

INTRODUCTION

As you venture through mysterious caverns in search of hidden treasures, you encounter various obstacles and foes that test your abilities in this exciting multi-screen action game. A surprise is in store for you if you can uncover ALL of the treasures concealed within these cavern walls!

LOADING THE GAME

CASSETTE VERSION: Place the cassette in CS1 and from EXTENDED BASIC enter OLD CS1 and follow the instructions. When the cursor reappears enter RUN.

DISKETTE VERSION: Insert the diskette in DSK1 and enter RUN "DSK1.JOYSTICK" or RUN "DSK1.KEYBOARD". Leave the disk in the drive during play and your high score will automatically be stored on the disk!

(PLEASE NOTE: When operating with a DISK SYSTEM and you DO NOT have the 32K MEMORY, you must first enter CALL FILES(1) and NEW before running this program.)

YOUR CONTROLS

JOYSTICK VERSION: Using JOYSTICK #1, press the FIRE BUTTON to make your man JUMP or to throw the spear, and use the stick to move your man back and forth or to move your spear up and down.

KEYBOARD VERSION: Use the PERIOD KEY (99/4A) or ENTER KEY(99/4) to make your man JUMP or to throw your spear, and the ARROW KEYS (ESDX) to move your man back and forth or to move your spear up and down.

SCREEN ONE

You control the little man on the bottom right side of the screen. There are four tunnels of the caverns on the first screen. The information displayed on this screen is as follows:

UPPER LEFT: how many times you have been to this screen
TOP CENTER: high score on top, current score on bottom
UPPER RIGHT: number of men remaining before game ends

Avoid the approaching creatures in each tunnel by jumping over them to reach the door on the far left of the tunnel, otherwise your man will die and you will end up right back where you started. As you reach each door you will advance to the beginning of the next tunnel and score points. The object of the first screen is to reach the secret door at the end of the top tunnel. If you reach the secret door you will go on to the second screen...

NOTE: Each time you return to this screen a CLAW MONSTER will appear on one of the low hanging boulders until the cavern is FULL of claw monsters. They are deadly if you touch them, so you can no longer jump anywhere you please...

SCREEN TWO

This is the bottomless pit that you must cross to get to the MAGIC CHAMBER (screen 3). Your man is on a ledge on the far right side of the screen and above him are some MAGIC VINES that move across the pit, and below him is a BLACK WIDOW climbing the ledge in hopes of poisoning her next victim.

SCREEN TWO (cont.)

Jump up and grab a vine before your man is stung by the spider. Once your man has hold of a vine, let him hang on until you can make him jump down on the ledge on the other side of the pit where he will reach the door that takes him to the MAGIC CHAMBER. If he falls into the pit, or is stung by a spider, you will be taken back to screen 1.

SCREEN THREE

This is the MAGIC CHAMBER where CAVERN CREATURES guard the valuable treasures. At the bottom left side of the screen is the treasure (its name and point value are displayed at the top of the screen). The creatures are at the top left of the screen, and you control the spear on the right side of the screen. You must move your spear up or down so you can throw it past the wall and try to kill the creatures as they descend upon the treasure. If you can kill all three creatures before ANY of them reach the treasure then the treasure is yours and the point value is added to your score. There are TWENTY different treasures to find, each treasure worth more and more points...

BONUS MEN

You will get an extra man at 3000 points, 10000 points, and every 10000 points thereafter, up to a maximum of nine men.

END OF THE GAME

The game will end when you lose all three of you men. Simply press "Y" if you wish to play again...

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