

Esther "Pop" Quiz #0081:

"One Opponent Opens One Suit, You Show a Different Suit, Partner Shows *Both* the Remaining Other Two Suits: If You '*Listen the Auction*', *What* Is the Auction Telling You Not to Bid?"

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Dealer: **WEST**

Vul: **NONE**

NORTH (7)

S: K Q T 6 3

H: 3 2

D: 9 7 3

C: Q 3 2

Bidding

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
PASS	PASS	1 C	1 H
PASS	1 S	PASS	2 D
PASS	???		

1. *Sitting NORTH, when it is your 3rd turn to bid in the auction, what do you know about each of the other 3 players' Hands?*

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¹ As noted in an article in the Winter/Spring, 2024 article in The American Bridge Teachers' Association (ABTA) Journal, https://esther-bridge.com/pdf/ABTA_1_24.pdf, Esther Klinktoast-Houstonhousen in fact is a hypothetical, and not a real person! So this article was really, really written by Bruce Thompson.

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