

# MATILDAS MAMBO

Description: Beginner: 32 count: 4 Wall: Right Rotation. No Tags or Restarts.

Music: Pappa Loves Mambo. By Perry Como.

Choreographer: Shanthie De Mel, Australia. March 2024.

Begin: Intro of 16 counts. Start on vocals...."Pappa loves"

This dance celebrates The Australian Women's National Soccer Team THE MATILDAS qualifying for The Paris Olympics 2024, The XXXIII Olympiad.

## (1-8) MAMBO BASIC IN PLACE. FORWARD. LEFT. RIGHT. BACK.

- 1&2 Rock forward on R. Recover L. Step R together.
- 3&4 Rock L to left side. Recover R. Step L together.
- 5&6 Rock R to right side. Recover L. Step R together.
- 7&8 Rock back on L. Recover R. Step L together. (12:00) Optional - Mambo Hip Action.

## (9-16) MAMBO CROSS MOVING FORWARD.

- 1&2 Rock R to right side. Recover L. Cross R over L moving forward.
- 3&4 Rock L to left side. Recover R. Cross L over R moving forward.
- 5&6 Rock R to right side. Recover L. Cross R over L moving forward.
- 7&8 Rock L to left side. Recover R. Cross L over R moving forward. (12:00) Optional - Hand action on last beat.

## (17-24) MAMBO K-STEP

- 1&2 Step R diagonally forward. Step L together. Step R in place.
- 3&4 Step L diagonally back. Step R together. Step L in place.
- 5&6 Step R diagonally back. Step L together. Step R in place.
- 7&8 Step L diagonally forward. Step R together. Step L in place. (12:00) Optional - Clap on last beat.

## (25-32) MAMBO BACK DIAGONAL x3. TURN 1/4 RIGHT. HOLD.

- 1&2 Step R diagonally back. Step L together. Step R in place.
- 3&4 Step L diagonally back. Step R together. Step L in place.
- 5&6 Step R diagonally back. Step L together. Step R in place.
- 7- 8 Turning 1/4 right step L to left side. Hold. (3:00)

Smile, sing along & have fun!