

## Saddle Up Shawty

Aka: Hip Hop Twist

Dance taught by Shirley Perkins for the Country Club Dancers 10-12-2015

Choreographed by: Guyton Mundy (Feb 28, 2008)

Description: 48 count 4 wall intermediate line dance

Music: Saddle Up Shawty (Club Mix) by Mikel Knight, 95 bpm,

Album: The Country Rap King, 2010, originally released as a single

Intro: No Intro, start immediately after the rooster crows

1 – 8 Kick, Step; Kick, Hook; Step; Hold (add hands), Hitch; Walk back & Touch; Left Hip bumps x 2

1&2& Low kick R fwd, step on R, Low kick L fwd, Hook L over R knee.

3&4 Step L slightly fwd (3) Hold on (&) Shift weight back to R and hitch L up (4)

[Hands: L arm out to low left side with R fist at inside of L elbow (3), R arm out to low right side with L fist at inside of R elbow (&), Leaving L arm across body, bend R arm up vertically over R shoulder on same count as L leg hitch(4)]

5 & 6 Walk back L, walk back R, Touch L out to left side

7, 8 Bump L hip up and to the left twice (12:00)

Variation:

5 & 6 Rock L back; Recover; Touch L to L side

9 – 16 Step to L side; Quarter-turn Sailor; Half-turn Sailor; R shuffle fwd; Step fwd L

1, Step L to left side

2&3 Step R behind L, turn 1/4 to left stepping fwd on L, step R to right side

4&5 Step L behind R turning ½ to left, Step R to right side turning ½ to left, Step L fwd

6&7 Step R fwd, Step L next to R, Step R fwd

8 Step fwd on L (3:00)

17 – 24 Step R fwd, Half-turn hip roll; Half-turn Sailor; Step R fwd, Half-turn hip roll;

L Coaster Step

1, 2 Step R fwd, Roll hips around in counter-clockwise ½ turn (weight stays on R)

3&4 Step L behind R turning 1/4 to left, Step R to right side turning 1/4 to left, Step L fwd

5, 6 Step R fwd, Roll hips around in counter-clockwise ½ turn (weight stays on R)

7&8 Step L back, Step R back next to L, Step L fwd (9:00)

Non-turning variation:

3&4 L sailor step

5, 6 Step R to R side, Touch L next to R

7&8 L coaster step

(over)

25 – 32	Funky skates fwd x 2; Cross, back, ¼ turn; ¼ turn; ½ turn; L Shuffle fwd
1, 2	Big step up and out with R to right side, Big step up and out with L to left side
3&4	Cross step R over L; Step back on L; Step R to right side turning 1/4 to right
5, 6	Turn ¼ to right stepping L to left side; Half Hinge turn to the back over R shoulder stepping R to right side
7&8	Step L fwd, Step R next to L, Step L fwd (9:00)
**Restart here on wall 6	
Non-turning variation:	
3&4	Cross-Rock R over Left; Recover on L, Step R to right side
5, 6	Step L, Step R
7&8	Shuffle forward (L,R,L)
33 – 40	Right Out, Out, In, In, Scuff, Hitch, Step; Left Out, Out, In, In, Scuff, Hitch, Step
1&2&	Step R out to right side, Step L out to left side, Step R in to center, Step L in to center
3&4	Scuff R, Hitch R, Step on R next to L
5&6&	Step L out to left side, Step R out to right side, Step L in to center, Step R in to center
7&8	Scuff L, Hitch L, Step on L next to L (9:00)
41 – 48	Step Side Right; Split Heels; Small Hip Rolls; Chasse to left; Quarter-turn paddles x 2
1&2	Step R out to right side; with weight on balls of feet, split heels out and back to center (knees go in)
3, 4	Roll hips in small counter-clockwise circle; repeat (weight stays on R)
5&6	Step L to left side; Step R next to L; Step L to left side
7, 8	Keeping weight on L for both counts, paddle ¼ to left touching R foot to right side; paddle ¼ to left touching R foot to right side (3:00)

<sup>\*\*</sup>Restart: After 32 counts of Wall 6 you will be facing the original starting wall; Restart the dance from the beginning after the Left Shuffle forward (count 32).