Vocabulary, Concepts, and Abbreviations

for Walk In, Dance Out by Larry Caves and Kaye West

Learning any topic involves learning terminology! Check your understanding of the following terms. If unclear, reread about them in the associated lesson. Subsequent lessons reinforce terminology previously introduced.

| Lesson 1 | change weight (step) close comma (,) counterclockwise (CCW) dance frame dance position | direction of mo follow(er) hyphen (-) lead(er) side | ovement | slow (S) count SSQQ Social Foxtrot together quick (Q) count walk |
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| Lesson 2 | alternate terms back clear space closed position (CP) diagonal (diag) face fill space | forward (fwd) left (L) line of dance (outside partne path promenade po | er | run semi-closed position (Semi) square starting direction starting position timing concepts wall |
| Lesson 3 | brush center (COH) character of a rhythm clockwise (CW) components full weight illusion in dance lead a twirl left-face (LF) | loop match partner movement bef movement end recover replace response to sig | fore count 1 tween steps ergy | rock step (rock) side-close signal to twirl (invite) swivel turn twirl underarm turn zig zag |
| Lesson 4 | adjust Change Places Left to Right Change Places Right to Left East Coast Swing / Jive Hip to Hip Position Lead adjusts footwork lead hands | Low Butterfly I Music – Single Music – Social open a path pass relocate | Swing | rock apart – recover rock back – recover Single Swing tone triple Two-Hand Hold |
| Lesson 5 | 1-2-3 timing 3/4 time 4/4 time bar Box | downbeat Hesitation Left Left Turning Bo measure Progressive Bo | ОХ | Progressive Twinkle Right Turning Box Waltz Zig Zag Box |
| Lesson 6 | American style International style Round Dancing | | Rumba Rumba Box w/Underarm Turn (2 variations) Slow Quick Quick (SQQ) timing | |
| Lesson 7 | American Style Cha Cha Basic and (&) create space/fill space | | Back Shoulder to Shoulder Cha cha chasse' | |

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| Lesson 7, | eighth note | quarter beats | |
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| continued | end of last beat of previous measure | quarter note | |
| | five changes of weight | QQQ/&Q (123/&4) timing | |
| | Hand to Hand (5 th Position Break, Fallaway | (2 quick plus 1 chasse') | |
| | Break) | Shoulder to Shoulder (Outside Break, Offset | |
| | moving between changes of weight | Break, Parallel Break) | |
| | New Yorker (New York, Cross Over Break) | Triple Swing | |
| | opposite foot lead | | |
| Lesson 8 | | | |
| Lesson 9 | | | |

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