



## Hands for Lesson 58

*Deal 58.1*    ♠AKT    None Vul  
♥AT4    Dealer North  
♦A543  
♣QT3

♠J82	N	♠Q973
♥7632	W	♥KQ8
♦98	E	♦T62
♣K872	S	♣J94

♠654  
♥J95  
♦KQJ7  
♣A65

West	North	East	South
-	1♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Lead: ♠3 (fourth highest, longest suit)

There are 8 Sure Winners, and a series of guesses. Avoid these by cashing 3 diamonds before endplaying East in spades

*Deal 58.2*    ♠J92    NS Vul  
♥J96    Dealer East  
♦K987  
♣J87

♠A64	N	♠853
♥KT52	W	♥AQ73
♦J64	E	♦AT3
♣KQ4	S	♣AT5

♠KQT7  
♥84  
♦Q52  
♣9632

West	North	East	South
-	-	1NT	Pass
2♣	Pass	2♥	Pass
4♥	All Pass		

Lead: ♠K (top of touching honours)

Duck the first spade, win the second and draw trump. Cash 3 clubs and exit with a spade to force whoever wins to play ♦s

*Deal 58.3*    ♠T9732    EW Vul  
♥Q84    Dealer South  
♦A3  
♣J65

♠J4	N	♠8
♥T73	W	♥9652
♦KQ85	E	♦JT764
♣A972	S	♣KT8

♠AKQ65  
♥AKJ  
♦92  
♣Q43

West	North	East	South
-	-	-	1♠
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

Lead: ♦K (top of a sequence)

When trump are drawn you have 9 winners. Eliminate ♥s, exit with a diamond to force a club lead or a ruff and discard

*Deal 58.4*    ♠J972    All Vul  
♥K96    Dealer West  
♦973  
♣AT9

♠AQ	N	♠653
♥J73	W	♥Q542
♦KJ8	E	♦AQ64
♣Q5432	S	♣J6

♠KT84  
♥AT8  
♦T52  
♣K87

West	North	East	South
1NT	All Pass		

Lead: ♠2 (fourth highest, longest suit)

Cash the other top spade then 4 diamonds discarding a club. Exit with a spade to force them to play hearts or clubs.



## Hands for Lesson 58

*Deal 58.5*      ♠KQJ94      NS Vul  
Dealer North

♠T52	N	♠A73
♥764	W	♥AKQ
♦AQ64	E	♦532
♣K76	S	♣AJ32

♠86  
♥T9853  
♦J987  
♣95

West	North	East	South
-	1♠	1NT	Pass
2NT	Pass	3NT	All Pass

Lead: ♠8 (top of doubleton partner's suit)

Win the second spade to keep an exit card. Cash 3 clubs with a finesse, then 3 hearts. North must throw a winner to keep ♦Kx, now endplay him

*Deal 58.6*      ♠KJ76      EW Vul  
Dealer East

♠3	N	♠952
♥QJT4	W	♥98653
♦JT98	E	♦65
♣K762	S	♣JT9

♠AQT84  
♥K7  
♦A74  
♣AQ3

West	North	East	South
-	-	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

Lead: ♥Q (top of a sequence)

Draw trump, cash ♥AK, then ♦AKQ. Put West in with the 4th diamond, discarding a club, to endplay him

*Deal 58.7*      ♠J763      All Vul  
Dealer South

♠82	N	♠AK4
♥AKQ87	W	♥JT64
♦A73	E	♦K2
♣AJT	S	♣6532

♠QT95  
♥93  
♦Q865  
♣984

West	North	East	South
-	-	-	Pass
1♥	Pass	3♥	Pass
4♣	Pass	4♠	Pass
5♦	Pass	6♥	All Pass

Lead: ♦J (top of a sequence)

Draw trump, eliminate spades and diamonds with a ruff, then play a club to the ten.

*Deal 58.8*      ♠4      None Vul  
Dealer West

♠JT762	N	♠Q983
♥Q72	W	♥J65
♦K953	E	♦QJT6
♣8	S	♣42

♠AK5  
♥KT8  
♦74  
♣T9763

West	North	East	South
Pass	1♣	Pass	3♣
Pass	6♣	All Pass	

Lead: ♦Q (top of a sequence)

Win, draw trump, discard a diamond on ♠AK, ruff ♠5 and exit with a diamond to force a ruff and discard or a heart lead.