# **HIGHER**

**Choreographer:** Joshua Talbot

**Music:** Higher – Michael Buble/Higher (length 3.05m)

Level: Easy Intermediate: 4 Wall
Counts: 32 Counts Extras: 3 x Tags

Intro: Starts on lyrics 'Have It". Approx 2 second from start of track

Notes: It's a quick start so listen to the lyrics and start just after he sings.

## Section 1: JUMP FWD, HOLD, SWAY, SWAY, CROSS, SWEEP, CROSS, 1/4 BACK

**&1, 2** Jump R fwd (slightly out), jump L fwd (slightly out), hold

**3, 4** Sway R, sway L

5, 6 Cross R over L, Sweep L over R7, 8 Step L over R, ¼ L step R back

#### Section 2: SIDE, HOLD & SIDE, TOUCH, SIDE ROCK, RECOVER, BACK ROCK, RECOVER

**1, 2&** Step L to L, hold, step R together

**3, 4** Step L to L, touch R together (slightly hitching R knee)

**5, 6** Rock R to R, recover weight L (add a natural sway motion with the rock)

**7, 8** Rock R back, recover weight L

#### Section 3: WALK, WALK, STEP, LOCK, STEP, ROCK FWD, RECOVER, BACK, HOLD, TOGETHER

**1, 2** Step R fwd, step L fwd

**3&4** Step R slightly fwd, lock L behind R, step R in place (try stay on the spot, like a cha cha)

**5, 6** Rock L fwd, recover weight R

7, 8& Step L back, drag R towards L/hold, step R together

#### Section 4: STEP BACK, STEP TOGETHER, CROSS SAMBA, JAZZ BOX 1/2 TURN R

**1, 2** Step L back, step R together

3&4 Cross L over R, step R to R, step L to L5, 6 Cross R over L, ¼ R step L back

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#### **Tags**

## End of walls 2 & 5: 20 counts

#### R NIGHTCLUB, L NIGHTCLUB 1/4 L, STEP POINT x2, 1/4 JAZZ BOX, STOMP, HOLD x2, RECOVER

- **1, 2, 3, 4** Step R to R, drag L towards R, rock L behind, recover weight R **5, 6, 7, 8** Step L to L, drag R towards L, step R behind L, ¼ L step L fwd
- **1, 2, 3, 4** Step R fwd, point L to L, step L fwd, point R to R
- 5, 6, 7, 8 Cross R over L, ¼ R step L back, step R to R, step L together
- 1, 2, 3, 4 Stomp R fwd to R diagonal, hold, hold, recover weight L

(naturally sway hips fwd on the stomp and slowly back as you recover weight)

#### End of Wall 7: 40 counts

#### Do the first 16 counts of the tag above twice then add another 2-jazz box 1/4 R steps

1, 2, 3, 4 Cross R over L, ¼ R step L back, step R to R, step L together

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# Finish: Dance the samba on wall 9; Then cross R over L and roll <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> R to front, stomp fwd R (There are some strong beats at the end after the stomp-try and mimic with your hips for a bit of fun!)

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