

What Were We Thinkin' (Partner)



Choreography: Michael Schmidt (2018-10) ~ www.Lucky-Country.de

Description: **80 count, circle, intermediate partner dance**

Music: **What Was I Thinkin'** – Dierks Bentley [82/164 bpm] (04:22)

Alternative: **A Little Bit Of You** – Sonny Burgess [86/172 bpm] (02:45)

Burning Love – Travis Tritt [148 bpm] (03:34) !! fade out by 02:58

Info: (Mainsong: 48 counts intro) Start on lyrics. Start Back-To-Back; Hands: Mans Right is holding her Left & his Left Hand is holding her Right. Man facing ILOD, Lady OLOD. Opposite footwork unless otherwise stated.

Special Note: written for Alan & Sonia for Potters Partner Dance Festival 2018 (Hopton-On-Sea, Norfolk, UK)

1-8 SIDE TOUCHES, SIDE TOGETHER SIDE TOUCH

1-4 **M:** Step Right side, Touch Left beside Right, Step Left side, Touch Right beside Left

L: Step Left side, Touch Right beside Left, Step Right side, Touch Left beside Right

5-8 **M:** Step Right side, Step Left together, Step Right side, Touch Left beside Right

L: Step Left side, Touch Right together, Step Left side, Touch Right beside Left

9-16 SIDE TOUCH, 1/4 TURN BACK, KICK, COASTER STEP, BRUSH

1-4 **M:** Step Left side, Touch Right beside Left, ¼ Turn left stepping Right back, Kick Left forward (RLOD)

L: Step Right side, Touch Left beside Right, ¼ Turn right stepping Left back, Kick Right forward (RLOD)

5-8 **M:** Step Left back, Step Right together, Step Left forward, Brush

L: Step Right back, Step Left together, Step Right forward, Brush

**3 release back Hands (his Right & her Left) into Inside Hand Hold*

17-24 STEP LOCK STEP, HOLD, STEP, 1/2 TURN, 1/4 TURN SIDE, KICK

1-4 **M:** Step Right forward, Lock Left behind Right, Step Right forward, Hold

L: Step Left forward, Lock Right behind Left, Step Left forward, Hold

5-8 **M:** Step Left forward, ½ Turn right, ¼ Turn right stepping Left side, Kick Right forward (OLOD)

L: Step Right forward, ½ Turn left, ¼ Turn left stepping Right side, Kick Left forward (opt. Hold) (ILOD)

**6 release Hands, *7 join Hands into Double Hand Hold*

25-32 BEHIND SIDE CROSS, HOLD, 1/4 TURN STEP LOCK STEP, HOLD

1-4 **M:** Cross Right behind Left, Step Left side, Cross Right over Left, Hold

L: Cross Left behind Right, Step Right side, Cross Left over Right, Hold

5-8 **M:** Step Left forward, Lock Right behind Left, ¼ Turn left stepping Left forward, Hold (LOD)

L: Step Right forward, Lock Left behind Right, ¼ Turn right stepping Right forward, Hold (LOD)

**5 release back Hands (his Right & her Left) raise Left Arm over Ladys Head - Lady Turns in front of Man*

33-40 STEP LOCK STEP (L: 1/2 TURN), HOLD, ROCK RECOVER BACK (L: ROCK BACK RECOVER STEP), HOLD

1-4 **M:** Step Right forward, Lock Left behind Right, Step Right forward, Hold

L: ¼ Turn right stepping Left side, Step Right together, ¼ Turn right stepping Left back, Hold (RLOD)

5-8 **M:** Rock Left forward, Recover onto Right, Step Left back, Hold

L: Rock Right back, Recover onto Left, Step Right forward, Hold

**3 rejoin Hands into Double Hand Hold*

41-48 RUN BACK (3x) (L: RUN), HOLD, ROCK BACK RECOVER STEP (L: ROCK RECOVER BACK), HOLD

1-4 **M:** Run back Right-Left-Right, Hold

L: Run forward Left-Right-Left, Hold

5-8 **M:** Rock Left back, Recover onto Right, Step Left forward, Hold

L: Rock Right, Recover onto Left, Step Right back, Hold

49-56 RUN (3x) (L: RUN BACK), HOLD, SIDE KICKS

1-4 **M:** Run forward Right-Left-Right, Hold

L: Run back Left-Right-Left, Hold

5-8 **M:** Step Left side, Kick Right diagonal left, Step Right side, Kick Left diagonal right

L: Step Right side, Kick Left diagonal right, Step Left side, Kick Right diagonal left

**Styling Option Side Kicks: on left Side Kick turn your body slightly diagonally to the left; turn to the right on right Kick*

57-64 SIDE TOGETHER STEP (L: BACK), HOLD, STEP LOCK STEP (L: 1/2 TURN CHANGING SIDE), HOLD

1-4 **M:** Step Left side, Step Right together, Step Left forward, Hold

L: Step Right side, Step Left together, Step Right back, Hold

5-8 **M:** Step Right forward, Lock Left behind Right, Step Right forward, Hold

L: ¼ Turn left stepping Left side, Step Right together, ¼ Turn left stepping Left forward, Hold

(LOD)

**5 release Hands (Mans Left & her Right); raise Right Arm over Ladys Head, Lady turns in front of Man to the outside*

65-72 ROCK RECOVER, SIDE RECOVER, BACK RECOVER, STEP, HOLD

1-4 **M:** Rock Left forward, Recover onto Right, Rock Left side, Recover onto Right

L: Rock Right forward, Recover onto Left, Rock Right side, Recover onto Left

5-8 **M:** Rock Left back, Recover onto Right, Step Left forward, Hold

L: Rock Right back, Recover onto Left, Step Right forward, Hold

73-80 STEP LOCK STEP, HOLD, JAZZBOX 1/4 TURN, TOUCH

1-4 **M:** Step Right forward, Lock Left behind Right, Step Right forward, Hold

L: Step Left forward, Lock Right behind Left, Step Left forward, Hold

5-8 **M:** Cross Left over Right, Step Right back, ¼ Turn left stepping Left side, Touch Right beside Left

(ILOD)

L: Cross Right over Left, Step Left back, ¼ Turn right stepping Right side, Touch Left beside Right

(OLOD)

**7 rejoin Hands into Back-To-Back Pos. (his Right & her Left / his Left & her Right)*

.... hold your girl, smile & have fun

Music: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iuYmH2yLaHA>

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Dance: coming soon

Tutorial: coming soon