

This achievement took several years of study and commitment to Duplicate Bridge. It seemed that I would never quit making so many errors in my bidding and play; however, I finally learned to be comfortable with the 2/1 system which I am still learning.

I have had many good partners here in Gadsden, Alabama, Anniston, Alabama, and Birmingham, Alabama, and on BBO. I now only play on BBO since I am mostly confined to my home. I enjoy playing with the Robots almost every day, and I have 3 really good human partners. I like playing in the big online tournaments with humans even though I try to play well in the big online Robot tournaments.

I became addicted to duplicate bridge in 2002 and have played at every opportunity. I became an ACBL accredited bridge teacher in one of Pat Harrington's classes and have been teaching beginning bridge for OLLI at The University of Alabama Center here in Gadsden for the last six years which I have thoroughly enjoyed.

I am thankful that duplicate bridge has been so good for me in many ways.