

TREASURE ISLAND





Upload Sites include: mega.nz gofile.io
sendspace.com docs.google.com snip.li
dlscrib.com mediafire.com dropbox.com
uploadman.com de.scribd.com seelie.net
4shared.com peginc.com lib gen.pw
valikorlia.com uploadmb.com imgur.com
annarchive.com uploaded.net
usercloud and a userscloud docdroid.net
anonfile and anonfiles
zippyshare.com is strange, there are numbers after
the 'www' i.e. www57.zippyshare

Q: What are all these weird links?

A: Common practice is to translate the hostname of a URL into 1337 \$p3@k, and break the rest onto a separate line. For example:

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m3g4<dot>nz  
/#F!UvhUBQJA!GZqCZtCEGiGpJAGm8QVxWw  
= mega.nz/#F!UvhUBQJA!GZqCZtCEGiGpJAGm8QVxWw
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Q: How can I share?

A: Upload your file to a site like sendspace, userscloud, mega, etc., and paste a link in the thread. Note that it isn't necessary to go overboard masking your links. A(@), E(3), S(\$), .<dot>, usually suffice.

BUT

If your file has information included you don't want publicly available, please put it in one of the following locations for transmutation (please do not drop the same file in multiple locations):

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r3brand<dot>ly /nergal-cleaners  
r3brand<dot>ly /RepositoryDonate  
rebrand<dot>ly /OG69s-Scrub-a-Dub
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OR

Contact cityofcarse<at>gmail.com to contribute a physical book for scanning.

Q: Why can't I find this document? I looked on thetrove<dot>net.

A: That particular site has nothing at all to do with The Share Thread and/or the people who maintain the collections listed in Da Docs. That site chose a name which, whether intentionally or not, causes some confusion. Please do not ask for any help with any issue you have at that particular site.

Q: Why shouldn't I just post a PDF in my reply?

A: Please, ONLY POST OPEN SOURCE PDFS DIRECTLY IN THIS THREAD. Link the others from elsewhere. Excessive infractions could cause TPTB to remove the ability to post any PDFs at all. Please check for copyrights before you post anything directly.

Q: Are there any games I shouldn't share at all?

A: There are publishers who can/will/do exercise their ability to file lawful DMCA takedown notices.

The most prolific examples include, but may not be limited to:

Lame Mage Productions (Microscope/Explorer, Kingdom, Follow)
Daniel Fox (Zweihander)
Heart of the Deernicorn (Fall of Magic)
Dan Coleman (Ebonclad)
BrightShield (Izzy's Slightly Used Airships)
Matt Colville (Strongholds and Followers)
James Herbert Brennan (Man, Myth & Magic)
Precis Intermedia/P!G
Ten Candles
A Sundered World (or Dungeons and Delvers primer)
Electric State (Tales from the Loop art book; Simon Stalenhag)

Q: Why do I keep seeing "/r/"? Reddit comes up empty.

A: volafile.org/r/ Be aware that files only last 48 hours.

Q: Where is "The Dusty Shelf"? What about links that are just "/Name-Of-Game"?

A: **Read the documents.** The first few pages of each will explain their function and contain extra tidbits that you might find useful.

Q: **Where are the documents?**

A: r3br@nd<dot>ly /ShareThread

Q: I can't get "/ShareThread" to work. What am I doing wrong?

A: Remember, some links are cAsE sEnSeTiVe.

Q: Ok, but **how do I find the files for the game I'm looking for?**

A: Collections of RPG files - i.e. archives, troves, repos, etc. - are listed in the documents called **Da Archive, Da Curated Archive, and Da Annex. Start** with Da Curated Archive.

Q: How do I actually find what I'm looking for?

A: Hit CTRL+F and search for keywords inside the desired document. It's really that simple. Don't get lost scrolling unless you're interested in digging through miscellaneous collections to find random goodies. If you are trying to search a document from within your web browser's document reader, scroll to the bottom of the document before searching.

Q: I really want this game, but I just can't find it here. Are there any other resources?

A: Yes! Anything might be available on IRC. Try it out!

server: irc.dejatoons.net channel: #rpg-books
"@find GameYou'reLookingForGoesHere" should net you plenty of DCC responses to sift through. You can also try /ctcp options like "/ctcp ps !ps" and navigate the directory. "help" and "dir" are useful commands here.

If you use mIRC, you're going to have to go into your options and turn off the option that denies a whole bunch of file formats, as well as the check box that turns them on again after a couple of minutes. HexChat does not have this issue.

Example of finding things on IRC: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wLUMXdx5ySE>

