

# My Reason



**Count:** 32    **Wall:** 4    **Level:** Advanced

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**Music:** "The Reason" by Brett Eldredge



## Start on vocals

### **S1: DIAG. STEP R, DIAG. STEP L, BEHIND-SIDE-CROSS, SWEEP, WEAVE, DIAG. ROCK BACK, RECOVER, PREP BACK, FULL TURN L INTO DIAGONAL**

- 1-2&a      RF step diagonally R-forward, LF step diagonally L-forward, RF cross behind LF, LF step side
- 3-4&a      RF cross over LF & sweep LF forward, LF cross over RF, RF step side, LF cross behind RF
- 5-6-7      RF rock back to L diagonal, recover on LF, RF rock back and use body to prepare for a full turn L
- 8&a        Recover on LF, ½ turn L & RF step back, ½ turn L & LF step forward (facing 10:30)

### **S2: DIAG. ROCK, RECOVER, BALL, CROSS, BIG STEP SIDE, SAILOR ¼ TURN, 3 PRISSY WALKS, ½ HINGE TURN**

- 1-2&a      RF rock diagonally L-forward, recover on LF, RF step on ball (facing 12:00), LF cross over RF
- 3-4&a      RF big step side, ¼ turn L & LF cross behind RF, RF step side, LF step slightly forward (facing 9:00)
- 5-6-7      RF walk fwd (slightly across L), LF walk fwd (slightly across R), RF walk fwd (slightly across L)
- 8&a        ¼ turn R & LF step back, ¼ turn R & RF step side, LF cross over RF (3:00)

### **S3: SIDE, TOUCH, SIDE, 1/8 TOUCH, 2x DIAG. STEP-LOCK-STEP, 1/8 SIDE, TOUCH**

- 1-2        RF step side, LF touch next to RF & snap fingers at chest level
- 3-4        LF step side, 1/8 turn L & RF touch next to LF & snap fingers chest level (facing 1:30)

**Note: you can dance these touches as smooth as you want and add a little push and hip action in it if you like**

- 5&a        RF step diag. fwd, LF lock behind RF, RF step fwd (facing 1:30)
- 6&a        LF step diag. fwd, RF lock behind RF, LF step fwd (facing 1:30)
- 7-8        1/8 turn L & RF step side, LF touch next to RF (facing 12:00)

### **S4: ¼ STEP, SWEEP ½ TURN, SYNCOPATED JAZZ BOX, SIDE, BEHIND-SIDE-CROSS, SWAY R-L, SAILOR 1/2 INTO TOUCH**

- 1            ¼ turn L & RF sweep fwd while making another ½ turn L on LF (facing 3:00)
- 2&a3       RF cross over LF, LF step diagonally bwd, RF step side, LF cross over RF
- 4&a5       RF step side, LF cross behind RF, RF step side, LF cross over RF
- 6-7        RF step side and sway R, recover on L while swaying L (start sweeping RF backwards)
- 8&a

½ turn R & RF cross behind LF, LF step slightly diagonally fwd, RF touch next to LF (facing 9:00)

**HAVE FUN!**

**Restarts:**

**In Wall 3 after 24 counts, change count 8 of the 3rd section into LF stomp together &**

**Restart facing 6:00**

**In Wall 5 after 16 counts, Restart facing 6:00**

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