# **UP DOWN**

Phrased 4 wall Advanced Dance

Choreographed by Debbie McLaughlin (UK) & Joey Warren (USA) - Sept 09

Choreographed to "Up Down" By Jessica Mauboy

Count in: 8 counts after beat comes in on lyrics

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## **Sequence – ABCDABCCDDEEEECCDDDDC (Don't be scared!!)**

#### **PART A**

## Step Knee Knee, Drag and Cross, 1/4, 1/2, Out Out and Step

1&2 Step R to R, Pop R knee in, Pop R knee out (taking weight)

3&4 Drag L to R, Step down on L, Cross R over L

5 – 6 Make ¼ turn R stepping back on L, Make ½ turn R stepping fwd R

&7&8 Step L out to L, Step R out to R, Step L to centre, Step fwd on R

## And Back Drag, and Turn and Touch, Step Step, 1/4 and Step

&1-2 Hitch L knee up, Step back on L, Drag R back

&3&4 Step back on R, Make 1/2 turn L stepping fwd L, Step R to R, Touch L behind R

5 – 6 Step L out to L, Step R out to R

7&8 Make 1/4 L stepping L fwd, Step R to L, Step fwd on L

# Out Out, Hold, Toe Heel Toe, Tap and Tap and Big Step Forward

&1-2 Make  $\frac{1}{2}$  L stepping R to R, step L to L, Hold

3&4 Swivel R toe in towards L, Swivel R heel in, Swivel R toe to centre

5&6& Tap R toe fwd, Step R beside L, Tap L toe fwd, Step L beside R

7 – 8 Make big step fwd on R, Step L next to R

# Mambo Step, Mambo Step, Cross Back Side, Touch Touch

1&2 Rock R to R, Recover weight to L, Step R beside L

3&4 Rock L to L, Recover weight to R, Step L beside R

5-6-7 Cross R over L, Step back on L, Step R to R

& 8 Touch L next to R, Touch L to L

#### **PART B**

# Cross and Step, Cross and Step, Cross and Step

1&2 Cross L over R, Rock R out to R, Recover weight to L

3&4 Cross R over L, Rock L out to L, Recover weight to R

5&6 Cross L over R, Rock R out to R, Recover weight to L

7&8 Cross R over L, Rock L out to L, Recover weight to R

(Please note you should be travelling forward on these steps)

## Cross Rock Step, Cross Rock Step, Tap and Tap and Kick Knees Together

- 1&2 Cross rock L over R, Recover weight back on R, Step L to L
- 3&4 Cross rock R over L, Recover weight back on L, Step R to R
- 5&6& Tap L fwd, Step back on L, Tap R fwd, Step back on R
- 7&8 Kick L fwd, Step L in place popping both knees fwd, Straighten up weight L

#### **PART C**

## Step Swivel Swivel, Knee Pops, and Touch x4, Full Turn

- 1&2 Step R to R, Swivel R heel out, Swivel back to centre
- &3&4 Pop both knees fwd, Straighten knees weight R, Step L beside R, Touch R to R
- &5&6 Step R beside L, Touch L to L, Step L beside R, Touch R heel fwd
- &7-8 Step R beside L, Touch L toe back, Make full turn L hitching L knee up

## **And Step Touch, Step Touch, Step Touch**

- &1-2 Step down on L, Step R to R diagonal, Tap L next to R
- 3 4 Step L to L diagonal, Tap R next to L
- 5 6 Step R to R diagonal, Tap L next to R
- 7 8 Step L to L diagonal, Tap R next to L

## Heel and Heel, 1/4 Hitch Touch, Touch Step, Step Half Turn

- 1&2& Touch R heel fwd, Step R beside L, Touch L heel fwd, Step L next to R
- 3&4 Make ¼ turn R hitching R knee, Step back on R, Touch L toe back
- 5 6 Touch L toe fwd, Step L back
- 7&8 Step back on R, Make ½ turn L stepping fwd L, Step R slightly out to R

## Punch Punch Together, Tilt Centre Turn, Tilt Centre, Punch Punch Down

- 1&2 Step L to L diagonal whilst punching L arm fwd, Step R to R diagonal whilst punching R arm fwd (both arms should be raised), Bend both arms at elbow and bring them in to chest level (fists facing each other)
- &3-4 Keeping fists together tilt L elbow down and R elbow up, Tilt arms back to centre (prepping to turn L), Make ½ turn L stepping L to L (keep arms up)
- 5&6& Keeping fists together tilt L elbow down and R elbow up, Tilt arms back to centre, Punch R arm fwd, Punch L arm fwd
- 7&8 Drop arms down to sides, Hitch L knee up, Step down on L

#### **PART D**

# Back and Back, Back and Back, Step Step, Turn Out Together

- 1&2 Step back on R slightly raising L knee, Step down on ball of L, Step back on R slightly raising L knee
- 3&4 Step back on L slightly raising R knee, Step down on ball of R, Step back on L slightly raising R knee
- 5 6 Step back on R, Make ½ turn L stepping fwd L
- 7&8 Step R beside L, Jump both feet apart, Jump together (weight should be on L)

## PART E (NC2)

## Side Rock and, 1/4, 1/2, Up Up, Back Back Turn, Rock Recover 1/4, 1/2

- 1-2& Step R to R side, Rock L behind R, Recover weight to R
- 3&4& Make ¼ turn R stepping back on L, Make ½ turn R stepping fwd on R, Step fwd on L coming up on toes, Step fwd on R coming up on toes
- 5-6& Step back on L dragging R, Step back R, Make 1/4 turn L stepping L to L side
- 7&8& Rock R across L, Recover weight L, Make ¼ turn R stepping fwd R, Make ½ turn R stepping L back