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Ups and Downs

We have had some amazing years recently. There has been so much growth, and maturing on so many levels. I read the Holy Bible every single day. I have lost track of how many times I have read the Holy Bible from start to finish. I just keep studying learning and growing. Something that stands out for me is the ups and downs of the Isrealites. There were generations that obeyed God and they prospered. There were generations that rebelled against God and they suffered. It is very interesting to me that so few Americans notice that when they vote. Then they get all angry at God when we suffer thanks to leaders that rebel against God. I also find it hilarious there are these people on the radical far left fake news media outlets spewing their disbelief in God, and then when things go wrong they blame God for them. I thought they did not believe in God? Interesting how they blame Him when God gives them their way and stays out of their affairs and does not bless them. Think Satan really wants the best for you?

I suspect we have some valleys coming in America. One of the things to remember is that even during a downturn, recession, or depression there are those that do okay still. There are those that experience amazing blessings. We at Family Friendly Gaming have experienced some amazing blessings during the Chinese COVID-19 virus times. There have been so many people who have come out and helped us. There have been so many companies that stepped up and helped out Family Friendly Gaming. Getting to work from home with the day job has helped with less gas, wear and tear on a vehicle and more time for the family. Peter has done amazing at U of M. Noah has been doing great in his first year at high school. Yolanda has done fantastic with her part time day job. All of these blessings during what some have called the worst year ever. I do not see it as the worst year ever. For me it has been a year of amazing blessings and fear mongering. Especially when you look at the numbers. As I write this column on Christmas Day 2020 I checked the numbers. The Chinese COVID-19 virus has killed (in the United States) 0.017% of those that got it. That means anyone who contracts it has a 99.93% chance of survival. The Spanish Flu killed off up to 10% of the 500

million that got infected with it. That was one third of the human population at the time. The odds of dying from that one were way worse. Perspective is always important. There are always good things to find out about what is going on today.

We all expect major problems from a Darth Biden presidency. There will be blessings in hard times. There will be amazing and wonderful things that happen with a bad rebellious and corrupt leader. The hunt for those things begin very soon for us. We will be hunting them as this issue is published.

God bless,
Paul Bury



Glorious

Paul has a wrestler's song called Glorious. It really reminds me how strong the human and of course American spirit is. Sure we have corrupt swamp water politicians trying to controls our lives and throw us a few bones while they wastefully spend all kinds of pork in each and every one of this bills more than one page. Sure the Chinese CO-VID-19 virus has spread a lot of fear. Yes there have been a fair amount of people who died from it. A lot more people die from a lot of other things every year. We can't diminish their pain and suffering while the fake news media obsesses over one virus. There are still scientific questions on the effectiveness of masks. There has been a pandemic of suicides from people who have no hope in the future thanks to the brainwashers in the fake news media, and entertainment realms.

Do you know where my hope comes from? Do you know where my joy comes from? Do you know where my thankfulness comes from? God is the answer to all of those questions. This is the point where the true church rises up and takes care of those in need. We are constantly helping others here at Family Friendly Gaming. We give people a kind word and encouragement all of the time. We are pointing people to God and giving them that outlet for hope. We do not shy from problems. We don't pretend there are no issues to be dealt with. What we do is look for the positive everywhere we can. Families have been able to spend more time together. The roads are less packed. Letting adults work from home and kids school from home has put less pollution in the air. We don't need a New Green Deal because so many less pollutants have made it into the air. Lord willing we should move past the COVID-19 in 2021. Companies should look long and hard at work from home and school from home - especially those who claim to care about the environment.

I don't know what we do about the lack of trust in government right now. With trust in the election process at an all time low and revelations that Dr Fauci lied to us; how can we ever believe them again? I don't have a good answer to that question. I struggle with this myself. I am not a paid

propaganda artist trying to do damage control for the swamp of corruption. My concern is even more corruption will happen with Big Tech and video game companies. Family Friendly Gaming has been a whistleblower of the video game company corruption for many years now. Too many have only short term memory or they don't care because they do not comprehend how it impacts them personally. There is an even worse possibility - they actually agree with the corruption. That is a scary thought indeed. I hope that is not true. Maybe we will see some major video game company reforms in 2021.

God bless,
Yolanda Bury



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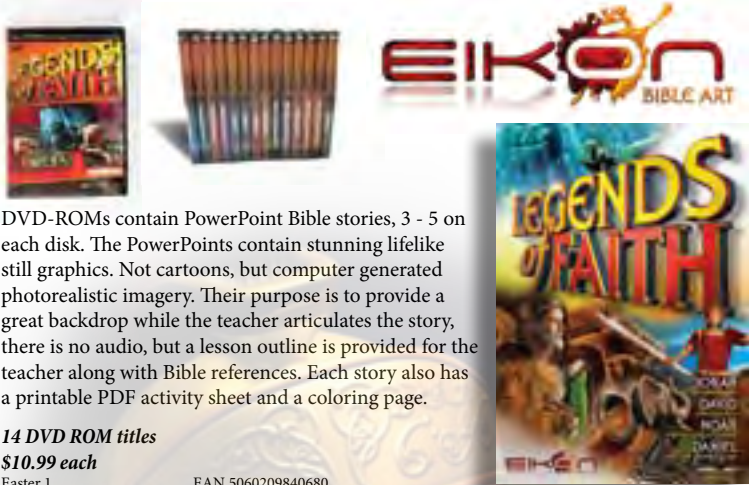


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Mission Statement

Family Friendly Gaming (FFG) was created in March of the year of our Lord 2005 as the first ever Christian video game magazine. The goal of Family Friendly Gaming is to report on video games from the family view point. Family Friendly Gaming takes a fair and balanced approach to all news, previews, reviews, interviews, features, and other articles found within. The secular video game media reports mainly on the most morally bankrupt games and call those games good. The major secular media reports on the bad side of video games mainly. Most other Christian media outlets claim video games turn the player into a zombie, or they completely worship video games. Family Friendly Gaming reports the good, and bad side effects to video games. It is the belief of the owners that readers are smart enough to come to their conclusions without those in the media handing opinions to them. Those of us at Family Friendly Gaming believe by giving you the facts, you can decide for yourself. There are plenty of really good video games on the market that teach wonderful lessons. Both inside the Christian video game market, and from non-Christian video game developers. Family Friendly Gaming seeks out these video games to bring them to your attention. Since it is unknown before playing a game how family friendly it is; it is possible that this magazine will preview a game, and then the review will expose problems previously unknown. Family Friendly Gaming promises to always ask the question: "how God feels about certain video games." God's opinion on the matter is more important than any mere mortal. Which is why the rest of the industry does not influence FFG.

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SOUND OFF



The Sound Off section is where you the reader/emailer is heard. What you have to say is put in this section for all the readers to see. Of course certain content is edited for appropriateness issues. This is a family friendly magazine, and certain content is just not proper. We hope you enjoy this section as much as we do. Keep an eye out for your comments appearing in these very pages. You have our attention, so SOUND OFF!

Why America Won't Heal

Your Why America Won't Heal article is fantastic. I wish more people took the time to analyze things like you do. Too many "analysts" are obsessing about what is right in front of them. The poor winner liberals are acting horrible. They keep commanding the rest of us on what we can say, when we can say it, when we can work, where we can work, who can work, and much more. While so many others focus on their horrible behavior they never took the time to boil it down to its essentials and the core problem. I have to be very careful where



I work because liberals will lie about conservatives to get them fired and HR sides with the liars each and every time. The abuses of power are real in the corporate world. I have seen too many good men fired over lies from liberals and replace with incompetent diverse people so the company could brag about it. Guess who winds up doing more

work? The few of us white males left. I am doing the job of three people because two are clueless but being given awards for their gender, race, or sexual preferences. George Washington must be rolling in his grave about to cause an earthquake.

- Shawn

{Paul}: Shawn,

Thank you for your kind words of encouragement. I keep trying to express this reality to everyone because I see it and I see no resolution to it aside from splitting America up. I don't like that solution but nothing else preserves our traditions, definitions, morals, ethics, institutions and reality.

I worked in corporate America before and saw the same things you described. It is really sad when "leaders" pick people based on race, gender, or rebellion against God. They kill the morale constantly with those things. Then they start only hiring yes people who will tell them what they want. I have worked places where if you gave something negative on a yearly survey of the company managers were trying to find the person and get rid of them. They did not try to make the environment better oh no. Instead they got rid of anyone who spoke out. Talk about lying, they would say they want more information to make things better. Within a month all of those people were gone from the company. I learned they only wanted brown nosers who would say what they wanted or they would be vindictive. You are so right about HR as well. They don't care about the people. they care about the company and hiding things to stop or beat any law suits for the criminal behavior in those companies.

Front Cover

How does Family Friendly Gaming pick what game or games get

put on the front cover of each issue? Is that something companies purchase?
- Kim

{Paul}: Kim,

That is an excellent question. There is no official rhyme or reason to how we pick. First and foremost companies do not purchase front cover rights. What we do is we look at the games we are covering in that specific issue. We then find games we think would be good for the front cover. We check to make sure it has not been given the front cover rights before. We like to spread the wealth as much as possible. From there we try a variety of pictures and



SOUND OFF Continued

see how they look on the front cover. There are games that we wanted to give the front cover rights to but they did not have any pictures that would work, so we moved onto another game. The front cover is one of the last things we do in each issue.

Just Found You

I just found Family Friendly Gaming and I am so happy I did. Your family is amazing. You guys do so much. From your news stories, to images, to videos, to reviews, to previews, to sponsored stories, to updated news stories, and more. You guys are all over social media. Your Youtube videos and live streams are amazing. Your Twitch live streams are great too.

You guys cover more stuff than I am interested in. Which is great. You guys cover products that I actually care about. I am so sick of the other gaming sites constantly obsessing over the latest 'M' rated video game. I don't play those games. So it is nice to see a gaming site that gives love to the other games. Those are the ones I want to really hear about. I also love you guys anime focus. Your Fairy Tail streams and now videos were exceptional. I love



how you know the franchise and know about Shield Hero. Any plans on reviewing any franchises like those?

- Barney

{Paul}: Barney,

Thank you so much for your kinds words of encouragement. We take things one day at a time. We even have to turn away some products because we do not have the time to work on them. A lot of companies do not comprehend there is a cost to everything we publish. We do not have limitless resources. We don't even make enough to do this full time. If we did have the money to do this full time then we would be able to get so much more done. That is still our prayer - to get the financial input

high enough to do this full time. We have a ton of ideas of things to do and ways to make our website, live streams and videos better. We are looking at doing reviews of manga in the future. Shield Hero might be one of the first we review as well.

Would you like to be heard in Family Friendly Gaming? Want to Sound Off on something in video games, the website, the magazine, etc? Log on to the internet and go to our Comments page: <http://www.familyfriendlygaming.com/comments.html>, or send an email to: SoundOff@familyfriendlygaming.com. Mail us comments at: Family Friendly Gaming 7910 Autumn Creek Drive Cordova, TN 38018

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Look BACK

QUIZ

There has been a lot of history made here at Family Friendly Gaming. Let us take a look at some of the historic front covers to a few of the issues in our long and storied history.



