


## Dancing In The Dark

Choreographed by Jo Thompson

Description: 32 count, 2 wall, beginner/intermediate line dance

Musik: **Smoke Rings In The Dark** by Gary Allan [116 bpm / [Smoke Rings In The Dark](#)]  
**I Should Have Been True** by The Mavericks [104 bpm / [Super Colossal Smash Hits Of The 90s](#) / Available on iTunes  

When doing this dance, or other Rhumba type dances the basic timing is Quick (1) Quick (2) Slow (3,4), The slow steps are those followed by the holds, For styling on these steps, try doing a slow weight change using the two counts to complete the step, This will help to give your Rhumba a more fluid quality and helps prevent any tendency to bounce.

**GRAPEVINE RIGHT WITH ¼ TURN RIGHT, RONDE, JAZZ BOX ¼ TURN LEFT, HOLD**

1-2 Step right to side, cross left behind right  
3 Turn ¼ right and step right forward  
4 Sweep left toe out to left side, forward and around across right  
5-6 Cross left over right, step right back  
7-8 Turn ¼ left, stepping left to left side, hold

**CROSS ROCK, SIDE RIGHT, HOLD, CROSS ROCK, SIDE LEFT, HOLD**

9-10 Cross/rock right forward across left, rock left back  
11-12 Step right to side, hold  
13-14 Cross/rock left forward across right, rock right back  
15-16 Step left to side, hold

**CROSS, SIDE LEFT, ¼ TURN RIGHT, HOLD, BACK ROCK, STEP FORWARD, HOLD**

17-18 Cross right over left, step left to side  
19-20 Turn ¼ right, stepping back right, hold  
21-22 Rock left back, recover to right  
23-24 Step left forward, hold

**RIGHT LOCK STEP FORWARD, HOLD, STEP ¼ PIVOT RIGHT, CROSS, HOLD**

25-26 Step right forward, lock left behind right  
27-28 Step right forward, hold  
29-30 Step left forward, pivot ¼ turn right, taking weight onto right  
31-32 Cross left over right, hold

**REPEAT**