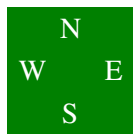


Board 1
 North Deals
 None Vul

♠ Q 5 3 2
 ♥ 7 4
 ♦ T 9 8
 ♣ K Q 4 2

♠ K J 4
 ♥ Q T
 ♦ K Q J 6
 ♣ A 9 7 3



♠ T 8 7 6
 ♥ K 6 5 2
 ♦ A 4 3
 ♣ T 5

♠ A 9
 ♥ A J 9 8 3
 ♦ 7 5 2
 ♣ J 8 6

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

3 NT by South

suit.

Since NORTH has only a doubleton

she passes 3NT.

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 SOUTH has 11 points and five

s, so she responds

2

as a Jacoby Transfer.

When NORTH bids the required 2

, SOUTH jumps to 3NT

to show at least 11 points, but only a 5-card

Board 2

South Deals

None Vul

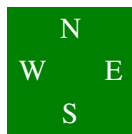
♠ A
♥ J T 4 3
♦ Q 7 6 2
♣ A T 6 2

♠ Q 8 7 6 3 2

♥ 8 5

♦ 9 5 4

♣ 5 3



♠ T 9 4
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ K J T
♣ J 8 7

♠ K J 5

♥ A 7 6

♦ A 8 3

♣ K Q 9 4

West

North

East

South

Pass

2♥

Pass

2♠

All Pass

2♠ by South

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SOUTH, with a balanced 17 point hand naturally
opens 1NT.

NORTH has a really awful hand, but she does hold
six s.

So she uses Jacoby Transfer, and when SOUTH bids
2 she passes!

Board 3
North Deals
None Vul

♠ 9 5
♥ 7 5 4 3
♦ K J 4 2
♣ J 7 2

♠ Q 6 3		♠ J T 8 4
♥ Q T 9 2		♥ K
♦ A 7 6		♦ Q T 9 8
♣ A K 3		♣ Q 9 6 5

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♠ A K 7 2
♥ A J 8 6
♦ 5 3
♣ T 8 4

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SOUTH has four cards in each Major suit - this is an ideal situation for Stayman.

NORTH shows a

suit and SOUTH immediately bids game in that suit.

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

4♥ by South

Board 4

South Deals

None Vul

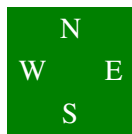
♠ J 6 3
 ♥ J 9 7
 ♦ Q J 9 5 4
 ♣ J 9

♠ K 9 7 4

♥ K 8 6 2

♦ 7 3

♣ 8 6 5



♠ T 5

♥ T 5 4

♦ A 8

♣ K T 7 4 3 2

♠ A Q 8 2

♥ A Q 3

♦ K T 6 2

♣ A Q

West

North

East

South

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

4 ♠ by North

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Stayman convention works just fine after a 2NT opening, just at a higher level.

NORTH knows that 6 points will be enough for game opposite SOUTH's 20-21, she just

needs to find out if there is a 4-4 Major suit fit. There is, in s.