

# Never Let Me Go

**Count:** 96      **Wall:** 2      **Level:** Intermediate / Advanced waltz

**Choreographer:** Esmeralda v.d. Pol (NL) Feb 2017

**Music:** "Stand By Me" by Shayne Ward

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**Intro :** Start on vocals 0.17 seconds.

## **S1: SIDE DRAG, FULL TURN RIGHT**

1-2-3            Step L to L side, Drag RF next to LF in 2 counts  
4-5-6            ¼ turn R-step RF fwd, ½ turn R-step LF back, ¼ turn R-step RF to R side

## **S2: CROSS POINT, COASTER STEP**

1-2-3            Cross LF over RF, Point 2 counts  
4-5-6            Step RF back, Step LF next to RF, Step RF fwd\*\*\*restart 3rd wall

## **S3: STEP FWD, ¼ TURN L, TWINKLE ½ TURN R**

1-2-3            Step LF fwd, ¼ L on LF and sweep RF to front  
4-5-6            Cross RF over LF, ¼ turn R-step LF back, ¼ turn R-step RF to side

## **S4: STEP FWD SWEEP, TWINKLE ¼ TURN R**

1-2-3            Step fwd on LF, Sweep RF to front  
4-5-6            Cross RF over LF, ¼ turn R-step LF back, Step RF slightly fwd

## **S5: STEP SWEEP, STEP SWEEP**

1-2-3            Step LF fwd, Sweep RF to front  
4-5-6            Step RF fwd, Sweep LF to front

## **S6: FWD ROCK, RECOVER, STEP BACK, ¼ TURN R POINT**

1-2-3            Rock LF fwd, Recover weight on RF, Step LF back  
4-5-6            ¼ turn R-step RF to R side, Point LF to L side 2 counts

## **S7: FULL TURN L, CROSS ROCK, SIDE**

1-2-3            Replace weight on LF and make a full turn L sweep RF  
4-5-6            Rock RF fwd, Recover weight on LF, Step RF to R side

## **S8: STEP FWD, DRAG, BACK, ½ TURN L, STEP FWD**

1-2-3            Step LF diagonal fwd, Drag RF in 2 counts next to LF  
4-5-6            Step RF back, ½ turn L-step LF fwd, Step RF fwd \*\*\*restart 5th wall

## **S9: STEP FWD, DRAG, BACK, BACK, 1/8 R SIDE STEP**

1-2-3            Step LF fwd, Drag RF next to LF in 2 counts  
4-5-6            Step RF back, Step LF back, 1/8 turn R-step RF to R side

## **S10: CROSS ROCK FWD, RECOVER, SIDE, CROSS**

1-2-3            Rock LF fwd in 3 counts  
4-5-6            Recover weight on RF- Step LF to L side, Cross RF over LF

## **S11: SIDE, DRAG, 1 ¼ TURN R**

1-2-3            Step LF to L side, Drag RF in 2 counts next to LF  
4-5-6            ¼ turn R-step RF fwd, ½ turn R-step LF back, ½ turn R-step RF fwd

## **S12: STEP FWD, ½ TURN R**

1-2-3            Step LF fwd 3 counts  
4-5-6            ½ turn R-weight on RF 3 counts

## **S13: TWINKLE FWD, ROCK FWD**

1-2-3            Cross LF over RF, Step RF to R side, Step LF to L side  
4-5-6            Rock RF fwd

**S14: RECOVER SWEEP, TWINKLE BACK**

1-2-3 Recover weight on LF, sweep RF to back  
4-5-6 Step RF behind LF, Step LF to L side, Step RF to R side

**S15: CROSS BEHIND,  $\frac{3}{4}$  TURN L, STEP FWD SWEEP**

1-2-3 Cross LF behind RF,  $\frac{3}{4}$  turn L on your heels, replace weight on LF  
4-5-6 Step RF fwd, Sweep LF to front

**S16: CROSS, DRAG, HIP SWAY**

1-2-3 Cross LF over RF, Drag RF next to LF  
4-5-6 Step RF to R side and sway hip in 3 counts

**Tag: after 1st wall - 12 counts**

1-2-3 Sway Hips L  
4-5-6 Sway Hips R

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4-5-6 Sway Hips R

**Restarts:-**

**Restart in the 4rd wall after 12 counts**

**Restart in the 6th wall after 48 counts**

**Replace count 5 in  $\frac{3}{8}$  turn to the back wall, count 6 cross RF over LF and start again**