It Should Have Been Easy

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PHASE: 3+2+1 (Alemana, Trade Places) (Cucaracha in 4) RHYTHM: RUMBA DIFFICULTY: Average
TIMING: Standard Rumba (QQS) except as noted in { } SPEED: DM 43 or -2 to 4% or for comfort
FOOTWORK: Described for Man - Woman opposite (or as noted in parentheses) Released: MAY 2016
SEQUENCE: Intro, AB A, B mod, B, End Revised v1.3 AUG 2016

Intro
1-4 2 meas Wait BFLY, lead foot free facing WALL;; N Yorker Twice to BFLY;;
1-2 In BFLY facing WALL lead foot free wait 2 Measures;;
3-4 [NEW YORKER Twice] Turning right ¼ to face RLOD check forward L, recover R turning left ¼ to face partner, side L,-; Turning left ¼ to face LOD check forward R, recover L turning right ¼ to face partner, side R,-; (W turning left ¼ to face RLOD check forward R, recover L turning right ¼ to face partner, side R,-; turning right ¼ to face LOD check forward L, recover R turning left ¼ to face partner, side L,-)

Part A
1-4 Basic; Shoulder to Shoulder &; Whip face COH;
3 [SHOULDER TO SHOULDER] In BFLY Fwd L DRW (W Back R DRW) outside partner, recover R, side L,-;
4 [WHIP] Back R commence 1/4 left face turn, continue turn 1/4 recover forward L, side R, to COH BFLY-;
(W Forward Left outside man on his left side, forward R commence left face turn 1/2, side L,-;)

5-8 Crab Walks twd LOD;; Fenceline &; Whip WALL;
7 [FENCELINE] XLIF of R looking toward DLC (W look DLW), recover R, side L,-;
8 [WHIP] Back R commence 1/4 left face turn, continue turn 1/4 recover forward L, side R, to WALL BFLY-;
(W Forward Left outside man on his left side, forward R commence left face turn 1/2, side L,-;)

9-12 Chase w/Underarm Pass to COH;; Alemana;;
9-10 [CHASE w/UNDERARM PASS] From BFLY WALL releasing trail hands forward L commence ½ RF turn keeping lead hands joined, recover R, forward R, forward L,-; Small back R raising joined lead hands, recover L, side R (W back R keeping lead hands joined, recover L, forward R toward M's left side,-; Forward L commencing to pass M, forward R turning ½ LF under joined lead hands to face partner, side L) to BFLY COH, -;
11-12 [ALEMANA] Lead hands joined low Forward L, recover R, close L w/lead hands high palms touching,-;
Back R, recover L, small side R,-; (W Back R, recover L, forward R swiveling slightly RF to fc M's left side,-; Forward L toward M's left side turning RF to face WALL, forward R turning RF to face partner, & & forward L to face M,-)

13-16 Break back to Op RLOD: Progressive Walk 3; Circle Away & Tog Handshake COH;;
13 [BREAK BACK TO OP] Rock back turning 1/4 to OP RLOD L, recover forward R, forward RLOD L-;
15-16 [CIRCLE AWAY & TOG] Circle away from partner LF to WALL (W RF to COH) forward L, forward R, forward L,-;
Cont LF turn to face partner & COH (W cont RF turn face WALL) forward R, forward L, forward R to HNDSK,-;

Part B
1-4 Trade Places Twice to COH Lead Hands;; Open Break; Underarm Turn to Handshake;
1-2 [TRADE PLACES Twice] From R handshake Step apart L, recover R [M passing the RLOD side] releasing R hands, forward L turning RF 1/2 to face WALL joining L hands, -; Step apart R, recover L [M passing the RLOD side] releasing L hands, forward R turning LF 1/2 to fc COH join Lead Hands, -;
3 [OPEN BREAK] From Lead hands held Step apart L, recover R, side L (W apart R, rec L, sd R), -;
4 [UNDERARM TURN] Raise joined Lead hands turn body slightly RF and XRIB of L, recover L squaring body to face partner, small side R (W swiveling ¼ RF on ball of supporting foot forward L turning ½ RF, recover R turning ¼ RF to face partner, side L) to R Handshake,-;
5-8  Fwd Basic Lady to Varsuv; Back Basic Lady Turn to BFLY; Half Basic; Fenceline:
5  [FORWARD BASIC TO VARSUV] Facing COH In R handshake Forward L, recover R, back L leading W to trn If to Varsouvienné position, -; (W Back R, recover L turning left face, cont turning to Varsouvienné position back R, -;)
6  [BACK BASIC TO BFLY] Back R, leading W to move in front leading Lady to turn rf recover L, small forward R to BFLY,-; (W Rock back L, recover R moving forward turning right face to face partner, back L, -;)
7  [HALF BASIC] In BFLY Forward L, recover R, side L,-;
8  [FENCELINE] to RLOD XRIF of L looking toward DRC (W look DRW), recover L, side R,-;

9-10  Cucaracha Twice to BFLY COH;;
9-10  [CUCARACHA] In BFLY (opt arms as like) Side L, recover R, close L,-; Side R, recover L, close R to BFLY,-;

Part A
1-4  Basic;; Shoulder to Shoulder &; Whip face WALL;
5-8  Crab Walks twd RLOD;; Fenceline &; Whip face COH;
9-12  Chase w/Undarm Pass to face WALL ;; Alemana;;
13-16  Break back to Op LOD; Prog Walk 3; Circle Away & Tog Handshake WALL;;
1-16  Repeat Part A, Meas 1-16 but facing directions will change ;;; ;;; ;;; ;;;

Park B (mod)
1-4  Trade Places Twice to WALL Lead hands;; Open Break; Underarm Turn to Handshake;
5-8  Fwd Basic Lady to Varsuv; Back Basic Lady Turn to BFLY; Half Basic; Fenceline;
1-8  Repeat Part B Meas 1-8 but facing directions will change ;;; ;;; ;;;

9  Cucaracha in 4 to a Handshake;
9  [CUCARACHA in 4] {QQQQ} Side L, recover R, close L to R, close R to L to a R Handshake;

Part B
1-4  Trade Places Twice to WALL Lead Hands;; Open Break; Underarm Turn to Handshake;
5-8  Fwd Basic Lady to Varsuv; Back Basic Lady Turn to BFLY; Half Basic; Fenceline;
9-10  Cucaracha Twice to Handshake WALL;;
1-10 Repeat Part B, Meas 1-10 but facing directions change ;;; ;;; ;;;

End:
1-2  Fwd Basic to Varsuv; Back Basic Lady Turn to BFLY;
1-2  Repeat Part B, Meas 5-6 ;;

3  Step Apart drop hands;
3  [STEP APART] Back L (W Back R) apart from partner & drop hands looking away from partner,-;