



# "Ain't Too Proud to Beg"



**Artist:** The Temptations  
**Album** *iTunes*  
**Music:** R&B (2:30)  
**Level:** Intermediate

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**Sequence: INTRO – Chor 1 – A – Chor 2 – A – Chor 1 – B – A – Chor 2 – End**

## INTRO (32 cts.)

**Start immediately after drum roll (approx. 3 seconds)**

**Step Together** S S(tog.) S Tch(tog.) – Repeat Opposite Foot (rock arms 2 Xs & clap each set)  
 L R L R  
 1 2 3 4 5, 6, 7, 8

**Jazz Square Break** S S(xif) S(bk) S(bk) S(fwd) - Repeat Opposite Foot  
 L R L R L  
 1 2 3 & 4 5, 6, 7&8

**Repeat Step Together and Jazz Square Break** (16 cts.)

## CHORUS 1 (32 cts.)

**Stroll** Heelball Slur/S – repeat – DS(to L) Br Up(to bk) Basic  
 L R L R L R R  
 1 & 2 3&4 &a5 & 6 &a7&8

**Samantha** DS DS(xif) Drag S Drag S RS Double Basic  
 L R R L L R LR L  
 &a1 &a2 & 3 & 4 &5 &a6&a7&8

**Repeat Stroll (to frt) and Samantha** (16 cts.)

## PART A (32 cts.)

**Cowboy** (to L diag.) DS DS DS Br Up DS(xif) (bking up & clapping) RS RS RS  
 L R L R R L LR LR LR  
 &a1 &a2 &a3 & 4 &a5 &6 &7 &8

**2 Heel Rock Steps & 2 Basics** (face frt) Hdig RS - repeat - Basic Basic  
 L LR L R  
 1 &2 3&4 &a5&6 &a7&8

**Repeat all PART A, except do Cowboy to R diag.** (16 cts.)

# "Ain't Too Proud to Beg" (cont.)

**CHORUS 2 (32 cts.)**

- Twisting Cha Cha**      Stomp(xif) S Ball Ball Ball - Repeat Opposite Foot  
    L     R    L    R    L  
    1     2    3    & 4     5, 6, 7&8
- Turning Cha Cha**      Basketball Turn Ball Ball Ball - Repeat Opposite Foot  
    L     to R    L    R    L  
    1     2    3    & 4     5, 6, 7&8
- Stomp Double**      Stomp DS DS RS  
    L     R    L    RL  
    1    &a2 &a3 &4
- Jump Touches**      Jp(ots) Tch(tog.) clap - Repeat Opposite Foot  
    R     L  
    &     5     6     &7, 8
- Turkey**      Heelball Slur/S Basic  
    R     L     R  
    1 &    2    &a3&4
- Sam**      DS DS(xif) Drag S Drag S  
    L    R     R    L    L    R  
    &a5 &a6     &    7    &    8

**PART B (Square) (no lyrics section) (32 cts.)**

- Roll It**      (rolling fists) S Toe(xib) - Repeat Opposite Foot  
    L     R  
    1     2     3, 4
- Turning Rocking Chair**    (1/4 turn) DS Br Up/Clap Basic  
    L    L    R    R     R  
    &a5   & 6     &a7&8

**Repeat Roll It and Turning Rocking Chair 3 more times to end front (24 cts.)**

**END – Basics to exit (roll fists high then low) (8 cts.)**

### ABBREVIATIONS

<b>bk</b> - back	<b>Hdig</b> - Heel dig (no wt.)	<b>tog.</b> - together
<b>Br</b> - Brush	<b>Jp</b> - Jump	<b>Up</b> - lift knee up/drop other heel
<b>diag.</b> - diagonal	<b>ots</b> - out to the side	<b>wt.</b> - weight
<b>DS</b> - Double Step	<b>RS</b> - Rock Step	<b>xib</b> - cross foot in back
<b>frt</b> - front	<b>S</b> - Step	<b>xif</b> - cross foot in front
<b>fwd</b> - forward	<b>Tch</b> - Touch	<b>Xs</b> - Times