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Don't Stop (Mama Se)

32 count, 4 wall, improver level Choreographer: Barry Durand & Lilia Medina (USA) Jan 2008 Choreographed to: Don't Stop The Music by Rihanna,CD: Good Girl Gone Bad

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## WIZARD STEPS, DRAG, SYNCOPATED WEAVE

1-2&3 Step diagonal forward right, cross left behind, forward right, diagonal forward left

- 4&5 Cross right behind, forward left, big side step right
- 6&7&8 Hold, behind left, side right, in front left, side right with 1/8 turn right

Easier option: don't do the syncopated weave, just hold 6, cross behind left, side right

## **CROSS ROCKS TURNING SAILOR**

- 1-2-3&4 Turning 1/8 turn right forward left and rock, recover right,
  - sailor turning 1/2 turn to left by hooking left behind right, turning to left stepping on right, finish half turn by stepping on left
- 5-6-7&8 Forward right and rock, recover left, sailor turning ½ turn to right by hooking right behind left, turning to right stepping on left, finish half turn by stepping on right

Easier option: just don't do the turning sailor. It can either be a half turning shuffle or rock recover coaster 2 times and it all ends up in the same place

## **PIVOT TURN SHUFFLE, SIDE ROCK VINE**

1-2-3&4 Pivot turn (stationary) by stepping forward left, turn 1/2 turn to right stepping on right,

- shuffle forward left-right-left by stepping forward left, together right, forward left
- 5-6-7&8 Rock to side right, recover left, vine left by crossing behind right, side left, cross in front right

## HIP WALKS, FAST MAMBO WITH TURN

- 1-2 Step forward diagonal left with left hip going to side,
- step forward diagonal right with right hip going to side
- 3&4& Syncopated mambo step with quarter turn by rocking forward left, recover right, rock back left, turn ¼ turn to right as you recover right
- 5&6& Syncopated mambo step with quarter turn by rocking forward left, recover right, rock back left, turn ¼ turn to right as you recover right
- 7&8 Syncopated mambo step by rocking forward left, recover right, rock back left and get ready to start over
- Easier option: replace syncopated mambo with paddle turns by rocking forward left, recover right with ¼ turn right. Do that 2 times and last one do a forward left touch right

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