

11.3 Men cannot dance, do not try

Almost no man is blessed with the talents of John Travolta or Fred Astaire.

Dancing gained enormous popularity in recent years, programs like 'Dancing with the Stars' made it. 'Men better stay away from the dance floor, 99.9 percent of them have no sense of rhythm, timing and movement,'

claims at least the British journalist Claudia Cornelle. 'There are few men who are not ridicule when they dance: Fred Astaire, John Travolta and Michael Jackson (although the latter is still to discuss). '

Claudia Cornelle: 'There are certain milestones in a relationship: the first kiss, the first meeting with his family, the first holiday together and the first time you see him dancing. I think men are just better not to venture onto the dance floor. The majority just looks ridiculous, it starts with their attire. Most men wear a costume as they dance, anything but suitable:.. tie swings to all sides, the pants reveals occasional ugly socks while his armpit ponds still become greater. '

Men vs. women

'I'm not saying that all women are natural ballerinas. But they do seem to be on the dance floor at home, it is the same if you let a woman playing soccer, men now do this better. A woman don't takes herself so seriously on the dance floor and she knows of herself that she is not the best dancer. Unlike men, they see the humor in that. It's like they've rehearsed their passes in advance.' says Cornelle.

Encircling

'Many women also find it appalling that when she stands between her friends like to dance, and there is suddenly a sweaty man that takes her hand and wish her to rotate. It looks anything but elegant,' says Cornelle. 'They're too nice to reject this man so she runs in circles until she is ill or has a dislocated shoulder. So a tip for the men who still want to go on the dance floor.. Leave the women alone and dance alone.'

'I admit, it's not really modern to think this way, but dancing men look anything but manly ', concludes the journalist.

We went looking for the dance moves on which most men go wrong. To avoid blunders on the dancefloor better not venture up here.

Admittedly, it looks cool when rappers rotate on the floor. But you forget that breakdancers have lots of practice. The average man seems just some bumbling on the floor when breakdancing. Afterwards you will have a ruined outfit and probably an injury.

Walk

Many men seem to jog when they are on the dance floor. It's an easy step, but it looks anything but cool.

Moonwalk

The moonwalk made Michael Jackson famous, but that was long ago, nowadays this pass is anything but hip. The moonwalk is a difficult move, and if you do not do it well, you look downright stupid. (ep) (HIn 14/12/2008)