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Amor A La Mexicana

32 Count, 4 Wall, Improver Choreographer: Jos Slijpen (NL) May 2009 Choreographed to: Amor A La Mexicana by Thalia,

CD: Greatest Hits (90 bpm)

Intro: 44 counts (appr. 30 sec.)
Note: use many CUBAN HIPS and only SMALL STEPS during this dance!!! Just give it a Latin feel.

1&2 3&4 5&6 7&8	RIGHT BACK MAMBO, LEFT FORWARD SHUFFLE, RIGHT FORWARD MAMBO, LEFT BACK SHUFFLE Rock back on right, recover weight on left, step together right Step forward on left, step together right, step forward on left Rock forward on right, recover weight on left, step together right Step back on left, step together right, step back on left [12]
	RIGHT BACK MAMBO, LEFT SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, CROSS, TRIPLE STEP 3/4 TURN LEFT,
1&2 3&4 5&6 7&8	Rock back on right, recover weight on left, step together right Rock left out to left side, recover weight on right, cross step left over right Make 1/4 turn left stepping back on right, make 1/4 turn left stepping forward on left, make 1/4 turn left stepping right slightly to right side Rock back on left, recover weight on right, step together left [3]
	CROSS SAMBA (RIGHT & LEFT) – travelling forward, CROSS, UNWIND FULL TURN LEFT, SWEEP, SAILOR STEP
1&2 3&4 5&6 7&8	Cross step right forward over left, step left to left side, step right slightly forward Cross step left forward over right, step right to right side, step left slightly forward Cross step right over left, unwind full turn left, sweep left from front to back Step left behind right, step right to right side, step left to left side [3]
	LEFT DIAGONAL FORWARD STEP-LOCK-STEP, SWEEP, RIGHT DIAGONAL FORWARD STEP-LOCK-STEP, 3/8 TURN LEFT, 1/2 TURN LEFT, FORWARD STEP RIGHT, LEFT FORWARD MAMBO
1&2	Turning towards left diagonal cross step right over left, lock left behind right, step right to left diagonal forward [facing 1.30 o'clock]
& 3&4 5&6	Turning towards right diagonal sweep left around from back to front Cross step left over right, lock right behind left, step left to right diagonal forward [facing 4.30 o'clock] Turning 3/8 left step back on right (facing 12 o'clock), make 1/2 turn left stepping forward on left, step forward right [3]
7&8	Rock forward on left, recover weight on right, step together left
TAG:	At the end of walls 1 and 5 add the follwing 8 counts: RIGHT SIDE MAMBO, LEFT SIDE MAMBO, RIGHT FORWARD MAMBO, LEFT BACK MAMBO
1&2 3&4 5&6 7&8	Rock right out to right side, recover weight on left, step together right Rock left out to left side, recover weight on right, step together left Rock forward on right, recover weight on left, step together right Rock back on left, recover weight on right, step together left
FINISH:	When the music is coming to its end you'll be facing 6 o'clock wall. Just do the first 6 counts of the dance and ADD a sailor step 1/2 turn left (counts 7&8) to finish the dance facing 12 o'clock wall.