to top

On Count 3 As Left Foot Goes Out, Left Hand In Towards Body

On Count 4 Bring Left Arm In An Arch and Out to Side/ Up Above Your Head Draw A Reverse C With Arms Bottom To Top (Watch video)

On Counts 5678 Rolling Both Arms Or Push Out To The Sides As Moving Back

I Usually Write An Ending But It Depends Where You Begin

Facing 9.00 Dance First 4 Counts Then Walk Back 3 Turn ¼ Right

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