

# Two Minute Waltz

Description: 2 Wall Line Dance Waltz, 48 Counts, Upper Beginner Level
This is a 2004 extension of my older dance Minute Waltz (24 counts).

Choreographers: Bill Bader

Music: "What If I Said Goodbye" by Vince Gill 116 bpm. Intro: 12 counts.

# BACK DIAGONAL, TOGETHER, TOGETHER, BACK DIAGONAL, TOGETHER, TOGETHER

1 Step L back on left diagonal keeping toe toward front wall (12:00).

2,3 Step R beside L. Step L beside R.

4 Stride R back on right diagonal keeping toe toward front wall (12:00).

5,6 Step L beside R. Step R beside L.

### BACK, DRAW, CLOSE, FORWARD, SPIN, FORWARD

Note: This entire section (7-12) is done facing your original 12:00 wall.

7 Keeping R toe/ball on floor pointing forward <u>and face</u> toward 12:00: Take a Large Step straight back on L behind R with L toe turned approx. 1/4 left so that feet are now almost in a "T" shape with R toe toward 12:00 and with L toe approx. toward 9:00. Important: The upper body turns left, but the face remains forward toward 12:00.

8,9 Slide R toe back toward L instep for 2 counts gradually lifting R heel. Weight remains on L. Face and toe of R foot remain forward toward 12:00. OPTION: For men (or women!) wearing a cowboy hat, it is nice styling to occasionally tip your hat and lower your chin as you do this slide. 10,11,12 Step R forward (12:00), Step L forward spinning a full turn right, Step R forward

# WALTZ BASIC: FORWARD, TOGETHER, TOGETHER, BACK, TOGETHER, TOGETHER

13,14,15 Step L forward, Step R beside L, Step L beside R

16,17,18 Step R back, Step L beside R, Step R beside L

#### QUARTER LEFT, FORWARD, 1/2 PIVOT, FORWARD, TOUCH, HOLD

19,20,21 Step L to left side turning 1/4 left (9:00), Step R fwd, Pivot Turn 1/2 left weight onto L (3:00)

22,23,24 Stride (Large Step) R forward. Touch L beside R, Hold

#### **BASIC WALTZ FORWARD, BASIC WALTZ BACK**

25,26,27 Step L forward, Step R beside L, Step L beside R

28,29,30 Step R back, Step L beside R, Step R beside L

#### WALTZ FORWARD 1/2 TURN LEFT, WALTZ BACK 1/4 TURN LEFT

31,32,33 Waltz forward L,R,L while making 1/2 turn left

34,35,36 Waltz back R,L,R while making 1/4 turn left

### WALTZ FWD, STEP BACK, SLIDE, HOLD

37,38,39 Step L forward, Step R beside L, Step L beside R

40,41,42 Step back on on R, Slide L to a touch position beside R, Hold

## STEP BACK, ROCK RETURN, STEP SLIDE HOLD

43,44,45 Step back on L, Rock/step back on R, Rock/return weight forward onto L

46,47,48 Big step forward on R, Slide L to a touch position beside R, Hold

The first 24 counts is Bill's 24-count line dance "Minute Waltz". By adding 24 counts to this dance to match phrasing of "What If I Said Goodbye", we two choreographers have created "Two Minute Waltz". The song, by Vince Gill, is beautiful and we hope you enjoy both the song and the dance.