

# Gangster of Love

Count: 84 Wall: 1 Level: Phrased Advanced Rolling 8 / Viennese Waltz

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Music: Gangster of Love - Aiyana-Lee



**INTRO - 8 counts SEQUENCE - A+, B, A, B, C, B**  
(32+4 ct) (36ct) (32ct) (28&ct) (16ct) (36ct)

## A - 32 counts-one wall (start facing 10:30)(A always goes to Part B)

### STEP L, R DEVELOPPE', BACK & HOOK, 1/4 SWEEP, 1/2 HINGE, SWIVEL X2, GV + DRAG

1&a	Step L to L diagonal(1), Developpe' kick R leg(&a)	10:30
2&a	Step R back(2), Hook L over R(&a)	10:30
3&a	Step L sweeping R 1/8 L (3&a)	9
4&a	Cross R(4), 1/4 R stepping on L(&), 1/4 R stepping R to R(a)	3
5&a	Cross L(5), Bring R around to front (swivel)(&a)	3
6&a	Cross R(6), Bring L around to front swivel)(&a)	3
7&a	Cross L over R(7), Step R to R(&), Step L behind R(a)	3
8	Step R to R, <b>HOLD, HOLD</b> (angle to 4:30)(8&a)	4:30

### BACK, 1/4 GV, FULL SPIRAL, SIDE, CROSS HITCH, BACK SWEEP, GV, SIDE L

1	Step L back, <b>HOLD, HOLD</b> (1&a)	4:30
2&a	Step R behind L(2), step L to L(&), touch R across turning 1/4 L(a)	1:30
3&a	Shifting weight to R, Turn full turn L keeping weight on R (3&a)	12
4&a	Step L to L diagonal sweep R around(4&a)	10:30
5&a+	Cross R over L hitch L to left side (5&a)	10:30
6&a+	Step L back sweep R around(6&a)	12
7&a+	R behind L(7), step L to L(&), cross R over L(a)	12
8+	Step L to L(8), <b>HOLD, HOLD</b> (&a)	12

**+REPEAT THE LAST 4 COUNTS OF SET 2, ONLY ON THE FIRST PART A (Add 1&a2&a3&a4&a)**

### CROSS ROCK X2, 1/2 HINGE, CROSS UNWIND 1/2, L TWINKLE, L CROSS & SWEEP, GV, SIDE

1&a	Cross R over L(1), recover L(&), step R to R(a) (hit staccato beats)	12
2&a	Cross L over R(2), recover R(&), step L to L (a)(hit staccato beats)	12
3&a	Cross R over L(3), 1/4 R stepping L(&), 1/4 R stepping R to R(a)	6
4&a	Cross L over R(4), 1/2 R (lift up/hesitate) keeping weight on L(&), step down on R to R (a)(weight R)	12
5&a	Cross L over R(5), Rock R to R(&), Recover to L(a)	12
6&a	Cross R over L (6)and sweep L around(&a)	12
7&a	Cross L over R(7), R to right side(&), cross L behind R(a)	12
8	Step R to R, <b>HOLD, HOLD</b> (8&a)(slide R to right, soft knees continue to right, raise up weight R)	1.30

### FULL TURN DIAMOND FALLAWAY to L, FORWARD BASIC, BACK AND DRAG, PREP, FULL TURN RIGHT

1&a	Forward L(1), side R(&), back L(a) (1/4 turn L)	10.30
2&a	Back R(2) side L(&) forward R(a) (1/4 turn L)	7.30
3&a	Forward L (3)side R (&)back L(a) (1/4 turn L)	4.30
4&a	Back R(4) side L(&) forward R(a) (1/4 turn L)	1.30
5&a	L forward(5), march R(&), march L(a) (fwd basic)	12
6	R back(6) <b>DRAG, DRAG</b> L(&a)	12
7&a	Step L(7), prep R leg by dragging it through to front (&a) (no weight on R)	12
8&a	Forward on R(8), turn 1/2 R step back L(&), turn 1/2 R step fwd on R (a)	12

## B - 36 counts-one wall

### SWAY X2, COLLECT, 2 FULL TURNS W/SWEEP, SAILOR, BACK SWEEP X2, BEHIND, SIDE, TOUCH

1&a	Sway L to L(1&a)	12
2&a	Sway R to R and collect L next to R turning 1/8 R(2&a)	1:30
3&a	Step L forward and sweep R around (prep R to step right and turn right)(3&a)	1:30
4&a	Step R forward(4), 1/2 R stepping back L(&), 1/2 R step fwd R(a) (no turn option: run RLR, L behind & sweep R front to back)	3
5&a	1/2 R stepping back L (5)and continue to turn 1/4 R sweeping R around(&a)	12
6&a	R behind L(6), L to left side(&), R to right side(a) (R sailor)	12
7 a	step L behind R sweeping R(7), HOLD(&), step R behind L sweeping L(a)	12
8&a	L behind R(8), R to right(&), touch L next to R(a)	12