Family Friendly Gaming decided to do some fun little historic quizzes. Anyone who is not a business partner, advertiser, PR contact, or works for Family Friendly Gaming can answer these questions. Email answers to SoundOff@familyfriendlygaming.com. After three months the person with the most right answers will be logged in a future issue.

Question: Can companies sponsor Family Friendly Gaming?

Answer:

Question: Do you enjoy watching R-rated movies? Why or why not?

Answer:

Question: Do you enjoy playing M-rated games? Why or why not?

Answer:

Question: Where can the Video Game Lies book be purchased?

Answer:

Question: Is there a page on how you can help Family Friendly Gaming?

Answer:

Question: Does Family Friendly Gaming have a Twitch channel?

Answer:

Question: Does Family Friendly Gaming have a Daily Motion channel?

Answer:

Question: Have you been to the advertise page on the Family Friendly Gaming website?

Answer:

Question: Where can you buy shirts that show off your FFG Universe pride?

Answer:

Question: When can you catch FFG Twitch streams?

Answer:

Question: What was the first video game system everyone at FFG played?

Answer:

Question: How long have you read/watched Family Friendly Gaming?

Answer:

Question: Are you one of the 8.88 million readers of FFG?

Answer:

DEVOTIONAL

One Way

Every so often we get a question from someone asking what we think of a variety of different religions. First and foremost we have a relationship with Jesus Christ the Son of God. For us it about the relationship and not following some religious dogmas. **Luke 13: 25-27** *Once the owner of the house gets up and closes the door, you will stand outside knocking and pleading, 'Sir, open the door for us.'*

"But he will answer, 'I don't know you or where you come from.'

26 *"Then you will say, 'We ate and drank with you, and you taught in our streets.'*

27 *"But he will reply, 'I don't know you or where you come from. Away from me, all you evildoers!'*

Jesus will deny you if you did not know him. The relationship is the key.

The second part of the answer is based on what Jesus said. **John 14:6** *Jesus an-*

swered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. 7 If you really know me, you will know my Father as well. From now on, you do know him and have seen him." There are two responses to what Jesus Christ said. You can believe He told the truth, or you can believe He lied. We choose to believe He told the truth. Which is what it comes down to for us. We believe Jesus Christ was telling the truth.

I always find it interesting when some people try to accuse of us claiming: "YOU SAY YOUR WAY IS THE ONLY WAY!" We believe Jesus Christ told the truth when HE said it. Jesus is the one that said HE IS THE WAY. We choose to believe Him. I notice when that question comes from trouble makers they are always trying to twist things around. They don't want to contradict Jesus Christ. They do not want to call Jesus Christ a liar. The acknowledge how offensive that would be. So

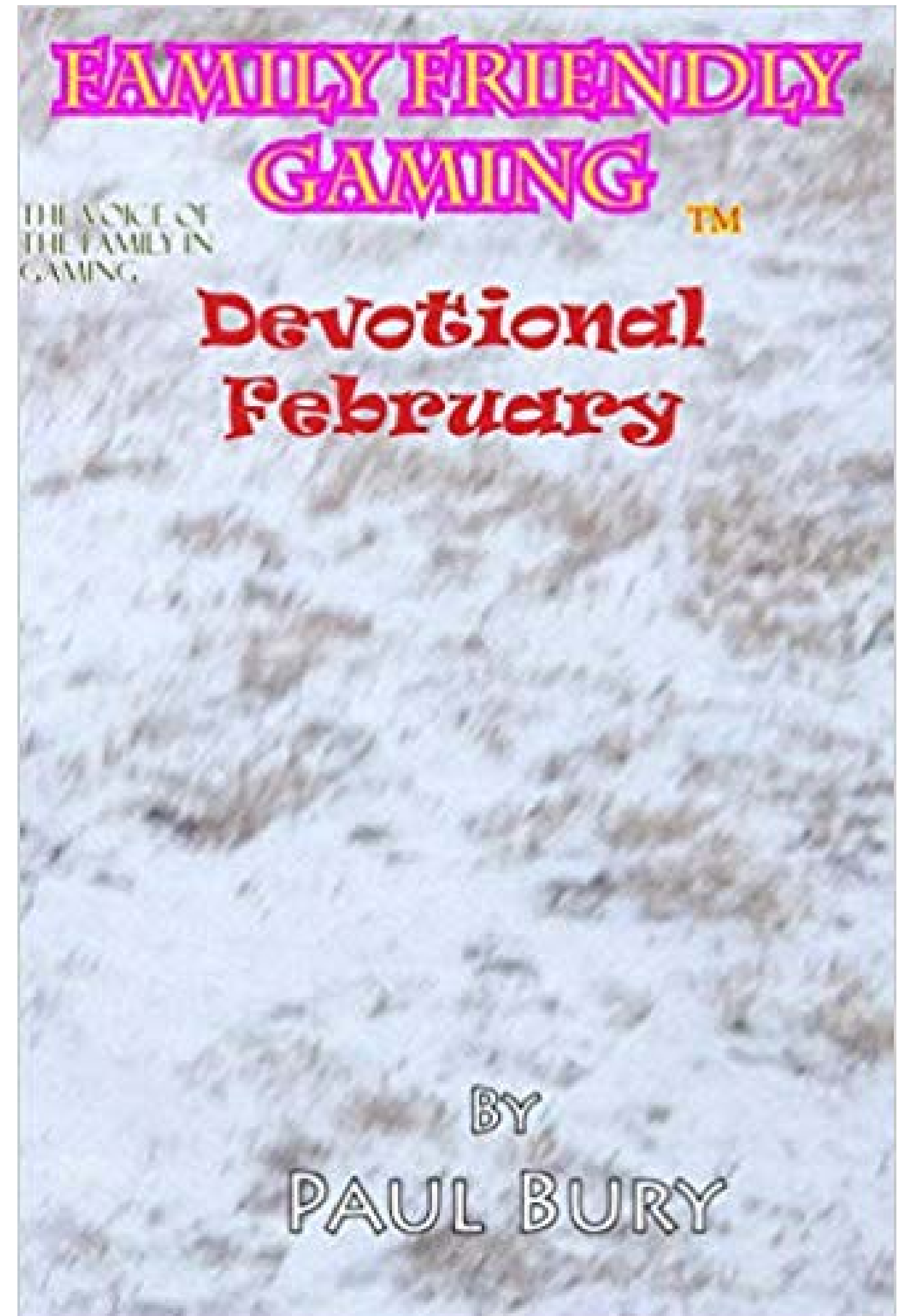
the only thing to do is to attack us. Claim we are being offensive to so many others. It falls apart when we go to the source. It all misses the mark when we point out who said it and there are two potential responses to their statement. What choice do you make? Do you believe Jesus Christ told the truth? Or do you make the opposite choice? We all have free will to decide for ourselves. You make the call for you.

God Bless,
Paul Bury

PRAYER

Jesus,

I know that I am a sinner and need Your forgiveness. Nothing I can do of my own power will give me true joy. I believe that You died for my sins. I want to turn from my enslavement to sins, and repent of them. I now invite You to come into my heart and life. I want to trust and follow You as my personal Lord and Savior. I welcome the transforming power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



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Star Kings Releases for Age of Wonders Planetfall

Paradox Interactive and Triumph Studios announced that Star Kings, the third expansion for 4X strategy game Age of Wonders: Planetfall, is now available on PC (Paradox Plaza, Steam, GOG, Microsoft Store), Xbox One, and PlayStation 4 (Europe, Americas) for a suggested retail price of \$19.99 / €19.99 / £15.49 .

Star Kings introduces a new playable faction, the Oathbound who, among many other things, can see into the future and command giant mechs. They'll need both too. Did we mention they need to save the galaxy? No

NEWS

pressure. No pressure at all.

Additionally, there will be a free update available for all Planetfall players adding tons of new content including the ability to build your own custom galactic empire.

Star Kings' Features include:

New playable faction - The Oathbound: The Oathbound are a group of noble Paladins who pilot giant mechs and tear their foes apart with massive arc weapons imbued with lightning. The mythical Seers are the benevolent yet cunning leaders of the Oathbound that support their Paladin brethren in battle through their



ability to see into the future from their connection with a mysterious computer system.

New story campaign: Follow the Oath-

bound on their sworn quest to save mankind and plant the seeds of a new Empire! Lead

a noble Paladin and discover the truth behind the dangers that face her world. Find the ancient Grail Configuration and save the galaxy, or witness the last sparks of humanity fade away

Grail Configurations: Powerful new landmark structures earned through multi-stage quests. These mysterious structures were created by an extinct race of crystal entities and are used for powerful long term bonuses

that are integral in forging the biggest empires possible.

Wildlife additions: Three new wildlife groups are joining the fray. The Psionica, vampire-like rock creatures that feed on psychic energy; the Apostates, former Oathbound that have given up their vows to embrace chaos; and the Mycelians, sentient mushrooms that have taken control of farming equipment to become cyborgs.

The benevolence of the Oathbound extends to all Planetfall players! Alongside the launch of Star Kings, a free patch will be added with new features that everyone can enjoy. Key features coming with the patch include:

Galactic Empire: Customize your own empire by conquering worlds with progress that carries over between play sessions. Combine technology from various races and carry over heroes between planets as you lay the foundation of an eternal empire!

New worlds to conquer: New worlds to wage war on! Each world will have different traits and bonus objectives adding a ton of gameplay variety and extra challenges as you take over new planets to expand a growing empire.

Tech requisition: Develop new strategies by adopting and combining secret tech from various Planetfall races. Wild combinations and unique tactics can be created that change up the battlefield in crazy new ways.

Residential Sectors: Create Super Colonies by building beyond the city sector limit and use a variety of racial upgrades to maximize economic variety.

Endless Research: Each tech tree now contains a 'Future Tech' skill that can be researched an unlimited number of times. Future Tech provides a random stacking bonus every time it is upgraded encouraging you to keep on researching forever!

Fight Crab FREE In-Game Skins

Videogame publisher and developer Mastiff, in partnership with Calappa Games, announced the release of an epic new live-action story trailer and a free downloadable update, featuring shiny new in-game skins for their 3D action battle game, Fight Crab.

GAME UPDATE

Fight Crab update 1.2.0 addresses a number of fixes and makes several gameplay balance adjustments, but also adds special Gold, Silver, and Copper skins, which can be selected and applied to any of Fight Crab's 23 crabby combatants. In order to unlock these lustrous new skins, players must first complete Fight Crab's Campaign Mode.

In addition to update 1.2.0, Mastiff has also released a new live-action story trailer for Fight Crab which weaves all three live-action trailers together to create one mega epic live-action trailer filled with mind-blowing historical facts, shocks, surprises, and explosions too!



