

**Deal 1**

South Deals  
None Vul

♠ 8 2  
♥ 9  
♦ K Q J 10 8 7 5  
♣ J 10 4

12  
7 8  
13

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



♠ 10 9 4  
♥ K Q J 6 2  
♦ 6  
♣ A K 6 5

♠ A 7 6  
♥ A 10 8 5 4  
♦ 3 2  
♣ 9 7 2

West	North	East	South
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by North			

You have 13 points and you respond 1 ♠. Partner rebids 2 ♣. What is your next bid?

You have ♦s stopped, and with your 13 points you might well jump to 3 NT. And while you may end up at 3 NT it can't hurt to find out if partner has 3 ♠s first. So you bid 2 ♦, FSF.

Partner says 2 ♠, telling you he has three of them, and you bid 4 ♠.

**Deal 2**

West Deals  
None Vul

♠ K 10 8 6  
♥ K J 9  
♦ 6  
♣ A K 6 4 2

8  
14 11  
7

West  
1 ♣  
1 ♠  
3 ♥  
Pass  
4 ♥ by East

♠ Q J 9 5 2  
♥ 10 6 5  
♦ K 9 5  
♣ Q 8



♠ 4 3  
♥ 8 2  
♦ A Q J 7 4 3  
♣ 9 7 3

North

Pass  
Pass  
Pass

East

1 ♥  
2 ♦  
4 ♥

South

Pass  
Pass  
ALL

You are the dealer.

You have 15 points and you open 1 ♣.  
Partner responds 1 ♥.

Show your 4-card Major, bid 1 ♠. Partner  
says 2 ♦.

This is FSF, asking you to further  
describe your hand. Since you have 3 ♥s  
you will naturally let partner know that.  
But, your hand is so good you should  
jump to 3 ♥. Remember that partner may  
be bidding with only 12 points.

He was pretty weak, but with your jump  
finds enough to say 4 ♥.