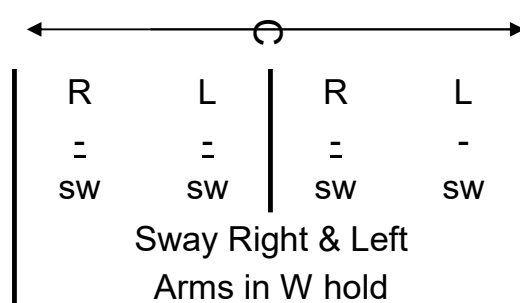
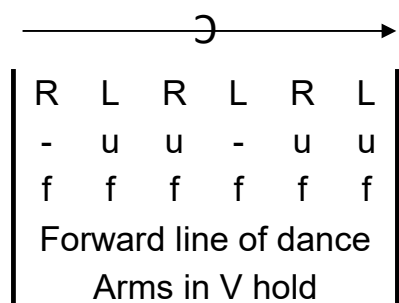


# Ave Maria Brasileira

**Choreography:** Cristiana Menezes, Brazilian Soul in Movement (2001)  
**Music:** samba-canção de Vicente Paiva & Jayme Redondo  
CD: Natal de Cavaquinho - Sérgio Chiavazzoli  
**Time:** 2:50 mins approx  
**Formation:** Circle - joined  
**Rhythm:** 4/4 Slow - quick - quick  
**Arrangement:** Start with ukulele after a pause (after 4 strums on mandolin)

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## Ave Maria – Brazil (Holy Mary) lyrics

Holy Mary in her litters  
Pray for us, sinners  
Bless in this dark land  
Its rivers, fields and serene nights.  
Bless the waterfalls and butterflies that adorn the woods  
Holy Mary, we believe in You  
Virgin Mary, pray for us  
Listen to the prayers, murmurs of light  
That rise to the skies taken by the wind  
They take us to You, Virgin Mary  
Pray for us.