

# **BALLANDO**

Choreographed by **Ira Weisburd** (January, 2011)

High Beginner/ Low Intermediate; 4 Wall; 32 Counts; Rhythm: Mambo

Youtube Video by Choreographer:

Music: "NUOVO MAMBO" by Quelli Della Notte

Album: L'Italia Che Balla Volume #1; Track #3

Introduction: 16 Cts. Start after approx. 12 sec. (on the vocal).

**NO TAGS, NO RESTARTS !!**

## **STEP LOCK STEP, MAMBO L, MAMBO R, CHASE**

- 1&2 Step R fwd., Step L behind R, Step R fwd.
- 3&4 Step L fwd., Recover back on R, Step L beside R
- 5&6 Step R back, Recover fwd. on L, Step R beside L
- 7&8 Step L fwd., Pivot ½ turn R onto R, Step fwd. on L.

## **(Travelling Forward) SCISSOR R, SCISSOR L, SCISSOR R, 1/4 TURN R**

- 1&2 Step R to R, Step L to L, Step R across L (stepping fwd. w/ R)
- 3&4 Step L to L, Step R to R, Step L across R (stepping fwd. w/L)
- 5&6 Step R to R, Step L to L, Step R across L (stepping fwd. w/R)
- 7&8 Step L to L, make ¼ turn R w/ R, Step fwd. on L.

## **RHUMBA BOX, FOUR 1/8 PIVOT TURNS L**

- 1&2 Step R to R, Step-close L to R, Step R back
- 3&4 Step L to L, Step-close R to R, Step L fwd.
- 5&6& Step fwd. on R, pivot 1/8 to L onto L, Step fwd. on R, pivot 1/8 to L on L
- 7&8& Step fwd. on R, pivot 1/8 to L onto L, Step fwd. on R, pivot 1/8 to L on L

## **HEEL, STEP, HEEL, ¼ TURN L; HEEL, STEP, HEEL, ¼ TURN L.**

- 1&2 Touch R heel fwd., Step R in place, Touch L heel fwd.
- 3&4 Step L back, Make ¼ turn L onto R, Step L fwd.
- 5&6 Touch R heel fwd., Step R in place, Touch L heel fwd.
- 7&8 Step L back, Make ¼ turn L onto R, Step L fwd.

**BEGIN DANCE.**