

# Tears of a Clown

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**Count:** 64

**Wall:** 4

**Level:** Improver

**Choreographer:** Caroline Cooper (UK) - October 2017

**Music:** Tears Of A Clown - BY Smokey Robinson & The Miracles. Album: The Definitive Collection (Widely Available Approx 3 Mins)

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## INTRO: 32 COUNTS

### SECTION 1: R TOE STRUTT, L TOE STRUTT, ROCK, RECOVER, SHUFFLE BACK

1-2 Step R toe forward, drop heel  
3-4 Step L toe forward, drop heel  
5-6 Rock forward R, recover L  
7&8 Step back R, step back L, step back R (12)

### SECTION 2: BACK ROCK, STEP ¼, JAZZ BOX

1-2 Rock back L, recover  
3-4 Step forward L, ¼ turn R  
5-6 Cross L over R, step back R  
7-8 Step L to L side, cross R over L (3)

### SECTION 3: POINT, TOUCH, POINT CROSS, POINT, TOUCH, POINT, CROSS

1-2 Point L to L side, touch L next to R  
3-4 Point L to L side, cross L over R  
5-6 Point R to R side, touch R next to L  
7-8 Point R to R side, cross R over L (3)

### SECTION 4: BACK, BACK, CROSS, BACK, BACK, CROSS, BACK, ¼ TURN

1-2 Step back L, step back R  
3-4 Cross L over R, step back R  
5-6 Step back L, cross R over L  
7-8 Step back L, ¼ R stepping R to R side (6)

### SECTION 5: ROCK FORWARD, RECOVER, ROCK BACK, RECOVER, STEP ½ TURN, SHUFFLE FORWARD

1-2 Rock forward L, recover R  
3-4 Rock back L, recover R  
5-6 Step forward L, ½ turn R  
7&8 Step forward L, step R next to L, step forward L (12)

### SECTION 6: KICK BALL CHANGE, SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, KICK BALL CHANGE, STEP ¼ TURN

1&2 Kick R forward, step down R then L  
3-4 Rock R to R side, recover L  
5&6 Kick R forward, step down R then L  
7-8 Step forward R, ¼ turn L (9)

### SECTION 7: STEP, TAP, SHUFFLE BACK, BACK, TAP, SHUFFLE FORWARD

1-2 Step forward R, tap L behind R  
3&4 Step back L, step R next to L, step back L  
5-6 Step back R, tap L across R  
7&8 Step forward L, step R next to L, step forward L (9)

### SECTION 8: STEP LOCK, STEP SCUFF, STEP LOCK, STEP SCUFF

1-2 Step forward R, lock L behind R  
3-4 Step forward R, scuff L forward  
5-6 Step forward L, lock R behind L  
7-8 Step forward L, scuff R forward (9)

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