## Hush Hush

Count:96Wall:1Level:AdvancedChoreographer:Gary O'Reilly (IRE), Maggie Gallagher (UK), Shane McKeever (N.IRE) & Fred<br/>Whitehouse (IRE) - June 2025

Music: Hush Hush - Meira Omar : (iTunes, Amazon & Spotify)

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| Section 1.                          | PRESS, SWEEP, SIT, STEP LOCK STEP, ¼ HIP ROLL, CROSSING SHUFFLE  |
| 123                                 | Press/rock forward on R (1), recover on L sweeping R from front to back (2), step back on R                                  |
| 120                                 | sitting into R hip with L knee popped (3)  |
| 4 & 5                               | Step forward on L (4), lock R behind L (&), step forward on L (5)  |
| 67                                  | 1/4 L stepping R to R side rolling hips anticlockwise from L to R (6), continue hip roll anticlockwise                       |
|                                     | R to L transferring weight to L (7) (9:00)   |
| 8 & 1                               | Cross R over L (8), step L to L side (&), cross R over L with slight dip into knees (1)                                      |
| Section 2: S                        | SIDE, CROSSING SAMBA 1/8, WALK, FWD ROCK, BACK ROCK, SIDE ROCK 1/8   |
| 2                                   | Step L to L side (2)   |
| 3&4                                 | Cross R over L (3), rock L to L side (&), recover on R making 1/8 R (4) (10:30)  |
| 5                                   | Walk forward on L (5)  |
| &6&7                                | Rock R fwd on slight diagonal (&), recover on L (6), rock back on R (&), recover on L (7)                                    |
| & 8                                 | 1/8 L rocking R to R side (&), recover on L (8) (9:00)   |
| Section 3: F                        | PRESS, SWEEP, SIT, STEP LOCK STEP, ¼ HIP ROLL, CROSSING SHUFFLE  |
| 123                                 | Press/rock forward on R (1), recover on L sweeping R from front to back (2), step back on R                                  |
|                                     | sitting into R hip with L knee popped (3)  |
| 4 & 5                               | Step forward on L (4), lock R behind L (&), step forward on L (5)  |
| 67                                  | 1/4 L stepping R to R side rolling hips anticlockwise from L to R (6), continue hip roll anticlockwise                       |
|                                     | R to L transferring weight to L (7) (6:00)   |
| 8 & 1                               | Cross R over L (8), step L to L side (&), cross R over L with slight dip into knees (1)                                      |
| Section 4: S                        | SIDE, CROSSING SAMBA 1/8, WALK, FWD ROCK, BACK ROCK, SIDE ROCK 1/8   |
| 2                                   | Step L to L side (2)   |
| 3&4                                 | Cross R over L (3), rock L to L side (&), recover on R making 1/8 R (4) (7:30)   |
| 5                                   | Walk forward on L (5)  |
| &6&7                                | Rock R fwd on slight diagonal (&), recover on L (6), rock back on R (&), recover on L (7)                                    |
| & 8                                 | 1/8 L rocking R to R side (&), recover on L (8) (6:00)   |
|                                     | HITCH, CROSS, UNWIND ½, SHOULDER ROLL, SHOULDER ROLL, KICK BACK STEP, SIT  |
| DOWN, <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> S |  |
| &12                                 | Hitch R knee up (optional R fist to hit R knee) (&), cross R over L (1), unwind ½ L (weight even over both feet) (2) (12:00) |
| &3&4                                | Roll R shoulder back (&), roll L shoulder back (3), roll R shoulder back (&), roll L shoulder back                           |
| 0304                                | (weight ends on L) (4)   |
| 5&6                                 | Kick R forward (5), step back on R (&) step L forward in place (6)   |
| 78                                  | Sit back into R hip (7), swivel ½ R on balls of both feet returning to standing position (weight ends                        |
|                                     | back on L) (8) (6:00)  |
| Section 6:                          | KICK BACK STEP, SIT DOWN, L KICK BALL CHANGE, PIVOT ½, BOM, BOM, CHICI, CHICI, CHIC  |
| 1 & 2                               | Kick R forward (1), step back on R (&) step L forward in place (2)   |
| 3                                   | Sit back into R hip (3)  |
| 4 & 5                               | Return to standing kicking L forward (4), step L next to R (&), step forward on R (5)  |
| 6                                   | Pivot ½ L (weight ends on L) (6) (12:00)   |
| & 7                                 | Slap R hip with R hand (&), slap L hip with L hand (7)   |
| & 8 &                               | Shimmy shoulder (&8&)  |
| Soution 7:1                         |  |
| Section 7: 5                        | <sup>2</sup> DIAMOND R, STEP, TOGETHER, HOLD, HIP, HIP   |

- 1 & 2 Cross R over L (1), 1/8 R stepping L to L side (&), 1/8 R stepping back on R (2) (3:00)
- 3 & 4 Step back on L (3), 1/8 R stepping R to R side (&), 1/8 R stepping forward on L (4) (6:00)
- & 5 Step forward on R (&), step L next to R (5)
- Arms:

#### Both hands pass each other in front of mouth with open hands/fingers (&)

Both hands pass back to the sides with middle finger & thumbs touching (5)

- 6 HOLD (6)
- 7 8 Drop R hip keeping knees slightly soft and bent (7), drop L hip keeping knees slightly soft and bent (8)

