

# Rumba Maria

Choreographed by: Mary Chan & SM Loh, Malaysia (July 10)

Music: **Yo Te Amo Maria** by **Andy Tielman & The Tielman Brothers**

Descriptions: 32 count - 4 wall - Beginner/Intermediate level line dance

Video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3qpFODuMSHI>

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Intro: Start after 18 counts on vocal

**Sec 1**      **½ Rumba Box, Step Forward, Recover, ½ Turn Right**

- 1-2      Step left to left, step right beside left
- 3-4      Step left forward hold
- 5-6      Step right forward, recover on left
- 7-8      ½ turn right, step right forward hold **(6.00)**

**Sec 2**      **Side, Cross, Tog, Kick Right Diag., Side Cross, Tog, Kick ¼ Left**

- 1-2      Step left to left, cross right over left
- 3-4      Step left beside right, kick right towards diagonally right
- 5-6      Step right to right, cross left over right
- 7-8      Step right beside left, left kick diagonally left, turning ¼ left **(3.00)**

**Sec 3**      **Step, Touch, Back Step, ½ Turn, Step Touch, Back Step ½ Turn**

- 1-2      Step forward left, tap right behind left
- 3-4      Step back on right, make a ½ turn left stepping left forward **(9.00)**
- 5-6      Step right forward, tap left behind right
- 7-8      Step back on left, make a ½ turn right stepping right forward **(3.00)\*\***

**Sec 4**      **Step, Slide, Step, Slide, Sway x4**

- 1-2      Step left to left, slide right beside left
- 3-4      Step right to right, slide left beside right
- 5-6      Sway left and right
- 7-8      Sway left and right

**\*\*ENDING:** At the last 2 counts of section 3, step back on left, make ¼ turn right and step right beside left then "continue section 4" facing front wall.