

**GO FISH:** This game is similar to *Authors*, page 20, but simpler. With two or three players, each is dealt seven cards; with three to five players, each is dealt five cards. First player demands of any other, "Give me your nines," or any other value he may name, provided that his own hand contains a card of that denomination. The player given the demand must hand them over if he has any, and the first player can make a new demand from anyone he chooses. But if a player cannot meet the demand, he says, "Go fish!" and the demander must draw the top card of the pack.

If it proves to be the value wanted, or fills a "book" by matching three cards of a value he already holds, he can continue. Otherwise, the call moves to the player on his left. This goes

on until one player has laid down his entire hand in matched sets of books of four cards each, thereby winning the game.

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