#### Section 8: 1/2 DIAMOND R, STEP, TOGETHER, HOLD, KICK, 1/8 TOUCH, KICK, 1/8 TOUCH

- 1 & 2 Cross R over L (1), 1/8 R stepping L to L side (&), 1/8 R stepping back on R (2) (9:00)
- 3 & 4 Step back on L (3), 1/8 R stepping R to R side (&), 1/8 R stepping forward on L (4) (12:00)
- & 5 Step forward on R (&), step L next to R (5)

#### Arms/hands:

#### Both hands pass each other in front of mouth with open hands/fingers (&)

- Both hands pass back to the sides with middle finger & thumbs touching (5)
- 6 HOLD (6)
- Bring connected finger and thumb to R hip with palm down R elbow out to side (6)

& 7 Low kick R to R diagonal raising up slightly on ball of L with heel turned out L (&), 1/8 L recover onto L touching R next to L (7) (10:30)

## Arms/hands: Turn R hand up & bring out to R side with R elbow coming in to body (&), return hand and elbow to previous position (7)

& 8 Low kick R to R diagonal raising up slightly on ball of L with heel turned out L (&), 1/8 L recover onto L touching R next to L (8) (9:00)

## Arms/hands: Turn R hand up & bring out to R side with R elbow coming in to body (&), return hand and elbow to previous position (8)

& Flick R to R side (&)

#### Section 9: CROSS ROCK, & CROSS & BEHIND &, CROSS ROCK, 1/4, STEP, 3/4 SIDE

| 12    | Cross rock R over L (1), recover on L (2)   |
|-------|---|
| &3&4  | Step R to R side (&), cross L over R (3), step R to R side (&), cross L behind R (4)  |
| & 5 6 | Step R to R side (&), cross rock L over R (5), recover on R (6)   |
| & 7 8 | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> L stepping forward on L (&), step forward on R as you begin to start <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> turn L (7), complete <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |
|       | turn L stepping L to L side (8) (9:00)  |

#### Section 10: <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> DIAMOND R, STEP, TOGETHER, HOLD, BOM, BOM, CHICI, CHICI, CHICI

- 1 & 2 Cross R over L (1), 1/8 R stepping L to L side (&), step back on R (2) (10:30)
- 3 & 4 Step back on L (3), 1/8 R stepping R to R side (&), step forward on L (4) (12:00)
- & 5 Step forward on R (&), step L next to R (5)

Arms:

#### Both hands pass each other in front of mouth with open hands/fingers (&)

#### Both hands pass back to the sides with middle finger & thumbs touching (5)

- 6 HOLD (6)
- & 7 Slap R hip with R hand (&), slap L hip with L hand (7)
- & 8 & Shimmy shoulder (&8&)

## Section 11: HEEL, FLICK, HEEL, HOOK, STEP, FLICK, BACK, HITCH, BACK, FLICK, STEP, HITCH, STEP, PIVOT ½

| 1&2& | Tap R heel forward (1), flick R to R side (&), tap R heel forward (2), hook R over L (&) |
|------|--|
| 3&4& | Step forward on R (3), flick L behind R (&), step back on L (4), hitch R knee (&)        |
| 5&6& | Step back on R (5), flick L across R (&), step forward on L (6), hitch R knee (&)        |
| 78   | Step forward on R (7), pivot ½ L (8) (6:00)  |

## Section 12: HEEL, FLICK, HEEL, HOOK, STEP, FLICK, BACK, HITCH, BACK, FLICK, STEP, HITCH, STEP, PIVOT <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

| 1&2& | Tap R heel forward (1), flick R to R side (&), tap R heel forward (2), hook R over L (&) |
|------|--|
| 3&4& | Step forward on R (3), flick L behind R (&), step back on L (4), hitch R knee (&)        |
| 5&6& | Step back on R (5), flick L across R (&), step forward on L (6), hitch R knee (&)        |
| 78   | Step forward on R (7), pivot ½ L (8) (12:00)   |

#### \*Tag: At the end of Wall 2, repeat sections 11 & 12 of the dance & then start the dance again facing (12:00)

\*\*During Wall 3: dance upto count 16 (with slight step change) Step Change during Section 2 of Wall 3 & 8 1/8 R rocking R to R side (&), recover on L (8) (12:00) then continue dancing Wall 3 from sections 7-12

\*\*\*Ending: Dance up-to the end of Wall 3 & then add the following ending to finish facing (12:00).

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- & 5 Step forward on R (&), step L next to R (5)
- Arms:

#### Both hands pass each other in front of mouth with open hands/fingers (&)

Both hands pass back to the sides with middle finger & thumbs touching (5)

- 6 HOLD (6)
- 7 8 Drop R hip keeping knees slightly soft and bent (7), drop L hip keeping knees slightly soft and bent (8)

#### 1/2 DIAMOND R, STEP, TOGETHER, HOLD, BOM, BOM, CHICI, CHICI, CHICI

- 1 & 2 Cross R over L (1), 1/8 R stepping L to L side (&), 1/8 R stepping back on R (2) (9:00)
- 3 & 4 Step back on L (3), 1/8 R stepping R to R side (&), 1/8 R stepping forward on L (4) (12:00)
- & 5 Step forward on R (&), step L next to R (5)

Arms/hands:

# Both hands pass each other in front of mouth with open hands/fingers (&)Both hands pass back to the sides with middle finger & thumbs touching (5)6HOLD (6)& 7Slap R hip with R hand (&), slap L hip with L hand (7)

& 8 & Shimmy shoulder (&8&)

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