

California Country for Two



Count: 32 count
Level: Beginner
Type: Partner dance
Choreographer: California Country line dance by Wanda Heldt –
Adapted as a partner dance by John and Freida Utzig
Music: California Country by The Moonshine Bandits (100 bpm, 16 count intro)
Taught by: Skippi Mitchell – 9/23/14

Position: Sweetheart, same footwork, keep hands joined throughout

[1-8] CHARLESTON R, SHUFFLE FWD R, STEP L, ¼ TURN R, CROSS

1-4 Touch R fwd, step R back, touch L back, step L fwd
5&6 Shuffle fwd RLR
7&8 Step L fwd, turn ¼ R, cross L over R into Tandem position facing OLOD

[9-16] R SIDE TOUCHES, R SAILOR, L SIDE TOUCHES, L SAILOR w/ ¼ TURN L

1&2 Touch R side, touch R together, touch R side
3&4 R sailor step: R behind L, step L side, step R in place
5&6 Touch L side, touch L together, touch L side
7&8 L sailor step: L behind R w/ ¼ turn L, step R side, step L in place
Partners resume Sweetheart position facing LOD

[17-24] R STEP, LOCK, STEP-LOCK-STEP; REPEAT ON L

1-2 Step fwd R angling R, lock L behind R
3&4 Step-lock shuffle fwd RLR
5-6 Step fwd L angling L, lock R behind L
7&8 Step-lock shuffle fwd LRL

[25-32] STEP R SIDE, DRAG L, SHUFFLE BACK; STEP L SIDE, DRAG R, SHUFFLE FWD

1-2 Step R to side, drag L together w/ weight on L
3&4 Shuffle back RLR
5-6 Step L to side, drag R together w/ weight on R
7&8 Shuffle fwd LRL