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### King's Quest VI

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Dear SierraOriginals Customer,

You hold in your hands a part of computer gaming history. All these titles have the original storyline and technological innovations that have helped define and create the PC-Gaming industry as it appears today. Consider these titles as pictures in a scrapbook - a snapshot of history that has helped to evolve the computer gaming industry. All of the SierraOriginals titles have been kept in their original form. No attempt to modernize or improve the game was made with these titles in order to maintain the sense of nostalgia.

Some of the CD's may contain a PATCH directory. To determine if your program has a PATCH program, go to your CD-ROM prompt in DOS (i.e., your D:\> assuming your CD-ROM drive is labeled D) and type: DIR (ENTER)If the directory listing has a [PATCH] option, then you will need to add these patch files into the game directory after installing the game to your computer. For example, if you installed King's Quest V, and you noticed a directory called [PATCH], you would use the following command to copy the patches into the KQ5 directory: COPY D: \PATCH\\*. \*C: \SIERRA\KQ5 ((ENTER))

NOTE: the above example assumes that your CD-ROM is labeled as your D drive, and you installed the game to your C hard dive into the directory \SIERRA\KQ5. Please substitute the correct path information in the example above.

Windows '95 users may also have to play the game under DOS, since many of the titles are true DOS games and were created before Windows '95 was released. When using Windows '95, you can re-start your computer in a true DOS mode by clicking on the START button, selecting the SHUT DOWN option, and selecting the "Restart the computer in MS-DOS mode?" item.

Finally, many of these products were released before many of the high quality sound cards such as the AWE 32, Gravis Ultrasound and Ensoniq SoundScape have been released. When selecting an audio/music option for the game, your best bet is to select the AD-LIB option.

On behalf of Sierra On-Line, thank you for purchasing this SierraOriginals product. We appreciate the opportunity to share our history with you and your entire family!

Respectfully,

Quality Assurance Department.

## **MS-DOS INSTALLATION**

There are two ways to play this game: You can play directly from the CD or you can create an install file on your hard disk or floppy disk. In order to save games, you must create an install file. Saving games is like using a bookmark; it allows you to stop playing without losing your place in the game. Next time you play the game, you can continue from where you left off. We recommend installing your game to allow you to do this.

### **PLAYING DIRECTLY FROM THE CD**

To play the game directly from the CD, you will need to follow the instructions contained in a README file on the CD. To view the README file, insert the CD into your CD-ROM drive. Type the letter of the CD-ROM drive you have placed the disc into followed by a colon (for example: e:), and press [ENTER]. Type readme and press [ENTER].

### **PLAYING WITH AN INSTALL FILE (RECOMMENDED)**

This program will create an install file using either hard disk or a floppy disk. Running the INSTALL program saves your sound configuration in the install file. Also, once you have installed the game, you will be able to save your game in progress on the floppy or hard disk containing the install file.

### **TO RUN THE INSTALL PROGRAM:**

1. Insert the CD into the CD-ROM drive.

2. Type the letter of the CD-ROM drive you have placed the disk into followed by a colon (for example: e:), and press [ENTER].
3. Type install and press [ENTER]. Follow the instructions of the INSTALL program.

### **TO RUN THE GAME USING THE INSTALL FILE:**

1. Place your CD game disc into your CD-ROM drive.
2. Type the name of the drive you installed the game to (for example: c:), and press [ENTER].  
Note: If you installed to a floppy disk, you will need to place that disk in the drive, before you type the name of the drive.
3. Type cd\sierra and press [ENTER].\*
4. Type KQ6cd and press [ENTER].

## **INSTALLATION PROCEDURE FOR MULTIMEDIA WINDOWS**

**From the CD** (if there is no SETUP floppy in your game package)

1. Insert the game CD into the CD-ROM drive.
2. Invoke Windows in Standard mode or Enhanced mode. This is usually done by typing win /s or win/3, but may be different for your installation. If you are unsure refer to your Windows documentation.

\* If you have installed King's Quest VI to a directory other than the default setting, please type KQ6cd from the directory where you installed the game.

3. Select "Run" from the "File" menu.
4. Type e:setup where e is the drive letter of your CD-ROM drive. Press [ENTER] or click on "OK."
5. The setup program will now run automatically. It will ask whether you wish to output background music for a base-level (i.e., Soundblaster, Pro Audio Spectrum, or Thunderboard) or for an extended synthesizer (i.e., Roland MT-32, LAPC-I, or CM-32L). It will then set up a program group and program icon so that you may play the game.

### **NOTE ABOUT SYNTHESIZERS**

- Multimedia Windows defines two types of synthesizers: "base-level" which includes three melodic channels and one percussive channel, and "extended" which includes nine melodic channels and one percussive channel (only if you have selected the Extended synthesizer). You may wish to reference the Windows Help menu in the control panel. Use the Index to find help on changing your MIDI setup.
- The channel assignments are 13 thru 16 for base level and 1 thru 10 for extended. You may configure the system depending upon the type of sound equipment installed by using the MIDI Mapper in the control panel.
- Sierra's games can play music for either of these configurations. The installation procedure allows you to choose which is appropriate for your system. If you don't know what type of synthesizer you have, just click on "OK" to continue.
- If you have a Soundblaster, Pro Audio Spectrum, or Thunderboard; select the Base-level synthesizer.
- If you have a Roland MT-32, LAPC-I, or CM-32L, select the Extended synthesizer.

