

Deal 1

North Deals	♠ K J 4
None Vul	♥ Q 10
	♦ K Q J 6
	♣ A 9 7 3
♠ Q 8 7	♠ 10 6 5 3 2
♥ 7 5 4	♥ K 6 2
♦ A 9 8 4 3	♦ 10
♣ 10 5	♣ K Q 4 2
16 6 8 10	♠ A 9 ♥ A J 9 8 3 ♦ 7 5 2 ♣ J 8 6

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

SOUTH has 11 points and five

â™¥

s, so she responds

2

â™|

as a Jacoby Transfer.

When NORTH bids the required 2

â™¥

, SOUTH jumps to 3 NT

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

â™¥

suit.

Since NORTH has only a doubleton

â™¥

she passes 3 NT.

Deal 2

East Deals	♠ A 10 4
None Vul	♥ J 4
	♦ J 10 6 2
	♣ A 10 8 6
♠ Q 8 7 6 3 2	♠ K J 5
♥ 8 5	♥ A 7 6
♦ 9 5 4	♦ A 8 3
♣ 5 3	♣ K Q 9 4



♠ 9
 ♥ K Q 10 9 3 2
 ♦ K Q 7
 ♣ J 7 2

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
		1 NT	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
2 ♠ by East			

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

WEST has a really awful hand, but she does hold six ♠'s.

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

Deal 3South Deals
None Vul

♠ A K 7 2

♥ A J 8 6

♦ 5 3

♣ 10 8 4

♠ J 10 8

♥ K 4

♦ 10 9 4 2

♣ Q 9 7 5

12
6 7
15

♠ 9 5 4

♥ 7 5 3

♦ K Q J 8

♣ J 6 2

♠ Q 6 3

♥ Q 10 9 2

♦ A 7 6

♣ A K 3

West

North

East

South

1 NT

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

Pass

Pass

4 ♥ by South

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

SOUTH shows a

â™¥

suit and NORTH immediately bids game
in that suit.

Deal 4West Deals
None Vul

♠ A Q 8 2
 ♥ A Q 3
 ♦ K 10 6 2
 ♣ A Q

8
 21 6
 5



♠ 6 3
 ♥ J 9 7 4
 ♦ A Q J 5
 ♣ 10 4 2

♠ K 9 7 4
 ♥ K 8 6 2
 ♦ 7 3
 ♣ 8 6 5

♠ J 10 5
 ♥ 10 5
 ♦ 9 8 4
 ♣ K J 9 7 3

<i>West</i>	<i>North</i>	<i>East</i>	<i>South</i>
2 NT	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
4 ♠ by West			

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

EAST knows that 6 points will be enough for game opposite WEST's 20-21, she just needs to find out if there is a 4-4 Major suit fit. There is, in \hat{a}^{TM} s.