Super Bomberman R Online Goes Free-to-Play For All Stadia Users

Konami Digital Entertainment Inc. announced that SUPER BOMBERMAN R ONLINE is now available for any level user to play for free on Stadia. With this update, all Stadia users will have access to the play for free version of SUPER BOMBERMAN R ONLINE, immediately allowing players the ability to hop in to 64 player Bomberman action. Players will still have the option to purchase the Premium Pack add-on content for \$9.99.

Alongside the base game, the Premium Pack allows players to freely play with any of the 14 additional characters, each equipped with special types and abilities. In addition to the ability to create private matches with friends, SUPER BOMBERMAN R ONLINE also delivers more than 100 customizable feature combinations, with numerous characters (including those from SBR and other KONAMI IPs), costumes, accessories and for the first time, bomb skins – affecting both the bomb and the blast itself. Select users will also be able to take full advantage of Crowd Play beta, a feature that allows players to jump into a game with their favorite streamers on YouTube.

Tennis World Tour 2 Coming to Next Gen Consoles

NACON and Big Ant Studios are delighted to announce that a special edition of Tennis World Tour 2 will be available on next-generation consoles. This edition will include the base game, additional content and gameplay improvements. Tennis World Tour 2 will be available in March 2021 on Xbox Series X|S and PlayStation®5.

The Annual Pass content is also revealed. As well as the DLC with official stadiums, already available, the Annual Pass includes 3 DLC packs that will be available within the next 4 months.

The second major DLC, available today, adds two new players – US player Sofia Kenin and Karolina Plíšková from the Czech Republic. 2 DLCs will release in January and March and will include a range of additional content: a new tournament, 8 new players, new stadiums, gears and clothing.

Tennis World Tour 2 invites fans to play a realistic tennis game that faithfully transcribes the specific aspects of the sport and its competitive nature. Many of the game's aspects have been completely redesigned, and having more animations has increased the game's fluidity and realism.

Tennis World Tour 2 will offer the most comprehensive tennis experience:

Highly anticipated new features: the ability to play doubles matches with up to 4 players locally and online, a competitive mode, an improved serve system and a new shot timing mechanic

More realistic: more animations create

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smoother gameplay

Multiple game modes: Career, Quick Match, Online, Tournament, Ranked Match and Tie Break Tens - there's a format to suit every player

Several official courts: The Estadio Manolo Santana of the Mutua Madrid Open, the OWL ARENA of Halle or the 3 courts of Roland-Garros: Philippe-Chatrier, Suzanne-Lenglen and Simonne-Mathieu

48 renown players: the most famous players are part of the casting this year, among them Rafael Nadal, Roger Federer and Ashleigh Barty

A next-gen version with technical and gameplay improvements



eFootball PES 2021 LITE

Konami announced eFootball PES 2021 LITE, the latest free-to-play version of the acclaimed football simulator for PS4, Xbox One and PC Steam, which is available to download right now. PES 2021 LITE provides unrestricted access to all the features of myClub mode. The Iconic Moment Series, new from launch this year, is the latest way to improve your myClub squad.

PES 2021 LITE also includes access to Matchday, a competitive PvP mode where players participate in mass events inspired by real world football matches and infamous rivalries.

Konami also announced that the 2020-21 season of the eFootball League has kicked off with the start of the eFootball.Open division. Last season's eFootball.Open was a runaway success, amassing over 1.4 million tournament participants worldwide. Starting today, any eFootball PES 2021 SEASON UPDATE console or mobile player will be able to participate in the Online Qualifiers.

Players on PES 2021 LITE, newly released and free to play, will also be able to enter eFootball.Open, ensuring its position as one of the most accessible esports tournaments globally.

In The News Continued

Planet Zoo Aquatic Pack Available Now

The Planet Zoo: Aquatic Pack is here! Make sure your game is up-to-date, and get ready to jump in and make a splash! Available now on Steam for \$9.99.

Expand your zoo with the marine menagerie in the Aquatic Pack! Introducing five iconic, water-dwelling animals: King Penguin, Grey Seal, Giant Otter, Cuvier's Dwarf Caiman and Diamondback Terrapin. The habitat animals in this Pack will be able to deep-swim, which means they will present a brand new set of considerations when adding them into your zoos! Make sure you visit the Zoopedia to see how to keep them feeling happy and cared for. The Aquatic Pack also includes 170+ scenery, building, and foliage pieces which have a modern feel, so that you can get the max amount of versatility from them.

Update 1.4 has also released alongside the Aquatic Pack, and is free for the entire PlanZo Fam. This update adds some highly-requested features that will enhance your gameplay experience, such as the Animal Talks, something that we know many of you have been looking forward to since we announce them a couple of weeks ago. With the Animal Talks come a new Staff member, the Educator! We're also adding in an Underwater Box Feeder, a Water Temperature Regulator, and more! You'll need to have the Planet Zoo base game (sold separately) in order to download and play this additional content.

Planet Coaster Console Edition Spooky & Adventure Bundle Available Now

Frontier Developments plc announced the Spooky & Adventure Bundle is coming to console, bringing an abundance of spooktacular chills and adventurous thrills to Planet Coaster: Console Edition.

Planet Coaster: Console Edition has charmed players and critics alike with its captivating creativity options, whimsical soundtrack and immersive ways to play, all brought together with a hearty dose of coaster park magic. Adding to the already available Deluxe Rides Collection, the Spooky & Adventure Bundle offers players even more ways to entertain and excite their guests, from enigmatic entertainers to spine-tingling new attractions, along with a whole host of new scenery and building pieces.

Featuring two new dark rides, spine-chilling scenery and building pieces, and eerie entertainer, King Ghoster, the Spooky Pack provides players with everything they need to build a frighteningly good coaster park. Guests will get the fright of their lives with The Hoax, a free-spinning haunted house ride that can fit in even the smallest spaces with its tight track that twists and turns, while The Huntsman will have guests in a spin with its unique way of tilting and turning as it rotates on an axis. This motion platform ride allows players to coordinate stomach-knotting moments as they place guests face-to-face with unearthly horrors. Whether expanding their existing park or building an entirely new one, players can thrill guests with surprises lurking around every dark corner. From misty graveyards where spirits linger, to haunted houses filled with scuttling rats

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and rattling skeletons, park-goers will need nerves of steel to brave their new surroundings.

Those looking to inject a little more adventure into their parks can heed the call of the wild and hit the jungle trail with the Adventure Pack. Boasting a thrilling new coaster, two new water-based attractions, jungle-inspired scenery and building pieces, and queen of the jungle herself, entertainer Renee Feu, thrill seekers are well equipped to transform their parks into glorious lands of mystery.

Make a splash with Island Adventure, a high-capacity boat ride designed for large bodies of water, or take guests on a charming trip along bespoke waterways scattered with paddling hippos, clawing scorpions, and numerous decorative jewels, with Land Ahoy. The pack's dizzying mine cart coaster, Gold



Fever, will delight intrepid explorers as they tilt and sway through curious caves and into the heart of a temple filled with surprises galore to discover.

Both packs contain an abundance of fresh

scenery. With piece-by-piece construction, players can position, rotate, and intersect any object in the game, designing the coaster park of their dreams.

They can also choose from a wide variety of blueprints, adding pre-made scenery, decorations, and animatronics to their parks. From risky rope bridges to all manner of jungle fauna, many of the pieces here are ver-

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satile enough to fit in any park, ready to be shaped, positioned, and customised.

Players can also take full advantage of the brand new Frontier Workshop. This is an entirely new sharing platform built from the ground up on console. It enables players to inspire and be inspired as they share their creations with the world. And with cross-generation support, anything uploaded on a current-gen console can also be downloaded on its next-gen equivalent, resulting in an endless stream of magical content to discover.

The Spooky & Adventure Bundle is out now for Planet Coaster: Console Edition on Xbox Series X|S, Xbox One, PlayStation®4 and PlayStation®5 for a suggested retail price of £11.99/\$14.99/€12.99. The packs are also available for purchase individually for a suggested retail price of £7.99/\$9.99/€9.99.

Stellaris Console Edition Megacorp

Paradox Interactive, a company known for creating galactic customer journeys, announced that MegaCorp, the latest addition to Stellaris: Console Edition's third expansion pass, will be available for budding titans of industry starting January 26th. MegaCorp will grant console gamers the power to usher their federation into a new era of opulence and luxury or poverty and corporate slavery on a galactic scale.

Exciting new innovations included in MegaCorp include:

Corporate Culture: Bigwigs and C-suite execs of a MegaCorp can conduct business on a galaxy-wide scale with a host of new civics. By constructing Branch Offices on planets within empires they have trade

agreements with, the MegaCorp can add a portion of the planet's Trade Value to their own network. Using the new Corporate Authority government type, build a financial powerhouse and dominate galactic trade.

City World: With Ecumenopolis, players can increase the population density of core worlds to proportions that are "too big to fail", eventually creating a megacity spanning multiple planets.

Caravaneer Fleets: Watch out for those pesky Caravaneers, nomadic traders who walk the fine line between salesman and scammer. These slippery wheelers-and-dealers stay aloof from galactic politics and always have a sales trick up their sleeve. Expect surprises when these master barterers wander through your space or when you visit their home systems.

More Megastructures: The finance department has approved the budget for your own glorious Matter Decompressor, Mega-Art

Installation or Strategic Coordination Center! You've got the green light to use these to acquire new scaling capabilities for your megalopolis.

Galactic Slave Market: Acquire and dispose of labor on an industrial scale. Grant them freedom or keep them as livestock - it's up to you!

VIP Status: Comes with its Perks: Keep your economy competitive in a cutthroat galaxy with additional Ascension perks.

Advisors and

music: 3 Additional Advisors and 4 music tracks to help you conquer the Galaxy.



We Would Play That!

There are all kinds of cool family friendly video game ideas out there. This column features ideas of video games we would play. We hope games like these are created in the near future. Can you make it happen?

There is an area of the video game industry that has been under utilized for a very long time. Do you know what the area is? Relaxation video games. A lot of us will say we play video games to relax ourselves. Yet when we are rage quitting, angry, throwing tantrums, destroying expensive controllers or worse we need to ask ourselves a real and genuine question. Does playing XYZ video game actually relax me? If it does not relax you then why are you playing it? What is the point of spending time with something that stresses you out on

your limited time off?

There have been some video games that attempted to truly relax gamers from the past. Zenses Ocean and Zenses Rainforest on the Nintendo DS come to mind. Anyone remember those puzzle games that were designed to actually relax people? There are some VR video games that are attempting to help gamers relax. How well they do with it is a subject for debate and of course another article. Have you tried any of them? Do they relax you?