### CROSS ROCK, POINT, TURN, COLLAPSE, STAND UP, SIDE, ¼ SAILOR, BACK SWEEP X2, GV

1&a	Cross L over R(1), recover to R(&), step L to left(a)	12
2 a	Point R to right prep body to left (10.30)(2), HOLD, turn 1/4 right keeping weight on L (a)	1:30
3	Keep pointed R straight, bend L at knee, bend body down from waist(3&a) ("BEND")	1.30
4	Stand up straightening legs (4&a) (option, head down, head up, step side) ("SNAP")	1.30
5	Step R to R turning 1/8 L (5&a)	12
6&a	L behind R(6), turning 1/4 R, step R fwd(&), step L to left(a)	3
7 a	Step R behind L sweeping L(7), HOLD, step L behind R sweeping R(a)	3
8&a	R behind L(8), L to left(&), cross R over L(a)	3

### SIDE BACK ROCK X2, SIDE DRAG, ¼ GV PREP, FULL TURN, SLIDE, COASTER, STEP ¼ CROSS

1&a	L to left(1), rock R back(&), recover(a)	3
2&a	R to right(2), rock L back(&), recover(a)	3
3	Step L to back diagonal pushing booty back("break it"), HOLD, HOLD(3&a)	4.30
4&a	R behind L(4), L forward 1/4 L(&), R forward(a)	1.30
5&a	1/2 pivot L(5), 1/2 L stepping back onto R(&), L back(a)	12
6	R back, drag, drag ("key your car")(6&a)	12
7&a	L back(7), R together(&), L forward(a)	12
8&a	R forward(8), turning ¼ left, shift weight to L(&), cross R over L(a)	9

### ¾ SWEEP, ½ SWEEP, GV, VOLTA CIRCLE

1&a	Step L back sweep R 1/4 R (1) and continue sweeping R another ½ to right (&a)	6
2&a	Step R forward(2) and sweep L ½ right (&a)	12
3&a	Cross L over R(3), R to right(&), L behind R(a)	12
4	Big step R to right(4) DRAG, DRAG L next to R(&a) <b>**END HERE TO GO INTO C</b>	12

### VOLTA CIRCLE (Turn back to left side to start volta)

5 a	L to L turning 1/4 L(5), R next to L(a)	9
6 a	L to L turning 1/4 L(6), R next to L(a)	6
7 a	L to L turning 1/4 L(7), R next to L(a)	3
8	L to L turning 1/4 L(8&a)	12

### SWAY X2, WALK X2, BALL

1	Sway R, HOLD, HOLD (1&a)	12
2	Sway L, HOLD, HOLD (2&a)	12
3	Walk R to L diagonal, HOLD, HOLD (3&a)	10.30
4 a	Walk L to L(4), HOLD (&)ball step R next to L on "a"(a)	10.30

## C - 16 counts-one wall

### FULL TURN DIAMOND FALLAWAY, SIDE HOLD, BALL STEP, TWINKLE, SWEEP

1&a	L Forward, side, back (1/4 turn L)	9
2&a	R Back, side, forward (1/4 turn L)	6
3&a	L Forward, side, back (1/4 turn L)	3
4&a	R Back, side, forward (1/4 turn L)	12
5	Step L to L and put hands up palms facing forward on "wait", (5)HOLD, HOLD(&a)	12
6&a	HOLD(6), R ball, step L to L ("people, though" (&a)	12
7&a	Cross R over L(7), rock L to left side(&), recover onto R(a)	12
8&a	Step L forward(8) and sweep R around(&a)	12

### TWINKLE, GV W/TOUCH, UNWIND, MAMBO, DRAG, COASTER, PREP, FULL TURN

1&a	Cross R over L(1), rock L to left side(&), recover onto R(a)	12
2&a	Cross L over R(2), side R(&), touch L behind R(a)	12
3&a	Unwind full turn L(3&a)	12
4&a	R rock(4), recover onto L(&), step back on R(a)	12
5	Step back on L(5), drag, drag(&a)	12
6&a	R back(6), L together(&), R forward(a)	12
7&a	Step L(7), prep R leg by dragging it through to front (no weight on R)(&a)	12
8&a	Forward on R(8), turn 1/2 R step back L(&), turn 1/2 R step fwd on R(a)	12
	<b>GO TO PART B</b>	

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