Answer the Question?!?!

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Firm Question and Answer

Stayman

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1N - 2♣

- 1.2♦ no 4 card major
- 2.2♥ 4/5 hearts and maybe 4 spades
- 3.2 4/5 spades and no 4 hearts

Stayman

1N - 2♣

- **♠** AK642
- ♥ KQ8
- **♦** KJT
- **4** 74
- 2 •

- **♠** Q42
- **♥** KQ85
- **♦** QJT
- **4** AJ4
- 2 🛡

- **♠** KQ42
- **6532**
- **♦** QJT
- ♣ AK
- 2 💛

Firm Question and Answer

- Stayman
- A Asking
 - Gerber
 - Blackwood
 - Keycard
 - Etc.

Ace Asking

Gerber (4♣)

- 1. 4 0/4 Aces
- 2. 4♥ 1 Ace
- 3. 4♠ 2 Aces
- 4.4N-3 Aces

Blackwood (4N)

- 1. 5♣ 0/4 Aces
- 2.5♦ 1 Ace
- 3.5♥ 2 Aces
- **4.**5**♦** − 3 Aces

Ace Asking - Keycard

Keycard - 3014

- 1. $5\Phi 3/0$ Keycards
- 2. 5 ♦ 1/4 Keycards
- 3.5♥ 2 Keycards no Trump Q
- 4.5♠ 2 Keycards w/ Trump Q

Keycard - 1430

- 1. 5 1/4 Keycards
- 2. 5 ♦ 3/0 Keycards
- 3.5♥ 2 Keycards no Trump Q
- 4.5♠ 2 Keycards w/ Trump Q

What do we bid? Asking in NT

- **♠** A642
- **A85**
- ♦ A52
- **♣** AT3

Gerber

What do we bid?

Asking in Spades

- **♠** AK642
- ♥ KQ8
- ♦ QJT9
- ♣ Q

- Blackwood
- Keycard 3014
- Keycard -1430

What do we bid?

Asking in Hearts

- **♠** J42
- AK63
- **♦** T92
- ♣ A74

- Blackwood
- Keycard 3014
- Keycard 1430

Questions???

Suggested Answer

Jacoby Transfers

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Unless you have a partnership agreement that allows you to break the transfer.....

DO NOT BREAK THE TRANSFER

Superaccepts??

Superaccepts after Jacoby Transfers

- Do we have multiple ways to super accept?
- Versions of super accepts
 - Bidding small doubleton
 - Bidding first control
 - Bidding something else

Texas Transfers

$$1N - 4 - 4$$

$$2N-4 - 4$$

$$2N - 4 - 4$$

DO NOT BREAK THE TRANSFER

Partnerships

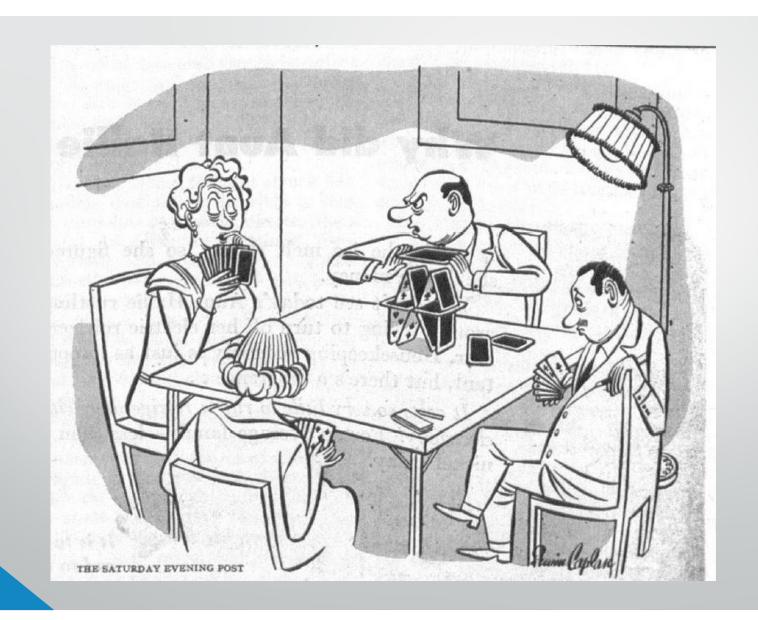
Build Trust

Bidding systems are there to help reach the best contract

Make life easy for your partner

Mystery bids are stressful





Questions???