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Details

Liset AI, aka "Happy Feet," Proudly Presents:

"Dominican-Style" Bachata Dance Class for All Levels

DATE: Thursday, December 7, 2017

TIME: 6:00-7:00 p.m.

PLACE: Ripley-Grier Studios 520 8th Ave., Studio 16K New York, NY 10018

INSTRUCTOR BIO: Born and raised in the birthplace of bachata music and dance, the Dominican Republic, Liset AI is one of the leading dancers of traditional bachata in New York City.

Liset, who is completely bilingual in English and Spanish, first learned how to dance bachata and merengue as a young girl in her native Dominican Republic. Although she carries bachata music and dance in her blood, Liset has also trained extensively in bachata and salsa dancing with world-renowned professional instructors and dance teams in New York City, such as Alma Latina NYC, Joel Salsa NY's Bachata Performance Class, Piel Canela Dance Company, and Joe Burgos.

Liset has taught traditional bachata dance classes and workshops with famous Venezuelan bachata instructor Jorge Infante ("El Bomba"), his El Maestro Estudio de Baile, internationally recognized Dominican instructor Juan Mejía, and his Bachata Fix RD.

Liset's bachata dance performances, solo dancing, and social dancing with the world-famous bachata dancer from the Dominican Republic Yeri La Ley and others have been seen in countless Facebook and YouTube videos hundreds of thousands of times by dance enthusiasts throughout the world.





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CLASS DESCRIPTION:

After a fun dance warmup to merengue music by Antony Santos and to other lively Caribbean music, students (both men and women) will NOT do what they typically do in most bachata dance classes and workshops: they will not merely copy the instructor's complicated bachata footwork and patterns that may look attractive in a choreographed dance performance but will never be appropriate for or doable in the social dance environment.

Instead, students will learn fundamental bachata steps, body movements, and rhythms that serve as the basic building blocks of authentic bachata as the people dance it in Liset's native Dominican Republic.

Students will then learn how to draw upon and combine these essential elements of traditional bachata to create and express their own unique and fun dances that are synchronized with and appropriate for particular songs, rhythms, dance partners, and social dance settings.

After learning how to create unique bachata dances suitable to particular settings, students will also learn a simple, easy-to-learn, fun bachata dance pattern that they can do with a partner in any social dance environment.

Please note that no dance partner is necessary. Students will rotate dance partners during the class.

COST:

The class is only \$5 for those who share this event on Facebook or Instagram, or it's still only \$7 on the day of the class.

MORE INFORMATION:

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