

5th Confirmation Class – Handout ...continued

Trading Game Rules:

- Using a regular deck of cards, each player gets 5 cards.
- Face cards are worth 10 points, all other cards are worth the amount on it (an ace = 1, deuce = 2, etc)
- You have 5 trades.
- You don't have to use all 5 trades. But you cannot go over 5 trades.
- When you initiate a trade, you say "I'm going to trade with you."
- This counts as 1 trade for you, but not for the other person.
- Use a rubber band around your fingers to remember how many times you've traded.
- The other player cannot refuse to trade with you.
- You may not trade with the same player back-to-back.
- You may not reveal what TYPE of cards you *have* OR *want*.
- The only thing you may reveal that you want to trade is the *amount of cards* you want to trade.
- If you initiate the trade, you can give away your whole hand or just one card. If you do NOT initiate the trade, you may only give back between 1 to 3 cards.

For instance, you come up to someone and say, "I'm going to trade with you."

Then you say, "I'd like to give you 4 cards. How many will you give back to me?"

The other person must offer between 1 to 3 cards. So they say, "I'll give you 2 cards for your 4."

Then you pick from your hand the 4 cards you want to get rid of. And the other person picks the two from their hand that they want to give you and then y'all trade at the same time without ever knowing the numbers on the cards you're receiving, until you receive them.

- We'll play 4 rounds.
- Each round will take between 3 to 5 minutes.
- Each round will have a different objective.

- Round 1 objective: Get as few points as possible
- Round 2 objective: Get as many points as possible
- Round 3 objective: Get as many points as possible w/o using face cards – every face card you have at the end of the round counts minus-5 against your score.
- Round 4 objective: Get as close as possible to the number that you are given.

CHALLENGE OF THE WEEK

- Think about and list some things you think you don't have enough of
- Think about and list some things you think you do have enough of



Feeding of the Thousands/Abundance

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Mark 6:30 The apostles (which means “sent out”) returned to Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. *31* And Jesus said to them, “Come away by yourselves to a lonely place, and rest a while.” For many people were coming and going, and the disciples had no leisure even to eat. *32* And so Jesus and the disciples went away in the boat to a lonely place by themselves. *33* Now many saw them going, and knew them, and they ran there on foot from all the towns, and got there ahead of Jesus and the disciples. *34* So when Jesus went ashore he saw a great throng, but he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things. *35* And when it grew late, Jesus’ disciples came to him and said, “This is a lonely place, and the hour is now late; *36* send the people away, to go into the country and villages round about and buy themselves something to eat.” *37* But Jesus answered them, “*You* give them something to eat.” And they said to him, “Shall we go and buy ten thousand dollars worth of bread, and give it to them to eat?” *38* And Jesus said to them, “How many loaves have you? Go and see.” And when the disciples had found out, they said, “Five loaves and two fish.” *39* Then Jesus commanded them all to sit in groups, by hundreds and by fifties. *41* And taking the five loaves and the two fish he looked up to heaven, and blessed, and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples to set before the people; and he divided the two fish among them all. *42* And they all ate and were satisfied. *43* And the disciples took up twelve baskets full of broken pieces and of the fish. *44* And those who ate the loaves were five thousand men plus women and children.

Notes

- To take means to take or receive what is offered (Jesus takes the fish and loaves)
- To bless means to invite God into the thing that you have received/taken (Jesus prays)
- To break means to change the thing received with God’s help and direction (Jesus literally breaks the bread)
- To give means to share the new thing that you and God have created together (Jesus has the disciples pass out the “new” bread and fish)

Score sheet for Trading Card Game

How many points are
you holding in your hand?

How many cards are you
holding in your hand?

How many trades
do you have left?

R1 _____

R1 _____

R1 _____

R2 _____

R2 _____

R2 _____

R3 _____

R3 _____

R3 _____

R4 _____

R4 _____

R4 _____