

Sample Hands - Cuebidding

You are Opener

What would you bid with each of the following hands assuming the bidding went.....? Why would you choose this bid?

Opener Responder

1♠ 3♠

4♣ 4♦

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What have you and responder told each other?

1) ♠KQJ7532 ♥43 ♦KQ ♣AK

2) ♠AKQ63 ♥QJ542 ♦void ♣A73

3) ♠AK76543 ♥43 ♦J ♣AQJ

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Responder has told me that he has 10-12 points, 3+ spades and the A♦. I have said that I have the A♣ and an interest in going to Slam.

1) ♠KQJ7532 ♥43 ♦KQ ♣AK

4♠. I had a four-loser hand: one spade, two hearts and one diamond. Responder has shown the A♦ but I am worried about the heart suit. I will bid Game and expect that responder will bid again if he holds the A♥.

2) ♠AKQ63 ♥QJ542 ♦void ♣A73

4♠. I had a four-loser hand: one spade, two hearts and 2 clubs. Responder has shown the A♦ which does not take care of any of my losers. I am also worried about the heart suit. I will bid Game. If partner bids again I will decide what to do based on my knowledge of how my partner bids.