# **Ol' Skool Company**

**Description:** 32 Count, 4 Wall - Level: Intermediate **Choreographer:** Rona Kaye, NYC (April, '09) **Music:** "Ol' Skool Company" by Prince (Note: Track can be faded out at 4:00 minutes, after lyrics "power to the people"...)

## Ball, change w/touches, 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turns into body roll & upper body contraction:

(Note: The first two steps of the dance are the end of the triple step that is at the end of the dance.)

& 1 Quick step forward R, step L foot slightly forward and in front of the R 12:00

2-3 Touch R toe forward, touch R toe back

& Turn <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> to R as elbows come into your waist (arms bent at 90 degrees) 3:00

4 Repeat this <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn R with the arms staying steady bringing your weight onto the L 6:00

5-7 Body roll forward to back--use your hands/arms to assist you in the roll-they come down as you roll forward in the chest and

then come up again to just head height by the time you are finished with the 3 count roll, weight ends on the L 6:00

& 8 Upper body contracts with shoulders coming forward, then back with hand styling

### Kick, ball, touch, full turn triple/touch, shift weight R, weave & heel & cross:

1 & 2 Kick R foot forward, step down R, touch L toe to L side 6:00

& Full turn triple step to L: step down on L as you turn <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> to L 3:00

3 Step back on your R as you turn <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> to L 9:00

& Step L side L as you turn <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> to L 6:00

4 Touch R toe out to R side as you "plie" into your L knee-arms come up, over and down to L knee

5 Shift your weight to your R foot as your arms come up and over to the R and point L toe to L side

6 & 7 "Behind, side, cross": Cross L foot behind the R, step R side R, cross L foot over the R

& 8 Step R side R, put L heel to side and slightly in front

& 1 Step down on the L slightly behind, cross R foot over the L with weight 6:00

## <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> L turn hitch, ball, step "look" back & forward, forward triple full turn, toe switches:

2 Turn <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> to the L as you "hitch" L knee up (slight forward upper body contraction) 9:00

& 3 Step down on L foot, then step R foot forward (weight is even on both feet)

& 4 "Quick" look 1/2 turn to L, then look forward 1/2 turn to R, weight shifts to R foot 9:00

5 & 6 Full turn triple to the R: Step L foot back as you turn  $\frac{1}{2}$  to R, step R side R as you turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  to R, turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  R and step L foot next to the R with weight 9:00

7 & 8 Touch R toe to R side, step R foot to center, touch L toe to L side 9:00

## Step, touch, knee lift, "C" step ¼ turn R, 1/4 pivot turn R, toe touches & hitch, triple step forward:

& 1 Step L foot to center, touch R toe to R side 9:00

& 2 Lift R knee up and across L leg, touch R toe out to R side

& 3, 4 Lift R knee up and across into "C" step: R knee sweeps toward the L, comes up and around to the R as you turn  $\frac{1}{4}$  to the R, step down onto the R 12:00

5 & 6 Step forward L, turn ¼ to the R as you transfer the weight onto the R Point L toe across and in front of the R 3:00

& 7 & Point L toe out to L side, point L toe to the front, hitch L knee up

8 & 1 Triple step forward L-R-L and begin dance again to new (3:00) wall

## End of the dance...begin again...have fun!

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