## TO RUN THE GAME

1. Insert the game CD into the CD-ROM drive.
2. Invoke Windows in Standard or Enhanced mode. This is usually done by typing win /s or win/3, but may be different for your installation.
3. Double-click on the "Sierra" group if it is not already open.
4. Double-click on the game icon.

## USING A MOUSE:

To activate the icon bar, move the cursor to the top of the screen.

To position the on-screen cursor, move the mouse to the desired position.

To move your character, position the WALK icon at the desired screen location and click the mouse button.

To execute a command, click the left mouse button.

Try the right and center buttons too. They help you change cursors.

## ALL SYSTEMS

### Using a Mouse to Play Space Quest IV

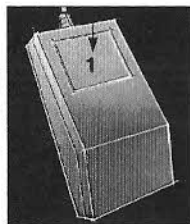
To position the onscreen cursor, move the mouse to the desired position.

To move your character, position the cursor at the location to which you want the character to walk and click the mouse button. To execute a command, click the mouse button (multi-button mouse users, click the left button). For more detailed mouse instructions, see below.

### 1 - Button Mouse

#### 1. [ENTER]

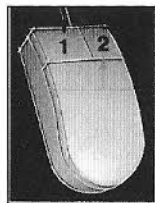
[SHIFT-click] Cycle through available cursors. [Ctrl-Click] Toggle between WALK and last cursor chosen.



### 2 - Button Mouse

#### 1. [ENTER]

2. Cycle through available cursors.  
[Ctrl-Click] Toggle between WALK and last cursor chosen.

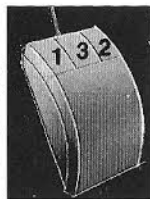


### 3 - Button Mouse

#### 1. [ENTER]

2. Cycle through available cursors.  
[Ctrl-Click] Toggle between WALK and last cursor chosen

3. Toggle between WALK and last cursor chosen.

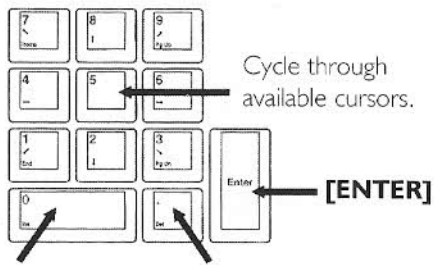


For other commands, mouse users can use the numeric keyboard.

## Using a Keyboard to play King Quest VI

To position the onscreen cursor or move your game character using a keyboard, press a direction key (arrow keys) on the numeric keypad. To stop your character, press the same direction key again. To select an Icon or execute a command, press [ENTER]. For more detailed keypad instructions, see below.

### Numeric keypad

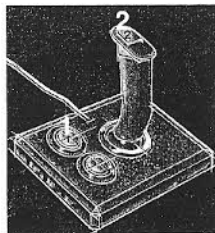


Open Icon Bar and last cursor (Number lock must be off).

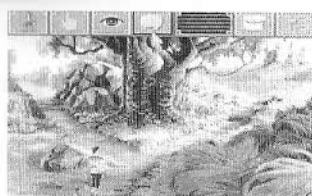
## Using a Joystick to Play King Quest VI

To position the onscreen cursor using a joystick, move the stick in the desired direction. To select an Icon or execute a command, press the FIRE button. For more detailed joystick instructions, see below:

1. Open Icon Bar and last cursor
2. Press the fire or (ENTER) button.



For other commands, joystick users can use the numeric keyboard.



## ICONS AND CURSORS

At the top of the screen is an icon bar containing several icons that can be selected to execute the command choices available to you. To open the icon bar, press [ESC] or move the cursor all the way to the top of your screen. Some icons will have a menu of choices. Use the [Tab] key, mouse or joystick to move between choices within an icon menu.



### **The Walk Icon**

Choose Walk when you want to move the character from place to place on the screen. A walking character will move until it encounters an obstacle in its path, then stop.



### **The Walk Cursor** (mouse mode only)

When you choose Walk, the cursor will change to a walking figure. Place the feet of the figure at the place where you want to move the character and click the mouse button. If possible, the character will move to that spot.

**PLEASE NOTE:** In Keyboard or Joystick mode, the character's destination will be assumed to be the edge of the screen in the direction of movement, and will walk off the screen if not stopped. There will not be a special cursor onscreen.



### **The Look Icon**

Choose Look when you want to have the character look at something onscreen.



### **The Look Cursor**

When you choose Look, the cursor will change to an eye. Place the eye at the desired place on the screen and press [ENTER]. If there is something to be seen at this place, a message will be displayed.



### **The Action Icon**

Choose Action when you want the character to perform an action on an object (Example: getting a drink from a pond, opening a door, etc).



### **The Action Cursor**

When you choose Action, the cursor will change to a hand. Place the hand at the desired place on the screen and press [ENTER], click the mouse button or press the joystick fire button. The necessary action for this screen position will be performed.



### **The Talk Icon**

Choose Talk when you want to initiate a conversation between game characters.



