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1. CALMING THE STORM

(Front Right Roundhouse Club)

- > Step slightly to the left with your right foot to 12:00 between opponent's legs
- ➤ Left extended outward block to wrist with a **right vertical punch** to face **at same time**
- ➤ Pivot into a right forward bow and shoot a left vertical punch to solar plexus (as your right hand slides to the left *under your left* punch as an inward parry)
- > Drop back into a **right neutral bow** and deliver a **right back knuckle** to ribs while your left executes a left extended outward hand sword block

2. PARTING WINGS

(Front Two Hand High Push)

- > Step back with Right foot into a Left Neutral Bow
- ➤ Both hands come up and clear- **outward extended block** open palms facing you
- ➤ Right hand <u>continues</u> around and turns into a **right heel palm** to ribs as you shift into a forward bow left hand checks centerline
- > Shoot a **left outward sword** to throat <u>and then</u> drop your left hand down to check center line
- > **Right middle knuckle punch** to midsection

(*Move should be - 1,2,3,4*)

3. BOW OF COMPULSION

(Front Wrist Lock – Against Chest)

- ➤ With opponent pinning your right hand against his chest **Step in** with **right foot** to 12:00 & **Claw face with left** and come down on arm then check.
- ➤ Shoot a **right upward elbow** followed by a downward rake towards testicles as left hand **becomes an outward hand sword** up and to the throat
- Move into a **right closed kneel** and **right hand ridge** to groin <u>turning</u> <u>it into</u> a **right backfist to opponent's left knee**
- ➤ Continue right hand in a **figure 8** and come back around with a hammerfist to opposite knee
- **Cross out to 7:00** with a right back knuckle to the face

(1,2,3,4,5,6)

4. TWIN KIMONO

(Double Lapel Grab)

- > Drop back with left foot to 6:00 into a right neutral bow *as* your left hand slices the eyes *and then* pins opponent's wrists *and* shoot a right upward forearm breaking opponent's elbows
- ➤ Left leg moves to the left (Go up the circle towards 4:00) as you right back knuckle punch to solar plexus
- > Come up and around with **right inward diagonal down block** clearing the hands
- > Shoot a **right outward hand sword** to the throat

5. HOOKING WINGS

(Front Two- Hand Low Push)

- > Step back with left leg into a Right Neutral Bow as **both hands** come up and then down onto opponents thumbs (crane hand) *pulling* arms out of the way as you execute a **right front kick to groin** and *plant* right foot
- ➤ Right hand continues **down and around and up** into a hammerfist to the bridge of the nose
- > Right hand continues down and reverses into a figure eight and back knuckles to the face
- > Right upward elbow to face and come down with right claw to face