Burning Waltz



Count: 48 Wall: 4 Level: Improver Viennese Waltz

Choreographer: Adam Åstmar (SWE) - July 2022

Music: Flames - John Adams



Intro: 24 counts, approx. 12 seconds, starting on the word "smoke".

Important information: Restarts occur towards 9'00 on wall 4 after section 6 and on wall 8 after section 4.

This dance placed 3rd in the World Dance Masters (WDM) 2022 Beginner/Improver Non-Country Choreography Competition. A placement I'm very pleased and happy with! Thank you ever so much for all the support it received and I hope you enjoy this one!:)

Sect – 1: Cross with Sweep. Weave Left.

- 1 3 Cross LF over RF (1). Sweep RF across LF over 2 counts (2, 3).
- 4 6 Cross RF over LF (4). Step left on LF (5). Step RF behind LF (6).

Sect - 2: Side with Drag. Chasse 1/4 Turn Right.

- 1 3 Step left on LF (1). Drag RF towards LF (2). Touch RF next to LF (3).
- 4 6 Step right on RF (4). Close LF next to RF (5). Turn 1/4 right stepping forward on RF (6). {3:00}

Sect - 3: Forward. Kick. Hold. Back. Touch. Hold.

- 1 3 Step forward on LF (1). Kick RF forward (2). Hold (3).
- 4 6 Step back on RF (4). Touch LF next to RF (5). Hold (6).

Sect – 4: Basic ½ Turn. Basic Back.

- 1 3 Step forward on LF (1). Turn 1/2 left stepping back on RF (2). Close LF next to RF (3). {9:00}
- 4 6 Step back on RF (4). Close LF next to RF (5). Step down on RF (6).

Note: - Restart occurs here at wall 8 -

Sect – 5: Forward with Sweep L, R.

- 1 3 Step forward on LF (1). Sweep RF forward over 2 counts (2, 3).
- 4 6 Step forward on RF (4). Sweep LF forward over 2 counts (5, 6).

Sect – 6: 1/4 with Sweep. Twinkle Step.

- 1 3 Step forward on LF (1). Turn 1/4 left sweeping RF forward over 2 counts (2, 3). {6:00}
- 4 6 Cross RF over LF (4). Step left on LF (5). Step right on RF (6).

Note: - Restart occurs here at wall 4 -

Sect - 7: Diamond 3/8 Left.

- 1 3 Cross LF over RF (1). Step right on RF (2). Turn 1/8 left stepping back on LF (3). {4:30}
- 4 6 Step back on RF (4). Turn 1/8 left stepping left on LF (5). Turn 1/8 left stepping forward on RF (6). {1:30}

Sect – 8: Diamond ¼ Left. Coaster Step.

- 1 3 Cross LF over RF (1). Turn 1/8 left stepping back on RF (2). Turn 1/8 left stepping back on LF (3). {10:30}
- 4 6 Step back on RF (4). Close LF next to RF (5). Step forward on RF (6).

Start the dance again by stepping forward on LF and squaring up 1/8 left with the sweep into the Weave.

Have fun!

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