

MENTIRAS

Choreographed by Jos Slijpen (2008)

32 count intermediate Partner dance

Music: Mentiras by Texas Tornados, 103 bpm

CD: Greatest Hits

Intro: 40 counts

Start in Sweetheart position. Steps for both partners are the same, unless otherwise stated.

4X FORWARD SHUFFLE RIGHT-LEFT-RIGHT-LEFT

1&2 Forward step Right, step Left together, forward step Right

3&4 Forward step Left, step Right together, forward step Left

Release left hands, raise right hands

MAN

5&6 Forward step Right, step Left together, forward step Right

7&8 Forward step Left, step Right together, forward step Left

LADY

5&6 Shuffle ½ turn left stepping Right-Left-Right

7&8 Shuffle ½ turn left stepping Left-Right-Left

Release right hands and connect (and raise) left hands

STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN LEFT, FORWARD SHUFFLE RIGHT, STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN RIGHT, FORWARD SHUFFLE LEFT

1 Step forward Right

2 Pivot ½ turn left

Come back in Sweetheart position

3&4 Step forward Right, step Left together, step forward Right

Release left hands, raise right hands

5 Step forward Left

6 Pivot ½ turn right

Come back in Sweetheart position

7&8 Step forward Left, step Right together, step forward Left

¼ TURN RIGHT, HITCH, SIDE SHUFFLE WITH ¼ TURN LEFT, ¼ TURN LEFT WITH SWAYS, SIDE SHUFFLE RIGHT WITH ¼ TURN RIGHT

1 Step forward Right with ¼ turn right

Partners are in shadow position

2 Hitch Left

3&4 Step Left to left side, step Right together, ¼ turn left stepping forward Left

Release right hands

5 Make ¼ turn left stepping Right to right side and sway right

Lady picks up mans' right hand

6 Sway left

Release left hands

7&8 Step Right to right side, step Left together, ¼ turn right stepping forward Right

WALK, WALK, SHUFFLE, STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN LEFT, STEP, PIVOT ½ TURN LEFT

Release left hands

MAN

1-2 Forward step Left, forward step Right

LADY

1-2 ½ turn right stepping back on Left, ½ turn right stepping forward on Right

Come back in Sweetheart position

3&4 Step forward Left, step Right together, step forward Left

5 Step forward Right

Release right hands

6 Pivot ½ turn left

7 Step forward Right

8 Pivot ½ turn left

Come back in Sweetheart position

Start again

Tag:

It is recommended to do the following tag after you danced this dance 5 times (*at the end of instrumental section*):

CROSS ROCK, RECOVER, CHASSE RIGHT, CROSS ROCK, RECOVER, CHASSE LEFT

1 Cross rock Right over Left, recover weight on Left

3&4 Step Right to right side, step Left together, step Right to right side

5 Cross rock Left over Right, recover weight on Right

7&8 Step Left to left side, Step Right together, step Left to left side