Drifter

Choreographed by Sue & Denny Inman

Description: 42 count, beginner/intermediate partner dance

- **Music**: Black Velvet by Alannah Myles [92bpm / Alannah Myles / The Very Best Of] Black Velvet by Robin Lee [92bpm / Black Velvet]
 - The Wanderer by Eddie Rabbitt [118bpm / Greatest Country Hits]
- Position: Dance is done in Western Open Position

Start dancing on lyrics

HEEL, TOGETHER, HEEL, TOGETHER:

- 1 Touch right heel forward
- 2 Touch right heel next to left
- 3 Touch right heel forward
- 4 Touch right heel next to left

STEP, TOUCH, CROSS, TOUCH:

- 5 Step forward on right and pivot ¼ turn to the right
- 6 Touch left toe to the left side
- (Note: Man is behind lady with their hands over the lady's shoulders.)
- 7 Left steps across right foot
- 8 Touch right to the right side

CROSS, BACK, SIDE, TOGETHER: (THIS IS A REVERSE BOX STEP)

- 9 Right steps across left foot
- 10 Step left back
- 11 Step right to side
- 12 Left touch together

SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE, TOGETHER: (LEFT GRAPEVINE FOR THE MAN, LEFT TURNING GRAPEVINE FOR THE LADY)

- 13 Step left to side
- 14 Cross right behind left
- 15 Step left to side
- 16 Step right together

RIGHT, CENTER, LEFT, CENTER: (RISE UP ON BALLS OF FEET)

- 17 Heels touch right
- 18 Heels touch center
- 19 Heels touch left
- 20 Heels touch center

BACK, TWO, THREE, SCOOT:

("Drifts" back to Western Open Position facing Line-Of-Dance)

- 21 Step right back
- 22 Step left back
- 23 Step right back
- 24 Raise left knee and scoot on right foot

BOOGIE FRONT, BOOGIE BACK:

- 25 Step left forward and push left hip towards LOD
- 26 Bump hips left towards LOD again
- 27 Bump hips right to rear LOD
- 28 Bump hips right to rear LOD again

FRONT, BACK, FRONT, BACK, STEP, SCOOT:

- 29 Bump hips left towards LOD
- 30 Bump hips right to rear LOD
- 31 Bump hips left towards LOD
- 32 Bump hips right to rear LOD
- 33 Step left forward

34 Raise right knee and scoot on left foot

SHUFFLE RIGHT, SHUFFLE LEFT:

- 35& Step right forward, step left together
- 36 Step right forward
- 37& Step left forward, step right together
- 38 Step left forward

SHUFFLE RIGHT, SHUFFLE LEFT:

- 39& Step right forward, step left together
- 40 Step right forward
- 41& Step left forward, step right together
- 42 Step left forward

REPEAT

Stay basic for beginners. The more turns you do on vines the more difficult