UNTRY CLUB DANCE

## Blessed

Dance taught by Shirley Perkins for the Country Club Dancers 06-12-2017

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Intro:

- 1 9 Side step rock behind recover, Diagonal shuffle, Cross rock recover, Side shuffle <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn
- 1-3 Step R to R side, Rock L behind R, Recover on R

32 counts

- 4&5 Shuffle to the diagonal wall L, R, L
- 6-7 Cross rock R over L, Recover on L
- 8&1 Side shuffle R, L, R to R side turning <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn R on count 1

## 10 – 16 Step forward 1/4 turn cross shuffle, 1/4 Turn, 1/4 Turn cross step

- 2-3 Step forward on L, Turn <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> R stepping down on R to R side
- 4&5 Cross shuffle L, R, L
- 6-8 Step back on R into 1/4 turn L, Turn 1/4 turn L stepping L to L side (you will have completed a 1/2 turn), Cross R over L (weight on R)
- 17 24 Diagonal rock recover behind side cross, Diagonal rock recover behind side step forward
- 1-2 Diagonal rock forward on L, Recover on R
- 3&4 Step L behind R, Step R to R side, Cross L over R (as you turn to R diagonal)
- 5-6 Diagonal rock forward on R, Recover on L
- 7&8 Step R behind L, Step L to L side, Step forward on R

## 25 – 32 Rock forward recover, Rock side recover, Rock back, <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Turn

- 1-4 Rock forward on L, Recover on R, Rock L to L side, Recover on R
- 5-8 Rock back on L, Recover on R, Make a <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn R stepping back on L, Turn <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> turn R stepping forward on R (you will have completed a <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn)

## 33 – 40 Rock forward recover, Step lock back, Step lock back, Rock back recover forward

- 1-2 Rock forward on L, Recover on R
- 3&4 Step lock back L, R, L
- 5&6 Step lock back R, L, R
- 7-8 Rock back on L, Recover forward on R

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- 41 48 Step forward sweep <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn, Step sweep forward, Cross, Step back, Long side step slide, Flick
- 1-2 Step forward on L, Sweep R into <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn L (count 2)
- 3-4 Cross step down on R over L (*count 3*), Sweep L forward over R (*count 4*)
- 5-8 Cross step down L over R *(count 5)*, Step back on R, Take a long step slide to L on L, Flick R behind L

There will be a one-time four count Tag that will occur here the second time you come to the back wall as follows:

1-4 Sway R, Hold, Sway L, Hold Then start the dance again

Start Again

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