

# Shoot U Down

Count: 48 Wall: 4 Level: Intermediate

Choreographer: Johanna Barnes (September 2017)

Music: Shoot You Down by Avii (feat. Kenny Brown)



(Clock notation begins on your start wall as 12:00. Each phrase will carry a new 12:00 start wall, ¼ to the left of the previous phrase.)

## [1~8]: STEP, KNEE POP, STEP, HITCH, LOCK STEP, STEP, ½ TURN L

- 1, 2 R step forward (1); L tuck instep behind R, popping knee forward (with finger snaps if you like) (2)
- 3, 4 R step forward (3); hitch L knee (4)
- 5 & 6 L step forward (5); R cross step behind L (&); L step forward (6)
- 7, 8 R step forward (7); ½ turn left onto L [6:00] (8)

## [9~16]: LOCK STEP-PREP, STEP- ½ TURN R, SIDE-CROSS, HIP ROCK, L-R SWAY

- 1 & 2 R step forward (1); L cross step behind (&); R step forward in open/prep position (2) while rotating ½ turn right, step back onto L [12:00] (a); R step to right side (&); L step across R (4)
- a & 4
- 5 & 6 reaching out R heel, push/rock hips forward (5); push/rock hips back (&); push/rock hips forward and weight R (6)
- 7, 8 rock/sway out to L (7); pushing off L, rock onto R (8)

## [17~24]: WEAWE, HIP ROLL, STEP-CROSS, TRAVELING FOOT TWISTS

- 1 & 2 L cross step behind R (1); R step to right side (&); L step across R (2) while stepping right onto R, roll hips from left, backward to right, releasing weight from L (3-4)
- 3 - 4
- 5, 6 L step to left side (5); R step across L (6)
- 7 & 8 L out to left, both heels moving left (7); move both L/R toes left (&); moving left with L/R heels, lift R heel (8)

**\*Variation option for 3-4: Right C-bump. Depending on verse/chorus, play around in this section with your attitude.**

## [25~32]: OPEN STEP BACK (ROLL), SIT/HOLD, BACK L, BACK R, COASTER ¼ CROSS, TRIPLE PUSH R

- 1, 2 R step back (open to right for styling, and/or from a body roll back into it) (1); sink in and hold (2)
- 3, 4 L step back (3); R step back (4)
- 5 & 6 L step back (5); R step back, next to L (&); L step forward, open to left, start making a ¼ left [9:00] (6)
- 7 & 8 R step to right\* (7); L step across R\* (&); R step to right\* (8)

**\*Hint: As you start your turn at the end of the coaster step, slightly over-rotate, then lead your right side crossing shuffle back with your shoulders.**

**This should feel more like an angled 'pushing back' if you prefer, or almost back lock step.**

**[\*\*YOU WILL RESTART HERE AFTER 32 COUNTS OF PHRASE 4 (the 2nd chorus, add on an & count [12:00])\*\*]**

## [33~40]: SIDE STEP, LOW KICK, ROCK BACK-RECOVER, OPEN-STANCE HIP CIRCLES x2 FOR ¼ L TURN

- 1, 2 L step left (squaring up to 9:00) (1); R low kick with a slight rotation right (2)
- 3, 4 R rock back (3); recover onto L (4)

- 5-6 stepping out onto R, roll hips from left, backward in a full circle, while turning 1/8 left, then weight L (5-6)
- 7-8 stepping out onto R, roll hips from left, backward in a full circle, while turning 1/8 left, then weight L [6:00] (7-8)

**\*Hint: 5-8 are counter-clockwise, circling your hips around as you push off of R to L, finishing ¼ left after both hip rolls.**

**[41~48&]: STOP STEP, SWITCH, ½ TURN R, KICK-BALL PLACE FORWARD, ¼ TURN BOOTY BOUNCE**

- 1-2 R 'plant' a step forward (split weight) (1); hold (2)
- & 3, 4 releasing R, bring R next to L (&); L step forward (3); ½ turn right onto R [12:00] (4)
- 5 & 6 L low kick forward (5); L step back next to R (&); R step forward\* (6)
- &7&8& bouncing through the knees, rotate to turn ¼ left (hips back and around) (&7&8); finish with weight on L [9:00] (&)

**\*Try pushing R heel forward and change weight onto and off of it as you bounce and rotate. Use your booty and hips!**

**(BEGIN AGAIN, and most certainly DWYF!)**

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