- 6. Once the player can no longer complete the Joke, the player draws from either the draw deck or the discard pile. Players should draw as many Cards as needed from the draw deck to maintain five Cards in their hand at the end of each turn.
- 7. If the Punchline for the Joke comes up from either the draw deck or from the Card on top of the discard pile, then that player gets another turn. If players make a different Completed Joke in their hand based on their pick from either the draw deck or discard pile, that new Completed Joke is held in their hand until their next turn when it will be played as a match.
- 8. At the end of each turn, players must discard a Card to the discard pile unless they are out of Cards. Players may discard any Card in their hand, Joke or Punchline.
- If the draw deck is depleted, then the entire discard pile is shuffled and becomes the new draw deck. The first Card is turned to create a new discard pile.
- Players read their Completed Jokes aloud prior to setting the jokes down in front of the other players.
- 11. Play continues clockwise with players matching Joke and Punchline Cards.

Winning the Game:

The game ends when, in a two to four player game, one player has collected eight Completed Jokes, or, in a five player game, one player has collected five Completed Jokes. That player is the winner.

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HOLIDAY EDITION

CARD GAME



INSTRUCTIONS

Why did Bob Moog write and collect Holiday Dad jokes?

I launched my love of jokes while growing up in St. Louis, Missouri. Holidays were our favorite time of the year from Thanksgiving Day to New Year's Day. I grew up sitting at my grandfather's feet as he regaled me with his favorite 20th century jokes and riddles.

Our holidays included great big family fun, amazing holiday food and another round of groanworthy Grandpa jokes.

I am not a Grandpa yet, but I am truly excited to share these holiday jokes with you and your family. Let me know what you think or send me your favorite joke and I will add it to next year's holiday game.

Best Regards,

Fall, 2023

Contents:

- 53 Joke Cards
- 53 Punchline Cards
- 4 Blank Cards for Your Own Jokes and Punchlines

Object of the Game:

The first player to make eight (8) Completed Jokes (Joke and Punchline) is the winner of the game. When playing with five people, play until the first player has five Completed Jokes. (Note that Completed Joke and Punchline Cards include matching illustrated icons.)

Set Up:

Find the four Blank Cards and write your favorite Jokes on two Cards and the Punchlines on the other Blank Cards. Place these Cards back into the deck of Cards and shuffle the deck thoroughly.

How to Play:

- One player starts as the dealer and deals five Cards to each player (Ten Cards when only two people are playing).
- The rest of the Cards are placed face down in front of the players. This deck becomes the draw deck. The first Card is turned to create a discard pile.
- The player to the dealer's left goes first by reading any Completed Jokes from that player's hand and then sets them to the side face up so that all players may read and enjoy.
- 4. If the player does not have any Completed Jokes, or after playing all Completed Jokes, the player may ask one of the other players a Joke or Punchline.
- If the matching Card to the Joke or Punchline Card is found in that player's hand, then the "asking" player gets the Joke or Punchline Card and may take another turn. This player's turn continues until a Joke cannont be completed.