

## **Online Play Fuels Life Master Status**

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I have known how to play bridge since I was a boy. I remember having books by Charles Goren and the Jacobys. But none of my friends played the game, and opportunities to play were few. From 1999 to 2007 I played a lot, both in person and on the computer. But I dropped the habit until 2019, when I resumed frequent play on Bridge Base Online (BBO).

Two people deserve much of the credit for my achieving the rank of Life Master: my father Solie, who helped teach me the game and with whom I still often play on BBO and Pam Keeper, my regular partner on BBO in many Speedball wars, who raises my spirits.