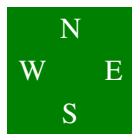


Board 1
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ K 7 4
 ♥ A 9 6 3
 ♦ J 9 8 7
 ♣ J 8

♠ A 8 5 3
 ♥ K 7 4
 ♦ A 6 4
 ♣ K Q 7



♠ Q J T 2
 ♥ -
 ♦ Q T 2
 ♣ A T 9 4 3 2

♠ 9 6
 ♥ Q J T 8 5 2
 ♦ K 5 3
 ♣ 6 5

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

3♥ by South

Baker Weak2 5
 You dealt this hand. Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

You open with a Weak 2-Bid, 2♥. Partner responds 2NT. What do you say next?

The 2NT bid is forcing. Your ♦K is a feature, but your immediate priority is to let partner know that you have a minimum strength opener, 6, 7 or 8 points. So you rebid 3♥. Partner passes.

Board 2

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 2
♥ A 8 6
♦ A T 4 3
♣ A J 6 5

♠ A 8 5 4

♥ 7 3

♦ J 8 5

♣ Q T 8 3



♠ J

♥ K Q J 9 5 4

♦ Q 9 7

♣ K 9 2

♠ K Q 9 7 6 3

♥ T 2

♦ K 6 2

♣ 7 4

West

North

East

South

Pass

4♠

All Pass

2♠

4♠ by North

Baker Weak2 6

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

You should raise to 4♠. Not that you expect partner to make it, he probably cannot. Your raise is a preemptive measure, hoping to prevent the opponents from finding their ♥ fit.

Board 3

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 8 5
♥ K T 8 3
♦ T 3
♣ A 9 3 2

♠ Q J 4 2

♥ A 7 4

♦ K J 7 4

♣ K J



♠ -

♥ J 6 5

♦ A Q 9 8 5

♣ Q 8 6 5 4

♠ A K 9 7 6 3

♥ Q 9 2

♦ 6 2

♣ T 7

West	North	East	South
			2 ♠
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	

3 ♠ by North

Baker Weak2 7

You dealt this hand. Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

You open with a Weak 2-Bid, 2 ♠. Partner responds 2NT. What do you say next?

The 2NT bid is forcing. You have 11 points so you cannot reply 3 ♠. And your suit is not A K Q x x x so you cannot reply 3NT. That means you must bid a "feature" and your ♥Q is the best you have. You bid 3 ♥ and partner says 3 ♠. What do you say?

Pass. When you have already described your hand perfectly, partner becomes the Captain.

Board 4

East Deals

Both Vul

♠ J
 ♥ K T 9 8
 ♦ A K 6
 ♣ K J 7 5 4

♠ K 9 7 5 4

♥ 5 2

♦ J 8 5

♣ 9 8 3



♠ 2

♥ A Q J 4 3

♦ Q T 7 3 2

♣ A Q

♠ A Q T 8 6 3

♥ 7 6

♦ 9 4

♣ T 6 2

West

North

East

South

3 ♥

4 ♠

1 ♥

Dbl

2 ♠

All Pass

4 ♠ X by North

Baker Weak2 8

Decide what you would bid, then on BID above.

You should jump to 4 ♠, hoping to shut them out of their ♥ slam. As you can see they have at most one ♠ loser. Down 3 doubled for your side is much better than letting them bid and make a slam. Of course we know they should have continued bidding, but opponents sometimes make mistakes.