

# Turn Down The Lights

Choreographer: Paul & Karla Dornstedt  
Description: 48 count, 4 wall, beg/inter line dance  
Music: **Turn Down The Lights** by Neil Diamond

*Start dancing on lyrics*

Beats / Step Description

## **CROSS, SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE, SWEEP, CROSS**

1-3 Cross left over right, step right side right, cross left behind right  
4-6 Step right side right, sweep left forward and across, cross left over right

## **BACK, SIDE, CROSS, FULL TURN LEFT**

1-3 Step right back, step left side left and slightly back, cross right over left  
4-6 Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  left and step left forward, turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  left and step right back, turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  left and step left side left  
(12:00)

## **CROSS, SIDE, BEHIND, $\frac{1}{4}$ LEFT, SWEEP, CROSS**

1-3 Cross right over left, step left side left, cross right behind left  
4-6 Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  left and step left forward, sweep right forward and across left, cross right over left (9:00)

## **BACK, SIDE, CROSS, ROCK, RECOVER, CROSS**

1-3 Step left back, step right side right and slightly back, cross left over right  
4-6 Rock right side right, recover left back, cross right over left

## **DIAMOND**

1-3 Step left to left forward diagonal, complete  $\frac{1}{4}$  left turn and step right together, step left together (6:00)  
4-6 Step right to right back diagonal, complete  $\frac{1}{4}$  left turn and step left together, step right together (3:00)

## **DIAMOND**

1-3 Step left to left forward diagonal, complete  $\frac{1}{4}$  left turn and step right together, step left together (12:00)  
4-6 Step right to right back diagonal, complete  $\frac{1}{4}$  left turn and step left together, step right together (9:00)  
*Restart here during the 3rd rotation*

## **FORWARD COASTER, BACK, $\frac{1}{2}$ LEFT, FORWARD**

1-3 Step forward left, step right together, step left back  
4-6 Step right back, turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  left and step left forward, take a short step right forward (3:00)

## **FORWARD, $\frac{1}{2}$ LEFT, BACK, BACK COASTER**

1-3 Step left forward, turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  left and step right together, take a short step back left (9:00)  
4-6 Step right back, step left together, step right to right forward diagonal

# Smile and Begin Again

## **RESTART**

During 3rd rotation. Complete 36 steps. (complete the diamond) you will be facing the 3:00 wall, and start the dance again

## **ENDING (OPTIONAL)**

The last rotation starts on the 9:00 wall. The music slows down, dance to the beat of the music. Dance the first 9 counts

4-6 Turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  left and step left forward, cross right over left and slowly unwind to the front wall