Have you ever thought about what really relaxes you? Can those same experiences be put into a video game? Different people have different things they find relaxing. I can't see a good way for a video game to simulate a nice hot bubble bath. There are certain tactile

experiences video games cannot replicate at this time. Maybe if we get into holograms that can actually interact with us in the physical world then we can have some of those experiences. But why? If we can have a nice relaxing bath in the real world why do we need it in a video game? Why go for the fake when you can do the real thing? Maybe this is why so many video games miss the mark of being relaxing because they cannot compete with the real world experiences.

Video games could simulate going to beautiful looking places and let us enjoy what God has created. Video games can recreate real world places that we may never be able to travel to. Targeted experiences may be the way to go in this endeavor. What do you think about this topic?

Titus 3:3-7

3 At one time we too were foolish, disobedient, deceived and enslaved by all kinds of passions and pleasures. We lived in malice and envy, being hated and hating one another. 4 But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, 5 he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, 6 whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, 7 so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life.

REVIEWS

Welcome to our reviews section. We have a couple of rules when it comes to our reviews. The reviewer must give an honest accounting as to why he/she liked or disliked something. No fanboy reviews allowed here, or at the very least they are discouraged (after all everyone has their own personal biases, likes, and dislikes). Everyone also has different tolerances, and weaknesses - we strive to keep that in mind in our reviews. We have been burned ourselves by reviews saying a certain game is great, only to be greatly offended by that game. Reviewers must be kind in their reviews. A game may be horrible, but there is no need to degrade the developer, publisher, artists, etc. There is also no need for name calling.

We review video games on five separate criteria: graphics, sound, replay/extras, gameplay, and family friendly factor. Review scale can be found here. The editor in chief coordinates reviews to have as much cohesion as possible. We are very open about the way we review video games. Each section starts with a 75 score, and can earn or lose points based on the content of the game, using our grading scale (found on the website).

Parents, please do not take any of our reviews as gospel. Different people are offended by different things. We work hard here at Family Friendly Gaming to discern the good from the bad in the teachings of each different video game. What may seem harmless to our reviewer(s), could be a big deal to you. We encourage you to spend time with your children and investigate each video game yourself. Each review is written with you in mind, and we try to mention each problem we find. We are not perfect, and miss things from time to time - just as the ESRB does. The ESRB rating is merely a start, and since they ignore many of the moral and spiritual factors important to parents all across America, we do our small part to fill that huge void. We are a small ministry and your prayers are so very important to us.

Questions, suggestions, comments, or got a game you would like for us to review? Then please email us at: Gamereviews@familyfriendlygaming.com.

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Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town



Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX



SCORE: 60

SCORE: 62

Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town is a remake of Harvest Moon More Friends of Mineral Town that was on the Gameboy Advance. Since Marvelous and Natsume parted ways older Harvest Moon games can be remade into Story of Season games. Marvelous owns rights to the games, and Natsume to the name Harvest Moon. Confusing I know.

I tried to explain it in some of my [live streams](#) of Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town on our YouTube channel. Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town has the tried and true farming mechanic, get a character to fall in love with you to marry, take care of animals and more. There is plenty to do in Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town.

Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town is presented as family friendly



and safe for kids. Sadly this game is a wolf in sheep's clothing. The role of the harvest goddess has been expanded. Sexual deviancy is now promoted as traditional marriage is attacked by Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town. This game openly embraces rebellion against God and tries to encourage others to do so. This is very sad to see.

Story of Seasons



Friends of Mineral Town lets us cook, plant, sew, raise animals, compete in competitions and more. We are constantly getting food for our animals. We are constantly watering the crops. We can mine for ore to pay for better tools. I would prefer to save up the money to buy the better tools. Mining is horrible.

Stamina drops in Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town way too quickly. We can hardly get much done before our character is too exhausted. The religious system in Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town spits in the face of the super majority of Americans that self identify as Christian. We are still not being provided for.

Story of Seasons Friends of Mineral Town is very small in terms of game play space and gets very boring very quickly. I recommend families pass on this game. - Paul

System: Nintendo Switch/PC
Publisher: XSeed Games
Developer: Marvelous Games
Rating: 'E10+' - Everyone TEN and OLDER ONLY {Comic Mischief, Suggestive Themes, Use of Alcohol}

Graphics: 60%
Sound: 60%
Replay/Extras: 70%
Gameplay: 60%
Family Friendly Factor: 50%



Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX is a remake of the 2005 Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Blue Rescue Team and Red Rescue Team. Those Nintendo DS and Gameboy Advance video games have not held up very well graphically in my opinion. Did you catch some of the live streams I did of Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX on the Nintendo Switch? If you missed them please click [here](#).

Issues families can have with Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX is violence, religious teachings of evolution, crude humor, bullying and more. The core of the Rescue Team in this Nintendo

Switch video game is to go into dungeons and save Pokemon who fainted. There is a running theme of rescuing others in Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX. I really appreciate that theme.

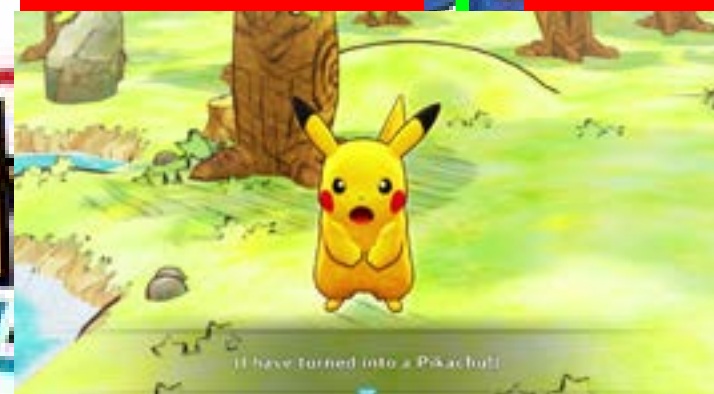
Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX includes the older music and graphics that did not thrill me. The storyline also felt similar because I played it fifteen years ago. I had no problem pur-

chasing a copy of Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX on the Nintendo Switch since it shows we are not part of the bought off gaming media



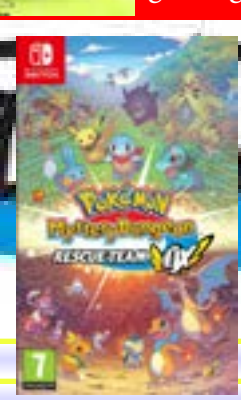
that ruins the entire industry in this horrible swamp of corruption.

Expect to grind in Pokemon Mystery Dungeon Rescue Team DX to be able to progress certain story points. There are Dojo tickets that can be used to train the Pokemon. There are also special items to allow us to house more powerful Pokemon. Floors randomly generate so you might spawn on one floor with the stairs to the next floor in the same room. Or the stairs might be the last place you ever check. We are limited on how many items we can carry and need to eat food to stay alive in the dungeons. - Paul



System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Nintendo
Developer: Spike Chunsoft
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY {Mild Cartoon Violence}

Graphics: 60%
Sound: 70%
Replay/Extras: 65%
Gameplay: 50%
Family Friendly Factor: 65%



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Need For Speed Hot
Pursuit Remastered

SCORE: 50



Were you one of the viewers for my YouTube live stream of Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered? If you missed it please click [here](#). Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered did not impress me. The game crashed and rebooted the Xbox One I was playing it on. Add that to the Internet dropping while I played Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered and you can imagine my experience with this racing game was far from positive.

There were other glitches in Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered too. The map shows shortcuts, yet when I tried to use those shortcuts I hit an invisible wall. The game play area of Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered is small and the controls leave a lot to be desired. Need For



Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered is way too touchy on the controls. It is really easy to pull a U-turn while trying to drift in Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered.

Graphically Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered did not impress me. There is violence and bad language in this game. If we barely scrape another vehicle we go flying. The police are given penalties for getting in accidents. Even on the easiest setting Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered is really tough and unforgiving. The online community for Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered is even worse. They can race in any car against any opponent. That means those that have spend the time or money for better vehicles will smoke you easily no matter how good you race.

There are so many better racing games out there. The Forza Horizon games are a great example. I am unclear why this game needed to be remastered since it was not very



good in the first place. Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered promotes criminals and breaking the law. I could find no one online to play the cops with which shows how toxic this community actually is. Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered does not have a rewind function or local multiplayer.

I did not have fun playing Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered on the Xbox One. I am thankful Family Friendly Gaming had the money to purchase this game after the PR and Marketing people failed us. We are not part of the swamp of corruption in media so we are ignored. Do not purchase Need For Speed Hot Pursuit Remastered on any of the systems it is on.

- Peter

System: Nintendo Switch/PC/PS4/
Xbox One(tested)
Publisher: Electronic Arts
Developer: Criterion Games
Rating: 'E10+' - Everyone TEN and
OLDER ONLY
{Language, Mild Violence}



Graphics: 55%
Sound: 50%
Replay: 55%
Gameplay: 40%
Family Friendly Factor: 50%



Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break



SCORE: 68



It has been years since I last played a Rock of Ages game. So I was really interested to see what Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break is like. I am very thankful Family Friendly Gaming had the money to purchase Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break on the Xbox One. I even did a live stream of this tower defense and offense video game. If you missed it please click [here](#). I like the various different modes in this game.

Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break is all about rolling our rock down the hill and breaking through the gate at the bottom. Unless we are doing something like Skeeball where we need to score more points or some of the other modes. Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break is all about making our levels and breaking the levels of others. There are single player and



multiplayer modes available in Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break. We can also play Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break online with others if we so choose.

Graphically Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break has some odd graphics. There is blood and violence as we literally roll over characters with our rocks. I love the customizations we



can do with the rocks. I chose to be a Joestar with my rock in Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break. There is also some quirky humor in Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break that can offend some families. Historical figures are used so lack of attire is another facet of Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break that may bother some families.

