

Esther "Pop" Quiz #0414:
**"As a Declarer Do You Know How to Execute a
'Dummy Reversal, Compound Squeeze Endplay'?"**

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Esther on her "**Esther Bridge Lessons**" website has previously recommended the "**BBO Bridge Master**" website:

<https://www.bridgebase.com/v3/anon/bridgemaster>

The "**BBO Bridge Master**" website allows you to declare your skill level, then shows a series of Hands and announces the final contract, each of which you then play as Declarer. At the end of play you can then request a solution in which the optimal "Line of Play" is discussed step by step. Here we use the *free* "**BBO Bridge Master**" Level-5 **Lesson B-20** which gives you the opportunity to see and *repeatedly practice* playing a given bridge Board. Esther may have altered some of the cards in the 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, the purported ACBL Double Triple Emerald Gold Platinum LifeMaster with 20+ million ACBL MasterPoints, in fact is a hypothetical, and not a real person! So, this article was really, really written by Bruce Thompson.

BBO Bridge Master Level 5 Lesson B-20

Dealer: **NORTH**

NORTH (13)

S: K Q J
H: 6 4 3
D: K 4
C: A 6 5 4 2

WEST (6)

S: 8 6
H: 5
D: 9 8 7 6 5
C: K Q J T 8

EAST (4)

S: T 9 7
H: J T 9 8 7
D: Q J T
C: 9 7

SOUTH (17)

S: A 5 4 3 2
H: A K Q 2
D: A 3 2
C: 3

Bidding

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1C	PASS	1S	PASS
2S	PASS	4NT	PASS
5D*	PASS	5NT	PASS
7S	PASS	PASS	PASS

*"I hold **1** Ace."

On Trick **#1** WEST leads his Club King as "top" of a "touching" Club sequence in a "long" Suit. Declarer SOUTH "wins" with the "exposed" NORTH Dummy's Club Ace.

1. What pedagogical benefit is there for having a bridge lesson about playing a **7S** contract?
2. Once the NORTH Dummy is exposed what potential "losers" can Declarer SOUTH see?
3. What are the various "Lines of Play" through which Declarer SOUTH can "win" his needed **13** Tricks?

To see Esther's **suggested answers**, CLICK:
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