

Board 1
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ T 6 5
 ♥ A 9 5 3
 ♦ 9 4
 ♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
 ♥ 6
 ♦ A Q T 8 7 5
 ♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
 ♥ K Q J 8 2
 ♦ 2
 ♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
 ♥ T 7 4
 ♦ K J 6 3
 ♣ K Q J 7

| West | North | East | South |
|------|-------|------|-------|
| | | | 1NT |
| Pass | 3♦ | Pass | 4♦ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5♥ |
| Pass | 6♦ | Pass | |

6♦ by North

Baker Roman 5
 Partner's 3♦ bid shows a very good hand with probable slam interest. It is very tempting to say 3NT now but you don't have ♥s stopped and don't know if partner does. So with good ♦ support you bid 4♦. Partner bids 4NT. What is your response?

You have 2 Key-Cards, the ♠A and ♦K. But you don't have the ♦Q so you answer 5♥. Partner bids 6♦.

Board 2
East Deals
N-S Vul

♠ A 6 5 2
♥ Q J 5 2
♦ K J 3
♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9
♥ 3
♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2
♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8
♥ A K 9 8 6 4
♦ -
♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3
♥ T 7
♦ A T 8 5
♣ J T 5 4

| West | North | East | South |
|------|-------|------|----------|
| | | 1 ♥ | Pass |
| 3 ♥ | Pass | 4 ♣ | Pass |
| 4 ♥ | Pass | 4NT | Pass |
| 5 ♣ | Pass | 6 ♥ | All Pass |

6 ♥ by East

Baker Roman 6
Your partner's 3 ♥ is a limit-raise, 11-12 points with ♥ support. Decide what you would say next, then on BID above.

What you want to know is whether partner holds the ♠ A. If you bid 4NT and he shows two Key-Cards all will be well, you will know they are the two missing Aces. But if he shows just 1 Key-Card you will be in the soup since you can't tell if that Key-Card is the useful ♠ A or the practically useless ♦ A. So you don't use RKCB, you use control-showing and bid 4 ♣. Partner says 4 ♥. What do you bid next?

Partner would have control-bid ♦ s if he had the Ace. You may not think that helps but it does since now you can bid RKCB. You bid 4NT and he answers 5 ♣. What is your next bid?

It was a lot of work but you have figured out that partner holds 11-12 points including one Key-Card which must be the ♠ A. It looks like the slam is a good idea so you say 6 ♥.

Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -
♥ A 5 4 3 2
♦ Q J T 4
♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3
♥ Q 9 6
♦ K 9 8 7 5
♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

| West | North | East | South |
|----------|-------|------|-------|
| | | | 1 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♦ | Pass | 4NT |
| Pass | 5NT | Pass | 6 ♠ |
| All Pass | | | |

6 ♠ by South

Baker Roman 7

Your 4♦ bid is a Splinter Bid, showing opening hand strength, at least 4 ♠s, and a singleton or void in ♦s. Partner bids 4NT.

You have 2 Key-Cards, the ♠K and the ♣A. So do you bid 5♥?

No. You have two Key-Cards AND a void. So you bid 5NT. Partner bids 6♠.

Board 4

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q J
 ♥ A T 7 6
 ♦ A Q J
 ♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8
 ♥ K 9 8 4
 ♦ K 9
 ♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3

| West | North | East | South |
|------|----------|------|-------|
| 2NT | Pass | 3♣ | Pass |
| 3♥ | Pass | 4NT | Pass |
| 5♥ | All Pass | | |

5♥ by West

Baker Roman 8

Your partner's 2NT opener is 20-21 points and the 3♣ bid is Stayman. Decide what you would say next, then on BID above.

You know of 33 points and you know of an 8-card ♥ fit. The math tells you that 6♥ should be a good slam but you might as well check Key-Cards, that's why the convention was invented. So you bid 4NT and partner answers 5♥. What do you say?

You say "Darn!" You are missing just one Key-Card, but you are also missing the trump Queen. And with partner holding only a 4-card suit that Queen might well win a trick. Knowing that at best the slam will depend on a trump finesse you pass 5♥.

Board 5

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 6

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 6 5 2
♥ Q J 5 2
♦ K J 3
♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ -

♥ A 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J T 4

♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 9 8 7 5

♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

Board 8

West Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8

♥ K 9 8 4

♦ K 9

♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3

Board 9

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 10

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 6 5 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ K J 3

♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ -

♥ A 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J T 4

♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 9 8 7 5

♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

Board 12

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8

♥ K 9 8 4

♦ K 9

♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3

Board 13

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 14

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 6 5 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ K J 3

♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -

♥ A 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J T 4

♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 9 8 7 5

♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

Board 16

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8
♥ K 9 8 4
♦ K 9
♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3

Board 17

North Deals

None Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 18

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 5 2
♥ Q J 5 2
♦ K J 3
♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -

♥ A 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J T 4

♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 9 8 7 5

♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

Board 20

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8
♥ K 9 8 4
♦ K 9
♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3

Board 21

North Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 22

East Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 6 5 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ K J 3

♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ -

♥ A 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J T 4

♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 9 8 7 5

♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

Board 24

West Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8
♥ K 9 8 4
♦ K 9
♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3

Board 25

North Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6

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| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 26

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 6 5 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ K J 3

♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ -

♥ A 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J T 4

♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 9 8 7 5

♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

Board 28

West Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2
♥ 2
♦ T 8 6 5 4
♣ A 7 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ A T 8
♥ K 9 8 4
♦ K 9
♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3
♥ Q J 5 3
♦ 7 3 2
♣ 8 3

Board 29

North Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 30

East Deals

None Vul

♠ A 6 5 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ K J 3

♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -

♥ A 5 4 3 2

♦ Q J T 4

♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2

♥ K J T 7

♦ -

♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 9 8 7 5

♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4

♥ 8

♦ A 6 3 2

♣ K Q J

Board 32

West Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8

♥ K 9 8 4

♦ K 9

♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3

Board 33

North Deals

None Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ A 9 5 3
♦ 9 4
♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ K J 7
♥ 6
♦ A Q T 8 7 5
♣ A T 6



♠ 9 8 4 3 2
♥ K Q J 8 2
♦ 2
♣ 5 3

♠ A Q
♥ T 7 4
♦ K J 6 3
♣ K Q J 7

Board 34

East Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 5 2

♥ Q J 5 2

♦ K J 3

♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 9

♥ 3

♦ Q 9 7 6 4 2

♣ 9 6 3



♠ K T 8

♥ A K 9 8 6 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q 7

♠ 7 4 3

♥ T 7

♦ A T 8 5

♣ J T 5 4

Board 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -
♥ A 5 4 3 2
♦ Q J T 4
♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K 8 6 5 2
♥ K J T 7
♦ -
♣ A 9 8 3



♠ J T 3
♥ Q 9 6
♦ K 9 8 7 5
♣ 7 6

♠ A Q 9 7 4
♥ 8
♦ A 6 3 2
♣ K Q J

Board 36

West Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q J
♥ A T 7 6
♦ A Q J
♣ Q J 9

♠ 6 5 2

♥ 2

♦ T 8 6 5 4

♣ A 7 4 2



♠ A T 8

♥ K 9 8 4

♦ K 9

♣ K T 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3

♥ Q J 5 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 8 3