

Welcome back. Here is a great bid by my partner, Sue, on Wednesday night.

Dealer: N	<i>North me</i>			
Vul:	♠ A8432			
None	♥ 94			
	♦ J985			
	♣ 92			
	<i>West</i>		<i>East</i>	
	♠ J76		♠ 5	
	♥ 87632		♥ AJT5	
	♦ Q763		♦ AKT42	
	♣ J		♣ Q87	
		<i>South SUE</i>		
		♠ KQT9		
		♥ KQ		
		♦		
		♣ AKT6543		
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Bidding:	N	E	S	W
	2S!!!	X	6S	P
	X			
	ALL	PASS		
			HTML Bridge Hand Layout	
			Custom	

Unfortunately we were enjoying ourselves too much, and I lost my concentration, and played the hand very badly.

I opened 2 Spades as North, East doubled, and Sue bid 6 Spades! Not the most likely sequence you have ever heard. This of course was doubled, and when dummy went down I was so impressed that I misplayed the hand after the Ace of Diamonds lead.

If I had played properly I would have made 7 !!!!

I trumped the diamond, played Q and K of Spades, then the Ace of clubs, dropping the Jack by West.

I should now draw the last trump with the Ace, finesse the club, and make all the rest of the tricks.

Of course I was so impressed with the dummy I now played the King of Clubs which was ruffed, and now the whole hand fell apart.

Oh well it was a great contract!

However 2 hands later Sue played 6NT, and finessed the 9 of clubs, making 6NT. That got us back to 50%.