I STARTED A JOKE

Choreographed by Frank Trace

32 count, 2 .wall, Improver Line Dance

Music: "I Started A Joke" by Pet Shop Boys Available on amazon and itunes Intro: Start after 24 counts on vocal.

CROSS ROCK, RECOVER, SIDE SHUFFLE, CROSS, 1/4 TURN LEFT, TRIPLE 3/4

- 1-2 Cross rock R over L, recover onto L
- 3&4 Side shuffle right stepping R, L, R
- 5-6 Cross step L over R, turn 1/4 left and step back on R
- 7&8 Triple step making a ³/₄ turn left stepping L, R, L (12:00)

Easier option:

- 5-6 Cross step L over R, step R to right side
- 7&8 Step L behind R, step R to side, cross step L over R

SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, CROSS SHUFFLE, RIGHT HINGE TURN 1/4, 1/4, SHUFFLE FORWARD

- 1-2 Rock R to right side, recover onto L
- 3&4 Cross shuffle R over L stepping R, L, R
- 5-6 Step back on L turning ¼ right, step R to right side turning ¼ right (6:00)
- 7&8 Shuffle forward stepping L, R, L

STEP FORWARD DIAGONALLY RIGHT, TOUCH, SIDE SHUFFLE DIAGONAL, STEP BACK DIAGONALLY RIGHT, TOUCH, SHUFFLE FORWARD

- 1-2 Step R diagonally forward right, touch L next to R (11:00)
- 3&4 Side shuffle left at a diagonal, stepping L, R, L (11:00)
- 5-6 Step R back at a diagonal right, touch L next to R (1:00)
- 7&8 Shuffle forward stepping L, R, L as you square up with back wall (6:00)

ROCK, RECOVER, TRIPLE 1/2 TURN, PIVOT 1/2, SHUFFLE DIAGONALLY LEFT

- 1-2 Rock R forward, recover onto L
- 3&4 Triple step turning ½ right stepping R, L, R (12:00)
- 5-6 Step L forward, pivot ½ turn right
- 7&8 Shuffle forward at a diagonal left, stepping L, R, L (11:00)

REPEAT

TAG: On second wall, do first 24 counts then add tag and restart dance facing 12:00.

ROCKING CHAIR

1-4 Rock forward on R, recover on L, rock back on R, recover on L

^{*} TAG with RESTART: Happens here on second wall facing 12:00.