The story mode in Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break is okay in terms of length (over sixty levels). Getting to play the levels others created is fun in Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break. It is so easy to fall of the edges in Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break because the controls can be a bit touchy at times. I struggled in certain areas while playing Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break. I had some fun playing Rock Of Ages 3 Make & Break. - Peter

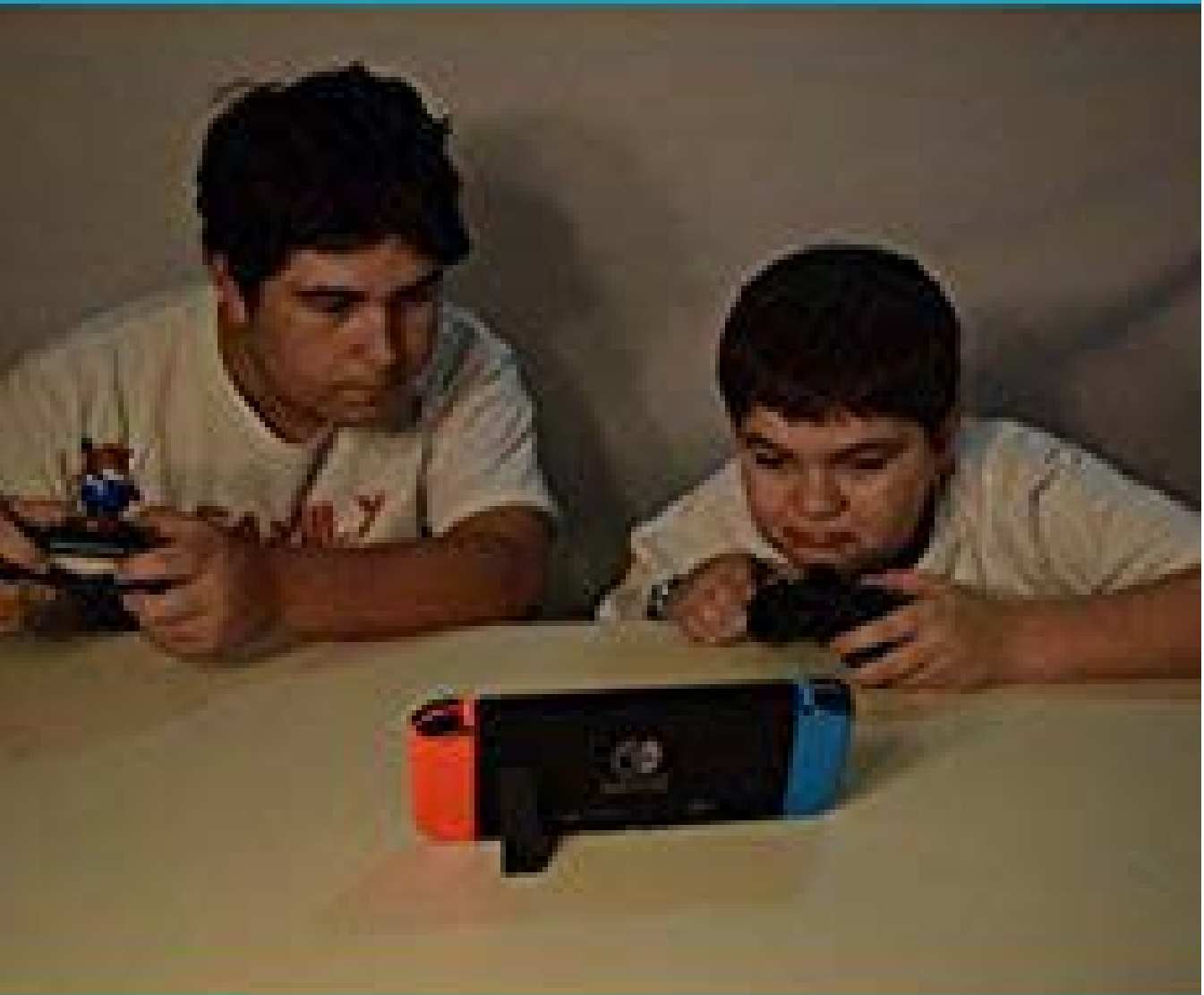


System: Nintendo Switch/PC/PS4/
Stadia/Xbox One(tested)
Publisher: Modus Games
Developer: ACE Team
Rating: 'T' - THIRTEEN and OLDER
ONLY {Cartoon Violence, Mild Blood}



Graphics: 65%
Sounds: 65%
Replay/Extras: 80%
Gameplay: 65%
Family Friendly Factor: 65%

VIDEO GAME LIES



by
Paul Bury
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Fruit Ninja VR

SCORE: 80

Did you enjoy the YouTube live stream I did of Fruit Ninja VR? If you missed it please click [here](#) as soon as possible. Fruit Ninja VR has some really cool things going for it. There is a solid gameplay concept behind this fruit slicing and dicing video game. There are also some aspect to this game I am not fond of.

Fruit Ninja VR is played on the Playstation 4 VR system with two wands. We get two swords and we slice fruit up for points. There are four modes in Fruit Ninja VR. The four modes are Survival, Classic, Zen, and Arcade. Survival is brutal since you can only miss three fruit before it is game over.

The biggest issue I have with Fruit Ninja VR is the random nature of what fruit appears. There are fruit that freeze the rest of them (making it easier to get all of them),



and there are fruit that will multiply your points. If you get those multiple times then you will get more points than when you don't I had one game where I got them a lot and got over 1600 points. I made mistakes and missed fruit too. I had another game where I did everything perfectly and only scored five hundred points. It depends on what randomly appears in Fruit Ninja VR.



Which is a real shame.

I had issues seeing the fruit in Fruit Ninja VR. Since we are in virtual reality fruit may spawn out of your range of vision. I kept looking around trying to see fruit because it only stays on the screen for a few short seconds. This led to more frustration and some funny feelings in my head. Fruit Ninja VR did not get my sick but probably would have if I played it for much longer.

Fruit Ninja VR sounds good and it looks nice. I loved being able to slice the fruit. Why does the fruit sometimes bounce off my sword blades? The bombs do from time to time as well so I guess it is

all relative. I am thankful Family Friendly Gaming had the money to purchase Fruit Ninja VR on the PS4 VR. Yes we did get a PEGI rated version.
- Peter



System: PS4 VR
Publisher: Halfbrick Studios
Developer: Halfbrick Studios
Rating: '3' – Everyone THREE and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 85%
Sounds: 85%
Replay/Extras: 77%
Gameplay: 68%
Family Friendly Factor: 85%



Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues

SCORE: 58

I am very thankful Family Friendly Gaming had the money to purchase Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues on the Xbox One. I expected this game to be terrible. I was not far off. Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues is actually a bit better than I was expecting. I did have my expectations really low in the first place to be fair.

Did you enjoy the live stream I did of Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues? If you missed it please click [here](#) and turn on notifications to find out when we are streaming on Twitch. Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues is a Final Fight like game that

looks good and sounds good. We fight tons of the same looking characters.

The issues families will have with Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues are violence, lack of attire, enticement to lust, bad language, and more. We pummel the same enemies over and over again in Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues. It is so boring that I found myself yawning while playing this brawler. What is our reward for smashing tons of the same looking guys? More of the same.

There are a variety of attacks and commands that can be used in Cobra Kai The Karate



Kid Saga Continues. Some of them do not always work. We can't use the environment on larger characters for example. There can be some funny moments when we use RB on an environmental item and an enemy.

Players can choose from the two dojos in Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues. When enemies are red we cannot hurt them. This can be a pain with multiple enemies attacking us at the same time. Multiple family members can suffer with Cobra Kai The Karate Kid Saga Continues at the same time. I recommend families steer clear of this game. - Paul



System: Nintendo Switch/PC/PS4/Xbox One(tested)
Publisher: Gamemill Entertainment
Developer: Flux Game Studio
Rating: 'T' THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Alcohol Reference, Mild Language, Mild Suggestive Themes, Violence}



Graphics: 60%
Sound: 60%
Replay/Extras: 60%
Gameplay: 50%
Family Friendly Factor: 60%



Joker



Mutant X Season Three



SCORE: 53

SCORE: 60

If you watched our live stream [FFG Haul](#) for November 2020 then you knew Joker is a movie I purchased and was interested in checking out. I knew Joker was rated 'R' for Restricted (17



or Batman in Joker. I was expecting a lot worse from Joker actually. There are some really bloody scenes in Joker. They are fewer than I expected though. The

and older only). I was curious to see what Joker was like. I read a lot of different opinions on this movie before watching it. I had trouble sleeping after watching Joker because there is so much content within this movie.

The content that will offend families are blood, death, lack of attire, enticement to lust, bad language and more. Joker is bullied, and beaten up in this movie. He even has a condition where he laughs uncontrollably. There is no Ace Chemicals, Red Hood

language is the same way. Joker would have been better without the bad language in my opinion.

The Joker movie attacks the rich and makes them look horrible. This movie encour-



to one another and he acts even worse. How does that make people act nicer again? The stairs scene is the best in this movie.
- Paul

ages the poor to go rioting and looting. The motivations of the Joker make no sense to me at times. SPOILER ALERT! Why kill his mother that he has been taking care of all this time? I get why he kills the late night television host. That one makes sense. He runs from the police at one point, although it is not clear how they suspected him in the first place.

Joker is a slow crawl to get to the point where he finally starts acting like the character. Once he gets there he has the role down really well. I love how he said he is not political but accepts that role anyways. His humor does not make much sense. He rants about people not being nice

Publisher: Warner Bros
Developer: DC Comics
System: Blu-ray/DVD
Rating: 'R' - Restricted SEVENTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Strong Bloody Violence, Disturbing Behavior, Language and Some Brief Sexual Images}



Graphics: 50%
Sound: 55%
Replay: 60%
Gameplay: 50%
Family Friendly Factor: 50%

I am finally totally done watching all of Mutant X. Mutant X Season Three finishes off the season and things really took a turn for the worse. It seems this show has a really hard time keeping any bad guys around. The writers again tell the same story multiple times in multiple episodes and just swap the characters around. It gets really old to see the same story used on all four main characters of the show more than once in Mutant X Season Three.

The issues families can have with Mutant X Season Three are blood, violence, death, ghosts, lack of attire, enticement to lust, sex outside of marriage, and more. Mutant X Season Three attacks Christians and the church in the most offensive manner possible. We lose Emma and Adam at the start of Mutant X Season Three. SPOILER ALERT: Adam comes back in Mutant X Season Three near the end. He actually comes back twice since the Adam we know is

a clone of the creator.

One of the most shocking moments in Mutant X Season Three is when a hero kills a villain. There is a mutant healer in Mutant X Season Three that acts a lot like Jesus Christ. The Dominion becomes the helper and then villain in Mutant X Season Three. Lexa joins the team and takes the role of Emma and Adam for a bit. She never really seemed to fit in my opinion. The four mutants pair off into couples. Some relationships grow and others were left not quite there.

We get a prophecy telling mutant in Mutant X Season Three as well as a



child that could be a problem in the future. There are plot line threads left open in Mutant X Season Three. I expect they were not expecting the show to be canceled. In my opinion Mutant X Season Three is where the show falls on its

face. I am very glad this show is done and there are no more seasons. So much of Mutant X Season Three felt lazy in terms of writing.

The lightning effects in Mutant X Season Three are the main thing I enjoyed. I got sick of the on again off again relationships that felt like there was no direction for the characters. Maybe in the era of Mutant X Season Three they did not plot out the characters and what they would do in certain situations. The hate speech attacks on men were present and accounted for in Mutant X Season Three
- Paul



System: DVD
Publisher: Tribune Entertainment
Developer: Fireworks Entertainment
Rating: 'NR' - Not Rated



Graphics: 60%
Sound: 65%
Replay: 70%
Gameplay: 55%
Family Friendly Factor: 50%



NBA Inside Drive 2004

SCORE: 75

I am so thankful I had enough money to purchase NBA Inside Drive 2004 on the original Xbox. We even did some videos for our website and YouTube channel. Please check them out [here](#).

We had a pretty good and pretty fun basketball game in our videos. NBA Inside Drive 2004 can be played in Single Game, Season, Network Play, Playoffs, General Manager, Load Games, Options, and more.

