

THRILLER

Introduction

You will hear a door creek open... then foot steps. Walk forward like a zombie for 14 counts with head down
Look up slowly for 8 counts (count will depend on the speed of the music)

Lean to right looking to the right for 8 counts

Come back to center slowly looking forward for 8 counts

Cross over R over L slowly using 4 counts with weight ending on R on count 4

Cross over L over R slowly moving slightly forward using 4 counts with weight ending on L on count 4

Repeat R and L cross overs above

Counts 1-2 (quick step) Step Out-Out R-L, Hold (counts 3-4)

Counts 5-8 With feet still apart, you are looking straight forward, ARMS (hands in fists): Count 5 R arm straight up, L arm straight out to L side; count 6 reverse arms; count 7 both arms straight up; count 8 lower both arms

(Note: When you switch arm positions, always pull arms half way down with bent elbows, fists will be at shoulder height, with fists closed. This is not an & count but just a split second of a beat as you switch arm positions)

IN GROUPS Beginning with "point" person of triangle: Step R side, cross L over R, lean on R (weight remains on R) arms and scary hands to R and then L side; reverse going to L side (total of 32 counts)

Cross Over R, Cross over L moving forward 8 counts

Hips Rolls R and L (body faces side walls, face is forward) 8 counts

Step Forward on R, ½ turn L, step back on R as you make another ½ turn L, Kick L forward, Walk back ending with R toe pointed to R side 8 counts

Right Knee Hitches and side points 2x, Jazz Box (weight ending on L) 8 counts

"SCREAM" Stepping R,L,R,L as you toss head side to side and frame face with hands 4 counts

Step to R side, touch L behind as you raise R arm straight up and snap fingers; Step to L side, touch R behind as you raise L arm straight up and snap fingers: 4 Counts

Roll to R and "toss" head; roll to L and "toss" head 8 counts

ZOMBIES – both arms straight forward as you step R forward, hold; turn ½ turn L, hold; step R forward, hold; ½ turn L, hold

Zombie stepping into "V" pattern with hold counts : 8 counts

Thriller Chorus:

1-8 Step R forward, hold, step L forward, hold, walk forward for counts 5,6,7; raise shoulders up and down for counts & 8

1-8 Diagonal hip rolls L, hold and R, hold (weight on R)

1-4 Walk back L,R,L, hold and snap head to look Left on count 4

5-8 Walk back R,L,R, hold and snap head to look Right on count 8

1-4 Vine L, hold and look forward on count 4

Point R out to R side, hold, bring R next to L and point L to L side, hold, step L back slightly and point R forward on as you raise arms slowly

Part of Introduction: Everyone: Step R side, cross L over R, lean on R (weight remains on R) arms and scary hands to R and then L side; reverse going to L side (total of **8** counts ONLY)

REPEAT ENTIRE DANCE Beginning with cross over steps