

ChaMaica Mambo

Choreographed by Diane Jackson Arjjaze Country Western Dancers
Description 64 count partner dance. Start in closed western Man facing OLOD.
Opposite footwork unless stated. Mans steps listed
Music How'd I wind up in Jamaica – Tray Byrd CD The Truth About Men

MAMBO X 2

- 1&2 Rock forward on left, back on right, step left next to right [*lady rocks back on right*]
3&4 Rock back on right, forward on left, step right next to left [*lady rocks forward on left*]

[BOTH] ROCK & CROSS X 2

- 5&6 Rock left to side left, recover onto right, cross left over right
7&8 Rock right to right side, recover onto left, cross right over left

SIDE SHUFFLE, ½ TURN SHUFFLE, ¼ TURN SHUFFLE, FORWARD SHUFFLE

- 9&10 Step left to left side, right next to left, left to left side
Pivoting on the ball of left foot turn ½ turn away from each other [man turns Right, lady turns Left]
ending back to back, continuing to shuffle up LOD
11&12 Step right to right side, left next to right, right to right side
13&14 Turn ¼ into LOD shuffle forward left, right, left
15&16 Forward shuffle, right, left, right [*end holding inside hands*]

SIDE ROCK, CROSS SHUFFLE X 2 [cross shuffle behind the lady, releasing hands]

- 17-18 Rock left to left side, recover onto right
19&20 Cross left over right, right to right side, cross left over right
21-22 Rock right to right side, recover onto left
23&24 Cross right over left, left to left side, cross right over left [*end holding inside hands*]

ROCK STEP, COASTER STEP X 2

- 25-26 Rock forward on left, back on right
27&28 Step back on left, step right next to left, step forward on left
29-30 Rock forward on right, back on left
31&32 Step back on right, step left next to right, step forward on right

SIDE ROCK TRIPLE IN PLACE. [LADY TRIPLE INTO WRAP]

- 33-34 Rock left to left side, recover onto right
35&36 Triple left, right, left in place
Lady- Turn a full turn left [RLR] into side by side wrap, right arm on top

[BOTH] FORWARD MAMBO, BACKWARD MAMBO

- 37&38 Rock forward on right, back on left, step right next to left
39&40 Rock back on left, forward on right, step left next to right

MAN-ROCK STEP, TRIPLE IN PLACE. [LADY- STEP PIVOT, TRIPLE INTO HAMMERLOCK]

- 41-42 **Man-** rock forward on right, back on left. **Lady-**step forward on left, pivot ½ turn right
RLOD [raise right arm]
43&44 **Man** triple in place RLR, **Lady-**triple a full turn right LRL into
hammerlock [left arm behind back]

MAMBO X 2

- 45&46 Rock forward on left, back on right, step left next to right [*lady rocks back on right*]
47&48 Rock back on right, forward on left, step right next to left [*lady rocks forward on left*]

MAN-CROSS, SIDE, TRIPLE IN PLACE LADY- WALK WALK SHUFFLE

- 49-50 **Man-** step left over right, right to right side,
51&52 Triple in place LRL
Lady-release left hand, raise right, walk forward right, left behind man turning ½ turn right into LOD as you
Shuffle forward next to man RLR. ***Now holding inside hands in left side by side***

MAN-, BEHIND SIDE, TRIPLE ¼ TURN. LADY- CROSS, SIDE TRIPLE ¼ TURN

- 53-54 **Man-** step right behind left, left to left side, [raising left arm over lady's head]
55&56 Turning ¼ turn right triple RLR in place. Now facing OLOD in double hand hold
Lady-Step left over right, step right to right side turning ¼ turn left triple LRL to face ILOD opposite man

SIDE ROCK CROSS SHUFFLE X 2

- 57-58 Rock left to left side, recover onto right
59&60 Cross left over right, right to right side, cross left over right
61-62 Rock right to right side, recover onto left [rejoin into closed western]
63&64 Cross right over left, left to left side, cross right over left

Start again