



# It's Only Christmas

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**Music:** "It's Only Christmas" 3:25 mins

**Artist:** Ronan Keating and Hayley Westenra

**Album:** Christmas Magic

**Level:** Intermediate, 2 wall, **Counts:** 32 Counts 1 Tag, 1 Restart, **Start:** 8 counts in

**(1-8) Skate, Skate, Behind, ¼ Turn, Forward, Pivot turn, Forward, Full Turn, Forward, Together Back, Together**

- 1,2, Skate, R forward, Skate L forward,
- 3& Step R behind L, Turning ¼ L step L forward
- 4&5 Step R forward, Pivot ½ L, Step R forward
- 6& Turning ½ R step L back, Turning ½ R step R forward
- 7& Step L forward, Step R beside L,
- 8& Step L back, Step R beside L (3:00)

**(9-16) Across, Side, Rock, Across, ¼ Turn, ¼ Turn, Across, Side, Rock, Across, Side, Behind, Side,**

- 1,2& Step L across R, Step R to side, rock weight to L
- 3,4& Step R across L, Turning ¼ R step L back, Turning ¼ R step R to side
- 5,6& Step L across R, Step R to side, rock weight to L
- 7&8& Step R across L, Step L to side, Step R behind L, Step L to side (9:00)

**(17-24) Side Drag, Behind, Side, Across, Recover, ¼ Turn, Full Turn, Shuffle Forward, Step R Forward, Pivot turn**

- 1,2& Large Step R to side and drag L to R, Step L behind R, Step R to side,
- 3,4& Step L across R, Recover weight onto L, *Turning ¼ L* Step L forward,
- 5 Step R forward and spin a full turn L and hook L as you turn
- 6&7 Shuffle forward stepping LRL \*
- 8& Step R forward, Pivot ½ L \*\*\* (Restart) (12:00)

**(25-32) Step R forward, Step L forward, Pivot ½ R, Step L forward, Forward, Together, Back, Sweep, Back, Sweep, Coaster Step, Together**

- 1,2&3 Step R forward, Step L forward, Pivot ½ R, Step L forward,
- 4& Step R forward, Step L beside R
- 5& Step R back, Sweep L back
- 6& Step L back, Sweep R back
- 7&8& Step R back, Step L beside R, Step R forward, Step L beside R (6:00)

**REPEAT**

**TAG: End of Wall 3 (facing back) do the following:**

**(1-8) Skate, Skate, Sailor step, Sailor step, Sway, Sway**

- 1,2 Skate R forward, Skate L forward
- 3&4 Step R behind L, Step L to side, Large step R to side and drag L
- 5&6 Step L behind R, Step R to side, Large step L to side and drag R
- 7,8 Step R slightly to side and Sway hips to R, Sway hips to L

**RESTART: Wall 5 restart after count 24& \*\*\* (you will restart facing the front)**

**Ending: After count 23 – Step L forward and drag R up to L**