

# Almost Samba

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**Record** : STAR 118B "Eso Beso"

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**Rhythm** : Twostep / Samba : Phase IV

**Footwork** : Opposite : (W in Parenthesis)

**Sequence** : Intro ; A ; B ; A ; B ; A ; End ;

Speed Aprox 42 for Comfort

## INTRO

### Meas

**1-4 B/Fly: Wait 1 meas; Apt, Pt, Tog-B/fly, Tch ;**

1-4 : B/fly : Wait 1 Meas.; Apt L, Pt R, Step Tog-CP R, Tch L-R;

## Part A

**1-4 Samba Basic; 2 Sd Cls-OP ; Copas-B/fly;;**

1-2 : [Samba Basic] B/fly > Fwd L/Cl R, Sip L,-, Bk R/Cl L, Sip R,-;

[2 Sd Cls] Sd L, Cl R, Sd L, Cl R-OP;

3-4 : [Copas] OP > Fwd L turning LF 1/4 / Rec R, Slip Bk L, Fwd R turning LF 1/4 / Rec L,  
Slip Bk R; Fwd L turning LF 1/4 / Rec R, Slip Bk L, Fwd R / Rec L, Slip Bk R;- B/fly

**5-8 Open Vine 7 & Pt;; Travelling Volta-B/fly; Whisk L & R - OP; (3rd time thru - B/fly)**

5-6 : [OP Vine 7 & Pt] Sd L turning to LOP, Bk R , turning to B/fly Sd L, Thru R;

Sd L turning to LOP, Bk R , turning to B/fly Sd L, Pt R - RLOD;

7-8 : [Travelling Volta] LOP Fcng > XRif/Sd L, XRif/Sd L, XRif/Sd L, XRif ;

[Whisks] B/fly > Sd L/XRib , Rec L, Sd R/XLib, Rec R;

## Part B

**1-5 Walk 4 - B/fly; Chasse L & R; Criss Cross Volta - B/fly;**

**Chasse R & L ; Criss Cross Volta;**

1: [Walks] In OP : Walk Fwd L, R, L, R - B/fly;

2-3 : [Chasses] Sd L/Cl R, Sd L, Sd R/Cl L, Sd R;

[Criss Cross Volta] Retain joined L/R Hands : Fwd L passing behind W & leading W to  
change sides under joined hands / Sd R to face ptr, XLif / Sd R, XLif / Sd R, XLif;

4-5 [Chasses] In B/fly : Sd R/Cl L, Sd R, Sd L/Cl R, Sd L;

[Criss Cross Volta] : Retain joined R/L Hands : Fwd R passing behind W & leading W to  
change sides under joined hands / Sd L to face ptr, XRif / Sd L, XRif / Sd L, XRif;

**6-8 Sd, Cl, Walk, & P/up; Reverse Turns - Fc wall; 2 Sd, Cls - B/fly,**

6-8 Sd L, Cl R, Sd & Fwd L, Sip R;- CP LOD (W step L around M - CP LOD)

[Rev Turns] Fwd L trng LF / Sd R, XLif of R cont. turn,

Bk R cont. turn / Sd L - CP Wall, Cl R;

[2 Sd Cls] Sd L, Cl R, Sd L, Cl R - B/fly;

## END

**1-8 Samba Basic; 2 Sd Cls-OP; Copas - B/fly;; Open Vine 7 & Pt;;**

**Travelling Volta - OP; Walk 3 & Pt,**

1-7 Repeat meas 1-7 Part A

8 Turning to OP : Walk Fwd L, R, L & Pt R Fwd raising all hands in acclaim,

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