

Careful Play

Part 4



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Time for a Joke

A man, his wife, and his mother-in-law went on vacation to the Holy Land. While they were there, the mother-in-law passed away.

The undertaker said to them, “You can have her shipped home for \$5,000 or you can bury her here in the Holy Land for \$150.”

The man thought about it and told him to just have her shipped home.

The undertaker asks, “Why would you spend \$5000 to ship your mother-in-law home when it would be wonderful to have her buried here for only \$150.”

The man replied, “A man died here 2,000 years ago. He was buried here, and 3 days later he rose from the dead. I just can't take that chance.”

<u>North</u>	<u>East</u>	<u>South</u>	<u>West</u>
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
2NT	Pass	3D	Pass
6D	Pass	Pass	Pass

Careful Play #10

Plan your play.

The diagram shows a bridge hand layout on a green table. At the top, North's hand is displayed: 5♦, 4♦, 3♦, 2♦, A♠, 6♠, 5♠, Q♥, J♥, 10♥, Q♣, J♣, 10♣. Below North's hand is a yellow bar with 'N North'. In the center of the table is the King of Spades (K♠). To the left of the center is West's hand, represented by a row of 13 blue vertical bars, with a grey bar below it containing 'W West'. To the right of the center is East's hand, also represented by a row of 13 blue vertical bars, with a grey bar below it containing 'E East'. At the bottom, South's hand is displayed: A♦, K♦, 9♦, 8♦, 7♦, 6♦, 4♠, 3♠, 2♠, A♥, K♥, A♣, K♣. Below South's hand is a grey bar with 'S' and a crown icon, and the name 'coinerbop' in the center, and a 'J' icon on the right.

North	East	South	West
			2S*
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
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Careful Play #10

Plan your play.

N North

5♦ 4♦ 3♦ 2♦ A♠ 6♠ 5♠ Q♥ J♥ 10♥ Q♣ J♣ 10♣

W West

J♦
 K♠ Q♠ J♠ 10♠ 9♠ 8♠
 4♥ 3♥ 2♥
 4♣ 3♣ 2♣

E East

Q♦ 10♦
 7♠
 9♥ 8♥ 7♥ 6♥ 5♥
 9♣ 8♣ 7♣ 6♣ 5♣

S coinerbop

Take the K♠ lead and cash the A♦. If either opponent shows out, cash the K♦.

Now cash your two high ♥'s and your two high ♣'s.

Then play a low ♦, hoping East has the last ♦. He will be endplayed.

You bid up to 6H.

Careful Play Hand #11

How do you play
the hand?

The diagram shows a bridge hand with the following cards:

- North:** 4♥, 3♥, 2♥, 5♠, 4♠, 3♠, 2♠, A♦, K♦, A♣, K♣, 5♣, 4♣
- South:** A♥, K♥, Q♥, J♥, 10♥, 6♠, Q♦, J♦, 10♦, 9♦, 8♦, 3♣, 2♣
- West:** 8 cards (represented by blue bars)
- East:** 8 cards (represented by blue bars)
- Center:** K♠

Player names and identifiers are shown below their respective hands:

- North: N North
- West: W West
- East: E East
- South: S coinerbop

You bid up to 6H.

Careful Play Hand #11

How do you play
the hand?

N North
4♥ 3♥ 2♥ 5♠ 4♠ 3♠ 2♠ A♦ K♦ A♣ K♣ 5♣ 4♣

W West
5♥
K♠ Q♠ J♠ 10♠
7♦ 6♦ 5♦ 4♦ 3♦
8♣ 7♣ 6♣

E East
9♥ 8♥ 7♥ 6♥
A♠ 9♠ 8♠ 7♠
2♦
Q♣ J♣ 10♣ 9♣

S coinerbop
A♥ K♥ Q♥ J♥ 10♥ 6♠ Q♦ J♦ 10♦ 9♦ 8♦ 3♣ 2♣

West will try to cash 2 ♠ tricks, and declarer must ruff the 2nd one.

When West shows out on the 2nd round of trumps, declarer must first cash 1 ♦ in dummy before he draws the rest of the trumps, unblocking the last high ♦ from dummy.

More Jokes

My doctor asked me if anyone in my family suffered from mental illness, and I replied, "No, we all seem to enjoy it."

Just once, I want a username and password prompt to say, Close enough."

I don't trip, I do random gravity checks.

If you can't think of a word, say "I forgot the English word for it." That way people will think you're bilingual instead of an idiot.

I don't usually go the extra mile at this age, but when I do, it's because I missed my exit.

**I may not be that funny or athletic or good looking or smart or talented.....
I forgot where I was going with this.**

It's probably my age that tricks people into thinking I'm an adult.

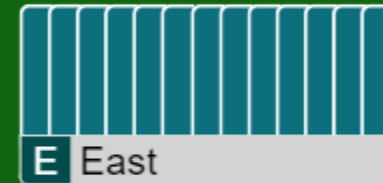
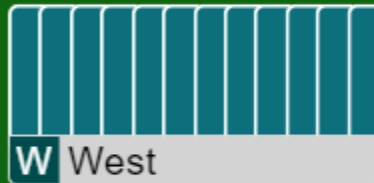
I see people my age mountain climbing. I feel good just getting my leg through my underwear without losing my balance.

You wind up in
5C with the K♥
lead.

Careful Play

Hand #12

How do you give
yourself the best
chance?



You wind up in 5C with the K♥ lead.

Careful Play Hand #12

How do you give yourself the best chance?

N North
4♣ 3♣ 2♣ 5♥ 4♥ 3♥ 2♥ K♠ 10♠ 6♠ 5♠ K♦ Q♦

W West
10♣ A♥ K♥ Q♥ J♥ 10♥ Q♠ 9♠ 8♠ J♦ 10♦ 9♦ 8♦

E East
6♣ 5♣ 9♥ 8♥ 7♥ 6♥ A♠ J♠ 7♠ 7♦ 6♦ 5♦ 4♦

S coinerbop
A♣ K♣ Q♣ J♣ 9♣ 8♣ 7♣ 4♠ 3♠ 2♠ A♦ 3♦ 2♦

You ruff the opening lead and draw trumps in 2 rounds.
Now eliminate your ♥'s in dummy by crossing to the KD, ruff a H, QD, ruff another H, then cash the AD, discarding a H in dummy.
Now play a S and cover whatever West plays.



Time for the Game