



Pool Tables (1 of 2)

Curtis and Victor like to spend a long afternoon shooting pool at the local pub. A recent afternoon went something like this:

1. Victor breaks and sinks the 13 ball, but misses the next shot. Curtis gets a good string of pockets, sinking the 4, 5, and 1, leaving the cue ball in a bad position for Victor's next shot.
2. Victor misses the shot, but Curtis sinks the 7.
3. Curtis continues on to get the 6 ball.
4. Curtis moves on to the 2, but it teeters on the edge of the pocket and doesn't quite drop in. Victor gets the 15 but accidentally sinks the 2 in the process.
5. Curtis pockets the 3. He's so excited, though, that he accidentally launches the cue ball to a neighboring table. Victor pockets the 12 and 9 balls before losing control back to Curtis. Curtis calls the 8 ball in the far-corner pocket, but miscalculates and drops it in the side pocket instead.
6. In the next game Curtis breaks, but sinks the 8 ball as part of the break (ironically, in the far-corner pocket). Re-racking the balls, Victor breaks and sinks the 14 ball.
7. The setup for Victor's next shot is tricky. Instead of pocketing any of his own balls, he accidentally sinks the 3 and 7.
8. Curtis pockets the 2, but scratches. Victor pockets the 11, but flubs and accidentally bumps the 8-ball into a pocket.
9. On a fresh break, Curtis immediately pockets the 5 and 7, then moves on to the 3 before scratching.
10. Victor pockets the 10 ball, but gets distracted by the waitress and launches the cue ball under a nearby bar stool. Curtis continues his winning streak by pocketing the 6, 1, and 4 balls.
11. Close to winning, he pockets the 2, but accidentally pockets Victor's 12 ball in the process.
12. Curtis correctly calls the 8-ball this time and wins! After a brief bathroom and beer break, they re-rack and Victor breaks, but doesn't sink any balls. Curtis, the pool shark he is, pockets the 2 and 5.
13. Curtis pockets the 7, making the arrangement for his next shot tricky, yet still possible.
14. He then pockets the 1, setting himself up nicely for the next shot as Victor stares in disbelief.
15. He splits the 3 and 4 balls, with each going to a different pocket, but the cue ball overshoots and tips into a pocket.
16. Victor deftly sinks the 11 ball. He needs just a little bit of spin and luck to sink lucky number 13. He does it, but accidentally drops the 8-ball in the process, losing the game.
17. A new game and a new break, Curtis sinks the 6. He starts cleaning the table by pocketing the 5, the 2, and the 3 before missing a shot.
18. Victor pockets the 10 ball.





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The games continue like that into the afternoon. As you can see, a lot of alcohol was consumed in the process:

