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Thread: [Keeping unplayable games for later ?](#)

Jamika - January 2, 2024, 10:51 am

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Charlie Sheen - January 2, 2024, 10:58 am

I think if it's something I really do plan on playing someday, and I have plenty of space. I keep. But I don't hoard games.

M1L3NK0 - January 3, 2024, 10:56 am

As a youngster I never had any gaming PCs or laptops, only consoles, yet always had that desire to be a PC gamer b/c I enjoyed being on my computer so much more. Ended up buying a couple games on Steam before refunds existed I couldn't run on my Celeron 4GB RAM machine (No clue what I was thinking) and a lot I've still never played but a couple I'm glad I already owned.

Rust for example, I bought the game early 2018, tried to run it, got 1 digit frames. Flash forward to 2021 I then had a tower that could handle the game and regained interest in it- didn't have to spend any money then just download and play. Rust became one of my favorite games quick too lol.

I've had Mortal Kombat X for around the same time and have never played it once, even though my current PC will handle that game no problems.

Spore - January 3, 2024, 1:38 pm

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DemonAsylum - January 3, 2024, 3:17 pm

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Or at least that's what we have to tell ourselves in order to justify bothering to get them at the time LOL. I wish I could sit here and say I actually went on to play anywhere near all of those that I picked up for free or even bought, but I definitely haven't. I actually don't even want to try and think about the many games I've paid for, but then played very little or genuinely none at all to this day.

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More like my ass is projecting ?

Melody11 - January 8, 2024, 2:57 pm

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