All of the NBA teams from that era are present in NBA Inside Drive 2004. I really like how good NBA Inside Drive 2004 looks for its era and how the camera swivels around making game play work really well. NBA Inside Drive 2004 sounds good as well. This is



a very solid basketball video game from that gaming era.

We had a lot of fun playing NBA Inside Drive 2004



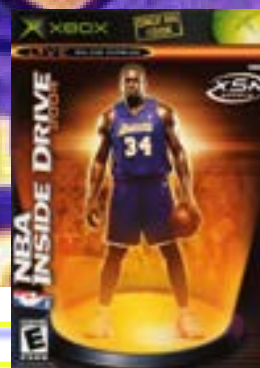
on the original Xbox. This sports video game is one that I wished continued. I hope Microsoft brings their sports games back really soon. NBA Inside Drive 2004 feels like basketball more than many modern basketball video games.

There are some really subtle things done well in NBA Inside Drive 2004 like the lighting and shadowing. The fans in the stands look great in NBA Inside Drive 2004 too. This game is a definite improvement from the previous years entry. Commentary com-



ments can still offend some people. They only say so many things and streaks can help or hurt you in NBA Inside Drive 2004. A very solid title for families in my book.
- Paul

System: Xbox
Publisher: Microsoft
Developer: High Voltage Software
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 85%
Sound: 65%
Replay/Extras: 90%
Gameplay: 67%
Family Friendly Factor: 69%



College Hoops 2K6

SCORE: 95

Did you enjoy the Twitch stream Teen Gamer and I did of College Hoops 2K6? If you missed it please click [here](#). I am very thankful I had the money to purchase College Hoops 2K6 on the original Xbox. College Hoops 2K6 can also be found on the Playstation 2, and Xbox 360. College Hoops 2K6 is an extremely solid and fun college basketball video game.

College Hoops 2K6 makes me wish there were new college hoops video games. Maybe we will get some in the near future. College Hoops 2K6 plays great, looks great, and it sounds great. There are a plethora of things families



can do and play in College Hoops 2K6. The modes in College Hoops 2K6 are Quick Game, Game Modes, Management, Options, Load, Save, Extras, and Xbox Live.

It took some of us a bit to get used to the free throw controls. We use one of the sticks and go down and back up. Sort of like how we hit in the Golf Club franchise. College Hoops 2K6 lets us control the coaching, zone defense, recruiting, high school camps, and more. The right stick allows us some neat controls in College Hoops 2K6 too. We can make monster dunks, finger rolls, jumpers, and fade aways.

A lot of thought and effort was put into College Hoops 2K6.



If you like college basketball then you will enjoy the realism in College Hoops 2K6. There are cheerleaders (dressed appropriately) cheering on the ends of the court, fans reacting properly and announcers getting excited as we do amazing things with our players.

Four family members can enjoy College Hoops 2K6 at the same time. I am pretty sure the Xbox Live connection has been brought down so online play is no longer a reality. It was probably cool back in the day. College Hoops 2K6 earns the rarely given FFG Seal of Approval. - Paul

System: PS2/Xbox/Xbox 360
Publisher: 2K Sports
Developer: Visual Concepts
Rating: 'E' for Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY



Graphics: 90%
Sound: 90%
Replay/Extras: 100%
Gameplay: 100%
Family Friendly Factor: 95%

SPORTS



SEASON UPDATE

System: PC/PS4/Xbox One
Publisher: Konami
Developer: PES Productions
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY
Release Date: Out Now

STEVEN GERRARD: Master League New Manager

In addition, over 200 teams have received the latest real-world kit updates. Belgium, England, France, Netherlands and Portugal are a small selection of the 24 National teams getting a wardrobe upgrade. Arsenal, FC Barcelona, Celtic FC, Juventus, Manchester United and AS Roma will also be turning heads in their newly updated third kits. South American powerhouses River Plate, Boca Juniors, Flamengo, Corinthians, São Paulo FC, Alianza Lima, Universitario, Sporting Cristal, Colo-Colo, Universidad de Chile and more will adorn the latest season kits.



Football PES2021 SEASON UPDATE
Data Pack 2.0
ARSENAL : 3rd kit, player transfers, and new real faces



Football PES2021 SEASON UPDATE
Data Pack 2.0
JUVENTUS : 3rd kit, player transfers, and new real faces



Iconic Moment: FC BARCELONA
LIMITED OFFER FOR 22

CB 93

CARLES PUYOL

Match: 12

System: PC/PS4/Xbox One
Publisher: Konami
Developer: PES Productions
Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY
Release Date: Out Now

PS4 XBOX ONE STEAM



ARSENAL
Preset Tactics 1: Main (Offensive)

Team Spirit 99

Team Strength 2103

Formation 4-3-3

Affinity with Preset Tactics 99

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System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Capcom
Developer: Capcom
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: March 26, 2021

The core gameplay experience in Monster Hunter Rise will feel familiar to previous Monster Hunter entries, but it also introduces several new and exciting mechanics for hunters to master. For the first time ever, wire-based grappling actions can be performed by using a "Wirebug" while standing or in mid-air, adding an all-new level of aerial maneuverability to hunting strategies and attacks. As players defeat monsters and progress through the game, items from fallen foes can be used to craft unique weapons and armor that will increase their chances of future success and survival.



System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Capcom
Developer: Capcom
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: March 26, 2021





System: Nintendo Switch
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Developer: Capcom
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: March 26, 2021





System: Playstation 5
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Square Enix
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: TBA



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Developer: Square Enix
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: TBA





Love Life! School Idol Festival ~after school ACTIVITY~ has stepped up to the next stage!

System: Playstation 4
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: KLabGames
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: TBA



System: Playstation 4
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: KLabGames
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: TBA

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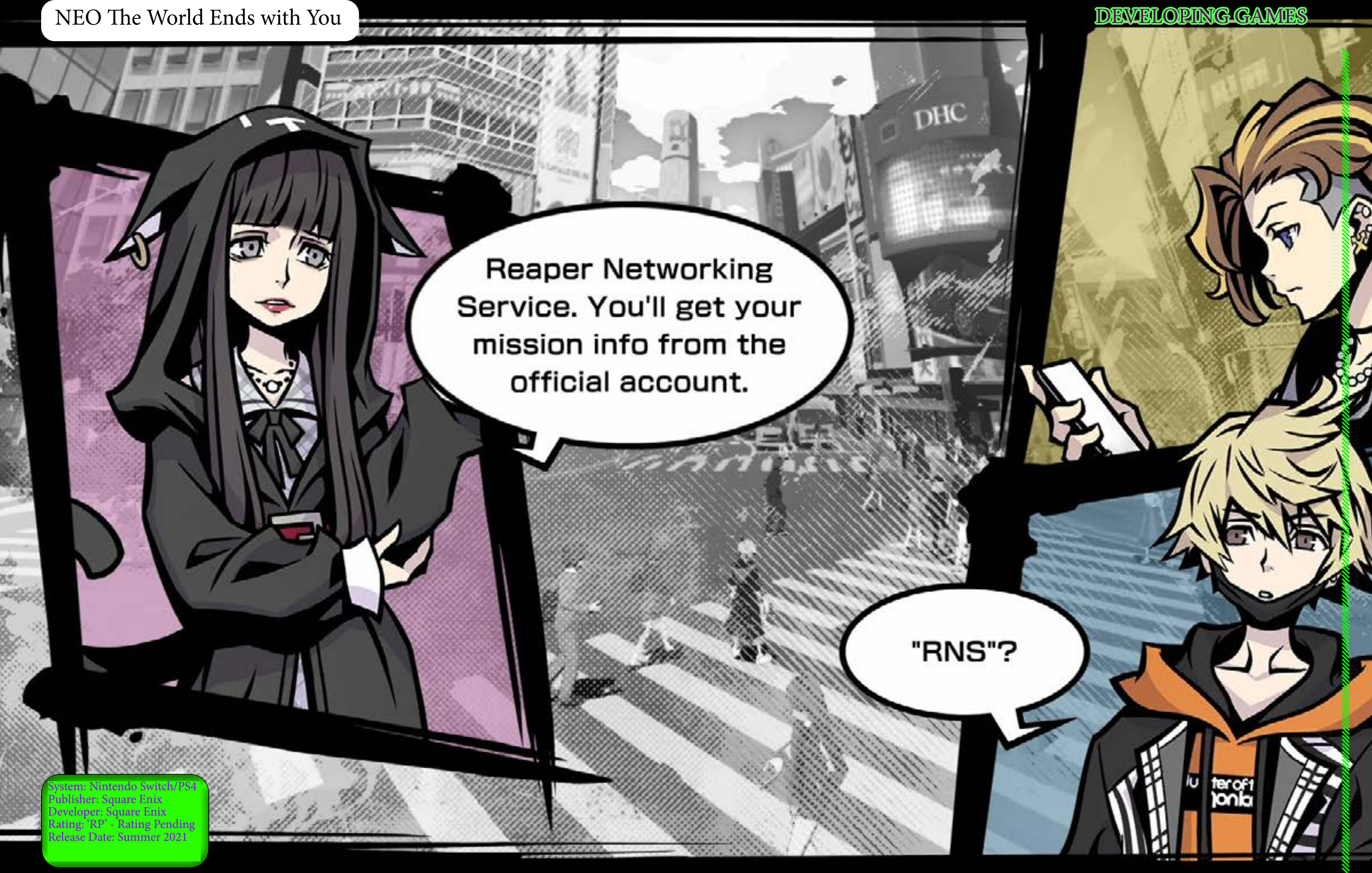
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Developer: KLabGames
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: TBA



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Square Enix
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: Summer 2021



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Square Enix
Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
Release Date: Summer 2021



