



ADVENTUREQUEST 8-BIT

# DUNGEONS & DOOMKNIGHTS

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

What if AdventureQuest was released way back in 1985?

No internet!? You could not have made your own character online. What would Artix have done without you there to help him!? Find out in this alternate 8-Bit timeline...

## **BATTLE ON!**

This game's timeline will merge into a special event within one of our weekly updated online games at [www.Artix.com](http://www.Artix.com)



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This instruction book is actually a spell. Reading these words out loud in a creepy cabin may summon unspeakable horrors.



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## THE STORY SO FAR...

By the time you arrived, the DoomKnight had already destroyed your home town. Everyone is gone. There is no one else to stop the army of the evil undead... except for you.

Armed with your battleaxe and calling in a favor from Twilly, the little red moglin, you ride on a dragon to reach the DoomKnight before he can get home to his castle. You must defeat him, before the largest undead army the world has ever seen begins its undead assault.

# THE DOOMKNIGHT, SEPULCHURE

A DoomKnight is the absolute master of the undead. Commanding an army of skeletons, zombies, death knights, liches, and the ancient undead with one goal... to engulf our world in darkness and absorb it into the plane of shadows.







## ARTIX



You are the good Paladin, Artix. Wielding your axe, the Blinding Light of Destiny, you battle the evil undead.

Unable to cast light magic, spirits you free may help power you.

## DAIMYO

Undead Slaying battle puppy. Likes to fetch bones. "Arf!"



## GRAVELYN

Gravelyn was raised by the undead within the walls of the flying undead dragon fortress. Darkness is the only path she has ever known. It is possible she even thinks she is undead. (She is not.)

PRO TIP: Gravelyn will act as your guide in Dungeons & DoomKnights... showing you where to go next. Or maybe try to kill you.

Hard to tell...



# 8-BIT UNDEAD SLAYING 101

## HOW TO PLAY DUNGEONS & DOOMKNIGHTS

Your quest is to defeat the DoomKnight. Explore the world, defeat villains, gain powers, and reach level 13 to assault DoomKnight's castle! Beware of bad puns, retro game references, and being seduced by the powers of darkness.





ADVENTURE SCREENS



MOVE 8 DIRECTIONS

USE SKILL

ATTACK/TALK

CHANGE SKILL

PLATFORMER SCREENS



MOVE LEFT AND RIGHT

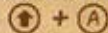
JUMP

ATTACK/TALK

CHANGE SKILL



SPECIAL ATTACK



# PALADIN (UH?) POWERS & TREASURES



## DAIMYO

CAN GO IN DOGGY  
DOORS. ALWAYS  
TURNS LEFT.



## SHADOW VISION

YOU CAN SEE  
IN THE DARK!



## HOLY WASABI

BURNS ENEMIES AND  
YOUR MOUTH.



## BLOCK SMASH

BREAK STUFF!  
FIND MORE AND BREAK  
EVEN MORE STUFF



## BAT FORM

LETS YOU FLY IN  
SPECIAL PLACES.



## CHAIR BOARD

ERGONOMIC AND  
FLOATS ON WATER.



## WEAPON THROW

LONG RANGE JUSTICE  
DELIVERY SYSTEM



## SAVE BOOK OF THE DEAD

INKED IN RED PIXELS



## AXE DAMAGE UPGRADES

FIND THE MISSING WEAPON SMITH AND UPGRADE YOUR AXE'S DAMAGE AT HIS SHOP THERE IS ALSO A FORBIDDEN CHAOS UPGRADE.



### HEART

MADE FROM 100%  
NON-GMO HEARTS



### DARK POWER

IT'S PROBABLY  
FINE....



### GOLD CHEST

BEATS GETTING A  
REAL JOB.



### WALL MEAT

KETO FRIENDLY



### MAGIC REFLECT

RIGHT BACK ATCHA!  
USES 0 SPIRIT SKILLS



### SHADOW RUNE WARP

ONE WAY TELEPORT FROM  
THE BRIGHT TO DARK ONE



### "HEAL?"

PHARAOH'S SECRET  
TO ETERNAL LIFE.



### RED ORB

FOR KNEELING  
ON CLIFFS

SECRET! CHAOS AMULET IN WELL WILL LET YOU PASS THROUGH "INFINITE CORRIDORS!"

