

# Bengawan Solo

Count: 32

Wall: 4

Level: Beginner

Choreographer: Alison Johnstone (Nuline dance)

Music: Bengawan Solo by Tantowi Yahya: "Friends" Album

**Start: On Vocals on word "Bengawan" 20 seconds into track – anti-clockwise**

**\*NO TAGS OR RESTARTS\***

**(1-8) Step, Together, Step Touch, Step, Together, Step Touch**

1, 2 Step diagonally forward Right, Step Left next to Right  
3, 4 Step diagonally forward Right, Touch Left next to Right  
5, 6 Step diagonally forward Left, Step Right next to Left  
7, 8 Step diagonally forward Left, Touch Right next to Left (straighten up to 12 o'clock wall)

**(You can use nice Polynesian type arm and hand movements in this section)**

**(9-16) Forward Rock, Recover, Shuffle Back Right, Shuffle Back Left, Back Rock, Recover**

1, 2 Rock Right Forward Right, Recover on Left  
3&4 Step back on Right, Step Left next to Right, Step back Right (Shuffle)  
5&6 Step back on Left, Step Right next to Left, Step back Left (Shuffle)  
7, 8 Rock back on Right, Recover on Left

**(Option on the 2 back shuffles to complete a full turn over Right)**

**(17-24) Right Kick Ball Step, Sway, Sway, Right Kick Ball Step, Sway, Sway**

1&2 Kick Right Forward, Step on ball of Right (&), Small step forward on Left (Kick Ball Step)  
3, 4 Sway to the Right stepping Right to side, Recover Left  
5&6 Kick Right Forward, Step on ball of Right (&), Small Step forward on Left (Kick Ball Step)  
7, 8 Sway to the Right stepping Right to side, Recover Left

**(25-32) Paddle 1/8 Left, (Repeat), Jazz Box (9 O'clock)**

1, 2 Touch Right toe forward, Turn 1/8th Left  
3, 4 Touch Right toe forward, Turn 1/8th Left  
5,6,7,8 Cross Right over Left, Step back on Left, Step Side Right, Step on Left (Jazz Box)

**Start Again \_**

**\*\*\*\* Ending: You will be facing front. The dance ends nicely on count 7 of the 1st section. Step back instead of Rock on the Right and hand Up well done.**

**This Dance Is Dedicated To Ronald Wee from Singapore.**

**I hope you enjoy the dance**

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