System: Nintendo Switch/PS4
 Publisher: Square Enix
 Developer: Square Enix
 Rating: 'RP' - Rating Pending
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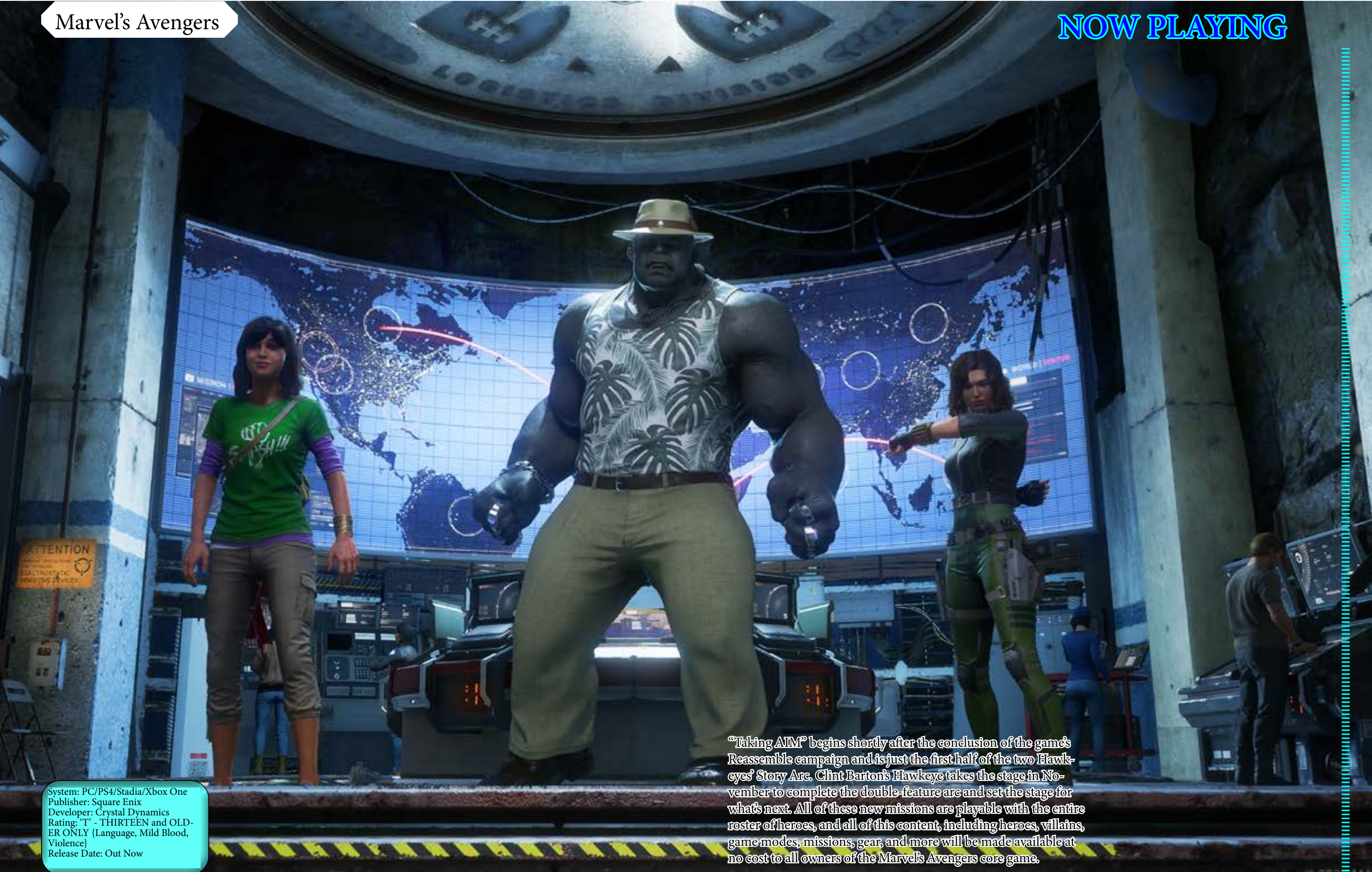
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System: PC/PS4/Stadia/Xbox One
 Publisher: Square Enix
 Developer: Crystal Dynamics
 Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Language, Mild Blood, Violence}
 Release Date: Out Now

"Taking AIM" begins shortly after the conclusion of the game's Reassemble campaign and is just the first half of the two Hawkeye's Story Arc. Clint Barton's Hawkeye takes the stage in November to complete the double-feature arc and set the stage for what's next. All of these new missions are playable with the entire roster of heroes, and all of this content, including heroes, villains, game modes, missions, gear, and more will be made available at no cost to all owners of the Marvel's Avengers core game.



System: PC/PS4/Stadia/Xbox One
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Crystal Dynamics
Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLD-
ER ONLY {Language, Mild Blood,
Violence}
Release Date: Out Now

ECTOR



System: PC/PS4/Stadia/Xbox One
Publisher: Square Enix
Developer: Crystal Dynamics
Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY {Language, Mild Blood, Violence}
Release Date: Out Now

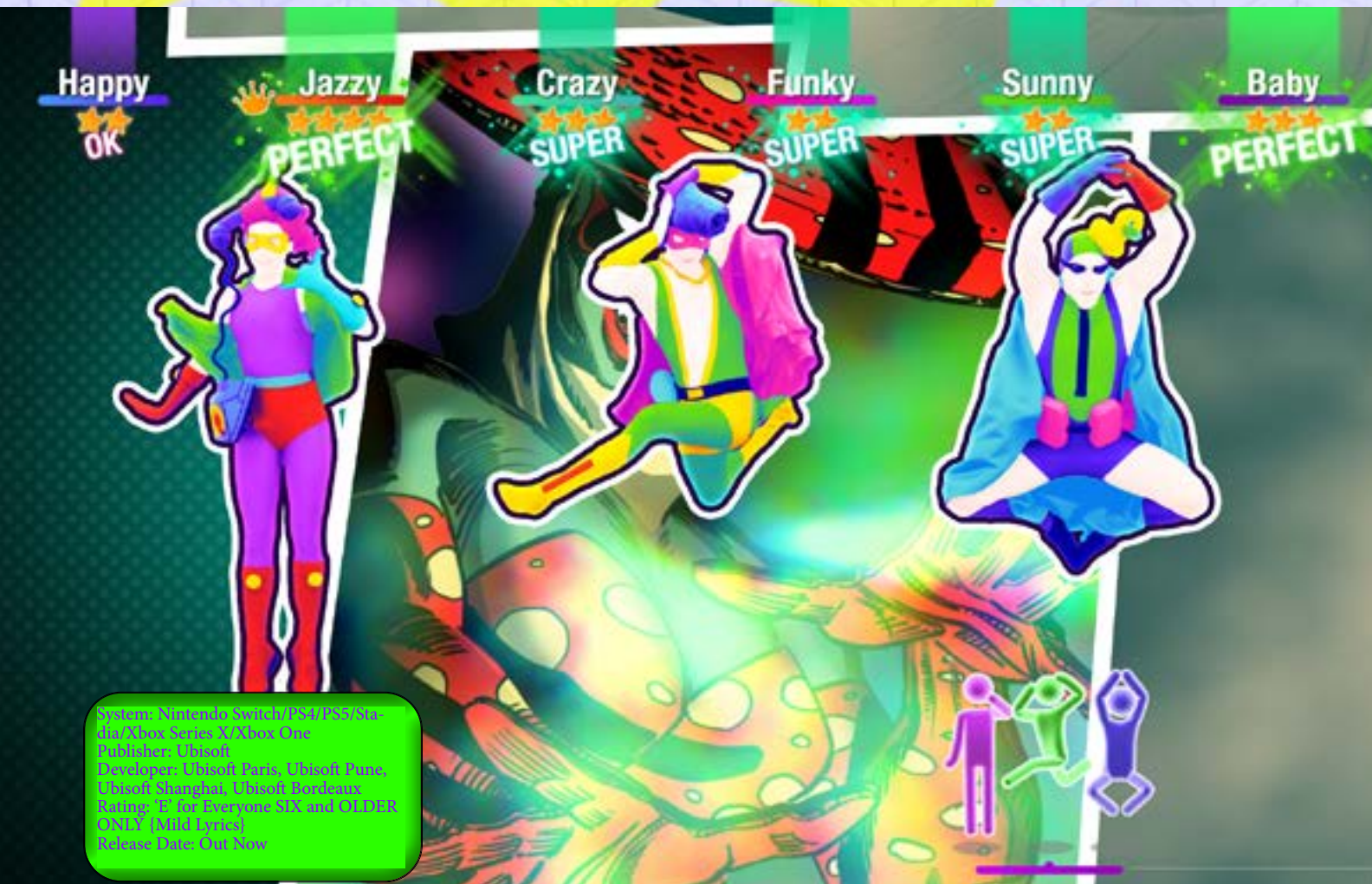


System: Xbox One/PC/Nintendo Switch/PS4
Publisher: Lion Castle
Developer: GS2 Games
Rating: "T" for THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY (Cartoon Violence, Mild Suggestive Themes)
Release Date: Out Now



System: Xbox One/PC/Nintendo Switch/PS4
 Publisher: Lion Castle
 Developer: GS2 Games
 Rating: "T" for THIRTEEN and OLDER ONLY (Cartoon Violence, Mild Suggestive Themes)
 Release Date: Out Now





System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/PS5/Steam/Xbox Series X/Xbox One
 Publisher: Ubisoft
 Developer: Ubisoft Paris, Ubisoft Pune, Ubisoft Shanghai, Ubisoft Bordeaux
 Rating: E for Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY (Mild Lyrics)
 Release Date: Out Now





System: Nintendo Switch/PS4/PS5/Stadia/Xbox Series X/Xbox One
 Publisher: Ubisoft
 Developer: Ubisoft Paris, Ubisoft Pune, Ubisoft Shanghai, Ubisoft Bordeaux
 Rating: T for Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY (Mild Lyrics)
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System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Outright Games
Developer: TOMY Company
Rating: 'E10+' - Everyone TEN
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Violence)
Release Date: Out Now

Follow Arashi and his Liger as they help Team Free-
dom defeat the power-hungry Dark Metal Empire,
in spectacular head-to-head battles! With stunning
graphics faithful to the anime and a simple 3D com-
bat system that lets you instinctively chain combos,
adventure awaits in Zoids Wild: Blast Unleashed.
Take mecha combat to the next level!



System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Outright Games
Developer: TOMY Company
Rating: 'E10+' - Everyone TEN
and OLDER ONLY (Fantasy
Violence)
Release Date: Out Now





System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Outright Games
Developer: TOMY Company
Rating: 'E10+' - Everyone TEN
and OLDER ONLY (Fantasy
Violence)
Release Date: Out Now





System: Personal Computer
Publisher: Xbox Game Studios
Developer: Asobo Studios
Rating: E - Everyone 16 and
OLDER ONLY
Release Date: Out Now