# LEGEND

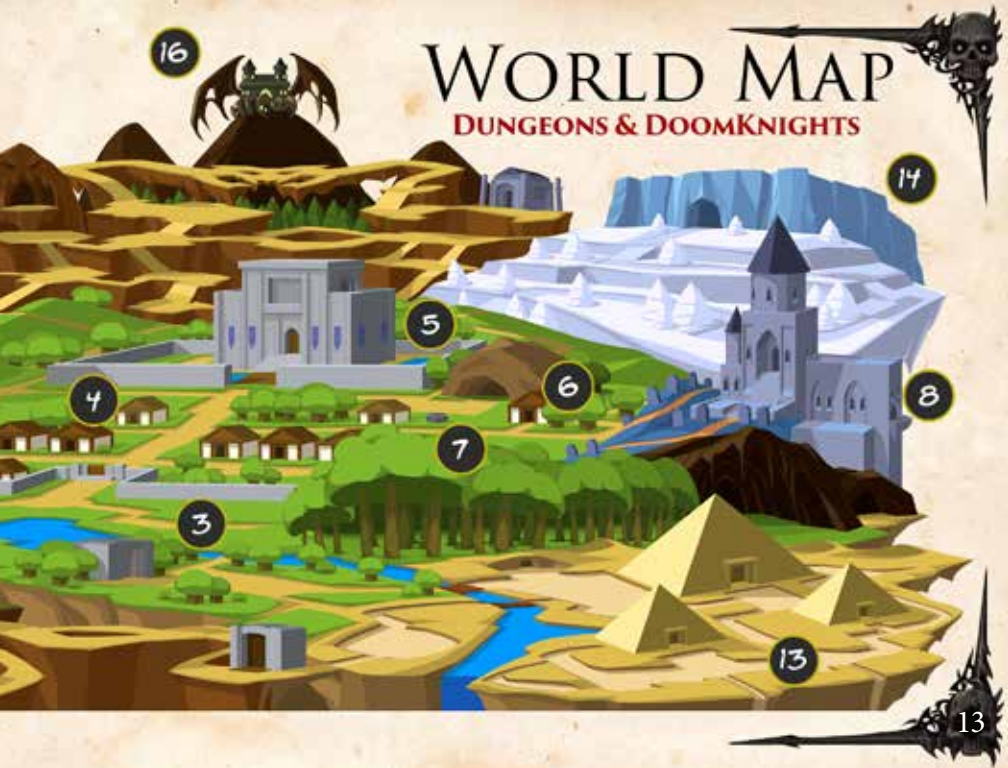
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2. The Graveyard
3. Shadow Lord's Prison
4. Town of Battleon
5. Guardian Tower
6. Chickencow Farm
7. The Well
8. Vampire Castle
9. Red Dragon's Lair
10. Wizard Tower
11. The Broken Bridge
12. DoomWood Cabin
13. Sandsea Pyramids
14. Frost Lich's Keep
15. Chaos Labyrinth
16. DoomKnight's Fortress





# WORLD MAP

## DUNGEONS & DOOMKNIGHTS



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14

5

4

6

8

7

3

13

13



# MONSTERS OF LORE

FROGZARD

HALF FROG  
HALF LIZARD



SEED SPITTER  
SPITTY PART



100% REAL  
TREASURE!



JIMMY THE EYE  
PRIVATE EYE



RESIDENT  
SNEEVIL



DISCOUNT  
BED SHEETS



DRICKEN

CHICKENCOW

MAKES COMPLETE BREAKFAST



BRITALCORN  
DAD OWNS A CAR  
DEALERSHIP



**DRAGONS**  
HEY HOT STUFF,  
YOUR LAIR OR MINE?



**BUZZ BUZZ**



**ROOT OF  
ALL EVIL**



**ROCKY  
BAL-BOULDER**



**FROSTY THE  
SNOW GOLEM**  
HE'LL BE COMING  
BACK TO GET YOU  
ONE DAY



**CHAOS  
TENTACLES**

**SWOD  
FLYING EYEBALL**



**RATS OFF  
TO YA!**

**HAIR  
GEL**



**VAMPIRES  
SUCK**



**HYDRA  
HYDRA AND SEEK**



# THE EVIL UNDEAD

IT'S DANGEROUS  
FOR THE UNDEAD TO  
GO ALONE.  
LEASH THAT DOG!

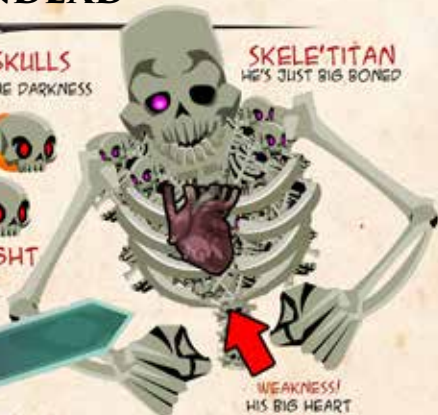
**MAGIC MIS'SKULLS**  
ALWAYS CAST INTO THE DARKNESS



**DEATH KNIGHT**  
NEMESIS OF  
KNIGHT LIGHTS



**SKELE'TITAN**  
HE'S JUST BIG BONED



**WEAKNESS!**  
HIS BIG HEART

**"OLD MAN"**  
SUPER  
AUTHENTIC  
BEARD



**SKULL  
LEVER**

MORE SKILLS THAN  
OTHER LEVER BRANDS



**DAIMYO**  
UNDEAD SLAYING  
POMERANIAN



## ARMY OF THE EVIL UNDEAD

POSITIONS AVAILABLE! INQUIRE WITHIN.

## DEAD HEAD HUNTER

"IT'S IN THE BAG!"



## SKELETON

REMEMBER: INSIDE EACH AND EVERY ONE OF US IS AN UNDEAD WARRIOR, JUST DYING TO GET OUT...

## NECROMANCER

MAYBE THE REAL REWARD WAS THE FRIENDS WE MADE ALONG THE WAY.

## FLOATY SKULL

QUIT WHILE YOU'RE A-HEAD



# HEROIC GOODY TWO-SHOES





# VILLAINS OF DOOM



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Please check out the FULL CREDITS to get bonuses, secrets, and see the names of all the amazing backers who are 100% to blame for making this crazy game project a reality!



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# TIPS & SECRETS

ARE THERE REALLY  
**3** ENDINGS?

ARF!



**TREE PHANTOM**  
CAN ONLY BE HURT WHILE  
POSSESSING A TREE



**DOGGY DOORS**  
BOUNCE DAIMYO OFF  
STUFF INTO DOG DOORS



**GOLDENAIRE!**  
RARE TREASURE BOX  
CONTAINS 990



**ARMOR COLORS**  
FIND SECRET TO CHANGE  
ARMOR COLOR



# PRETENDO EMPOWER

STUMPED?  
NEED HELP?

- 👾 SECRETS
- 👾 CHEAT CODES
- 👾 FULL WALKTHROUGH
- 👾 DOWNLOAD BONUSES



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minute, 99 gold  
each additional  
minute.

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