

# SLOW BURN

**Count:** 72    **Wall:** 2    **Level:** Intermediate

**Choreographer:** Kathy Hunyadi & John H. Robinson

**Music:** Fire by Des'ree & Babyface

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Best Foreign Dance -- 2004 Australian Line Dance Awards

The song opens with the line, "you're riding in my car". Start on the word "car."

## **ENGLISH CROSS, SWEEP TURNING ½ RIGHT, TOUCH, TRIPLE FORWARD**

- 1-2            Step right forward, step left forward  
&3-4          Turn ¼ left and step right foot to side, left step across right, turn ¼ right and step right foot forward  
5-6            Sweep left foot around turning ½ right, left toe touch next to right  
7&8            Step left forward, right step behind left foot in 3rd position, step left forward

## **ENGLISH CROSS, SWEEP TURNING ½ RIGHT, TOUCH, TRIPLE FORWARD**

- 1-8            Repeat previous 8 counts

## **PRESS, KICK, COASTER STEP, BRUSH, TOUCH, HIP SHAKE BACK**

- 1-2            Right press forward ball of foot, replace weight to left kicking right foot forward  
3&4            Right step back ball of foot, left step next to right, step right forward  
5-6            Left brush ball of foot forward raising left knee slightly, left touch forward  
7&8            Keeping weight on right foot, shake hips back to the right twice

## **AND, STEP FORWARD, SWEEP TURNING ¼ LEFT, CROSS, HOLD, BALL-CROSS, COASTER CROSS**

- &1-2          Step back with ball of left foot, step right foot in place, step left forward  
3-4            Sweep right foot around turning ¼ left, right step across left  
5&6            Hold, step ball of left foot to the side, right step across left  
7&8            Left step back ball of foot, right step next to left, left step forward across right

## **POINT, CROSS, BALL-CHANGE, CROSS, REPEAT**

- 1-2            Right toe point side right, right step across left  
&3-4          Left quick rock ball of foot side left, recover to right, left step across right  
5-6            Right toe point side right, right step across left  
&7-8          Left quick rock ball of foot side left, recover to right, left step across right

## **LOCKING CHA CURVING ½ RIGHT, CROSS, BACK, COASTER CROSS**

- 1-2            Right step into ¼ turn right, left lock step behind right  
3&4            Right step forward into ¼ turn right, left step behind right in 3rd position, step right forward  
5-6            Left step across right, step right back  
7&8            Left step back ball of foot, right step next to left, left step forward across right

## **POINT, CROSS, BALL-CHANGE, CROSS, REPEAT**

- 1-2 Right toe point side right, right step across left  
&3-4 Left quick rock ball of foot side left, recover to right, left step across right  
5-6 Right toe point side right, right step across left  
&7-8 Left quick rock ball of foot side left, recover to right, left step across right

## **LUNGE, RECOVER, BEHIND-SIDE-CROSS, SIDE, DRAG/TOUCH, KNEE OUT-IN-OUT TURNING**

### **¼ RIGHT**

- 1-2 Right side lunge, recover weight to left foot  
3&4 Right step behind left, left step side left, right step across left  
5-6 Left step side left, right drag and touch next to left  
7&8 Keeping weight on left, turn right knee out, in, out turning ¼ right

## **WALK RIGHT, LEFT, & HOOK BEHIND, HOLD, SLOW 4-COUNT UNWIND**

- 1-2 Step right forward, step left forward  
&3-4 Step right forward, left lock ball of foot behind right, hold position  
5-8 Slowly unwind full turn left finishing with weight on left

Styling/execution option: draw right foot up close to left calf on 7-8 as you get ready to walk on 1

## **ALTERNATE ENDING**

**When dancing to "Fire," at the end of the first wall only, hit the break in the music by executing a full turn on count 4 of the last 8 counts, then hold for counts 5-8**

## **REPEAT**

## **RESTART**

**On wall 3, omit the last 8 counts of the dance before starting wall 4**

**If dancing to "Slo Love" by Janet Jackson, start 32 counts into the track. Drop the last 8 counts and do this as a 64-count dance to this song. (You can drop the last 8 counts and do "Slow Burn" as a 64-count dance to any song phrased in 32s.)**

**Special thanks to Scott Blevins for naming this dance!**