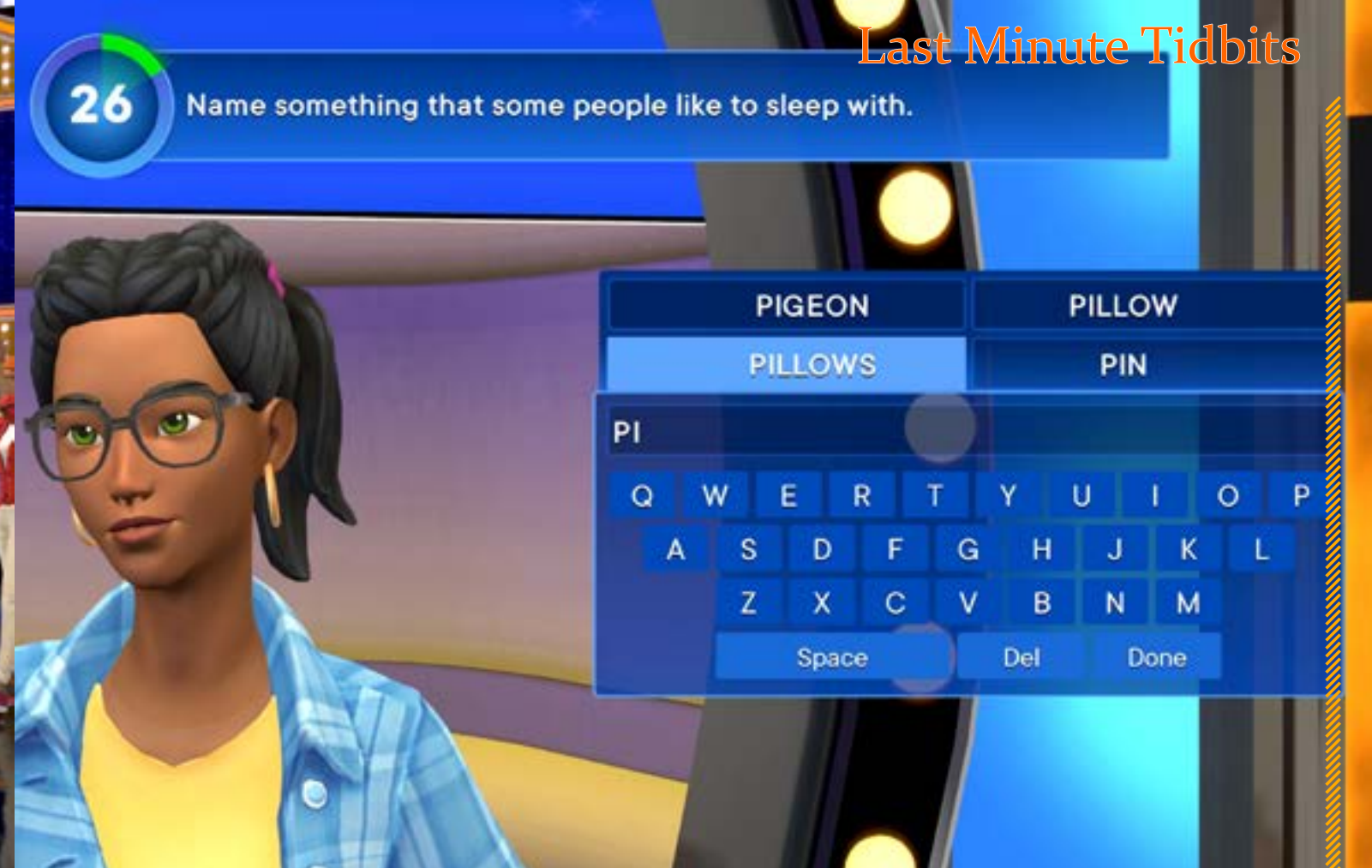


System: Personal Computer
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Developer: Asobo Studios
Rating: E - Everyone 16 and
OLDER ONLY
Release Date: Out Now





System: PS4/Xbox One/Nintendo Switch/Stadia
 Publisher: Ubisoft
 Developer: Snap Finger Click
 Rating: 'E' - Everyone SIX and OLDER ONLY (Users Interact)
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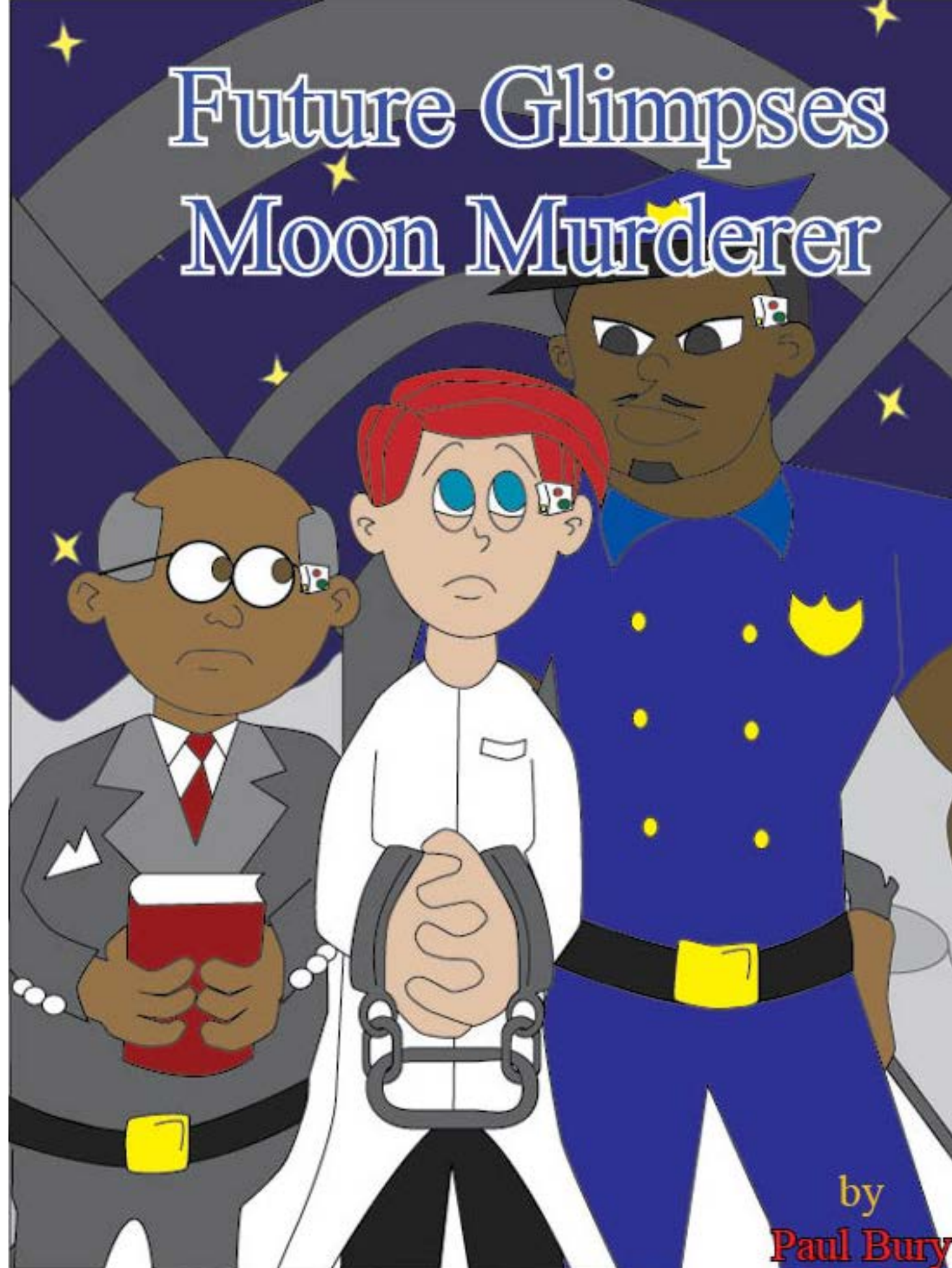




System: Nintendo Switch
Publisher: Bandai Namco
Developer: Bandai Namco
Rating: "T" - THIRTEEN and OLD-
ER ONLY (Crude Humor, Fantasy
Violence, Suggestive Themes, Use of
Alcohol and Tobacco)
Release Date: Out Now

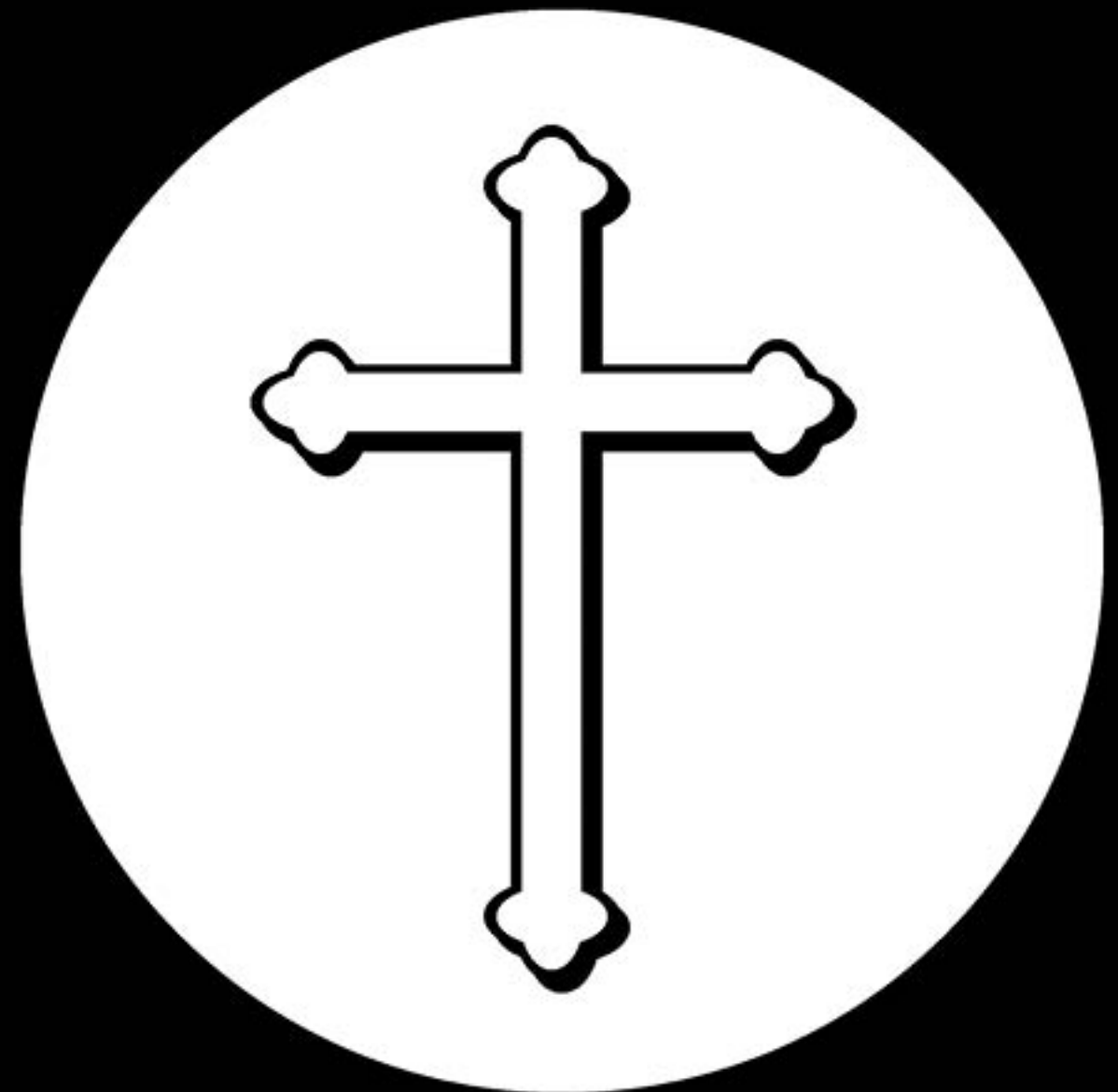


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