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eer640@nwu.edu (Erick E. Robertson) writes:

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Two easy steps:

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STEP TWO:

Sell your soul to a server god. Give him all your worldly possessions,
esp. your car and CDs.

VOLUNTARY STEP:

Email your sysadmin to keep the faq/ftplist on rec.games.netrek longer.

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bradbert.ugcs.caltech.edu (shameless plug)[Reply to author](#) [Forward](#)Matt Harvey [View profile](#)[Hide options](#) Sep 30 1994, 3:22 pmNewsgroups: **rec.games.netrek**From: **mharvey@cftnet.com (Matt Harvey)**Date: **Thu, 29 Sep 1994 22:55:22 GMT**

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| /Mathieux | mharvey@cftnet.com |
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| "Don't care what people say - just follow your |
| own way. Don't give up and use the chance to |
| Return to Innocence." - * ENIGMA * - |
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[Hide options](#) Sep 30 1994, 10:23 pm

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[Hide options](#) Oct 1 1994, 12:39 am

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From: **S1070235@cedarville.edu (Tyler Allison)**

Date: **Fri, 30 Sep 1994 12:42:42 GMT**

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Subject: **Re: Windows Client**

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In article <36gjif\$6b7@gap.cco.caltech.edu> tots@shred.ugcs.caltech.edu (Tatsuya Murase) writes:

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-Tyler

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[Hide options](#) Oct 1 1994, 4:04 am

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From: **tots@chop.ugcs.caltech.edu (Tatsuya Murase)**
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The point being that by reading the FTP list you will come across two (count them two!) clients for PCs running Windoze/Windows NT running on some sort of telnet connection. There are several clients available for linux systems. If you don't know what the hell a client is and why you need it to play netrek, then you should read the FAQ, because I'm pretty sure Tom gives a description of netrek's client/server architecture.

Reading the FAQ/FTPlist, you can easily download a client for your computer set it up, and run in under 45 minutes, if even that. If a client doesn't exist at all for what you're running, or you're having some bugs or other weird problems, contact the maintainer for that client (also listed in the FTPlist) There are very few architectures that do not have a client of some sort compiled for them.

Please note in my post that step 1 invariably comes before the step where you must grovel to a server god (heheheheh)

http://groups.google.com/group/rec.games.netrek/browse_frm/thread/d6ecc5c095bf8a38

but once again here's a site where you can ftp the faq/ftplist:

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From: **tsang@austin.ibm.com (Donald Tsang)**

Date: **Tue, 4 Oct 1994 18:09:09 GMT**

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Subject: **Re: Windows Client**

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In article <> S1070235@cedarville.edu (Tyler Allison) writes:

>>[slightly amusing and somewhat useful advice deleted]

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I honestly don't think he understands what he's asking for.

Okay, let's start with:

Netrek is a game played across the relatively-high-bandwidth lines of the "true" Internet. If you don't have FTP access, you're almost certainly SOL with respect to Netrek.

Continuing...

It used to be that the ONLY POSSIBLE way to play Netrek on a Mac or PC was to run an X display on said Mac/PC, and run the binaries off a workstation or other high-powered (*) computer. Later, when PCs gained in power and connectivity, anyone running a PC with a unix-ish operating system with some sort of xxx/IP connection to the Internet was in luck. This still didn't help those people with DOS/Win95/etc, or Mac people without MacSLIP/MacPPP access.

However,

Some time ago, some smart people at UC Berkeley (**) wrote ndb, the Netrek Display Bridge. This allowed clients to be written which did the display and user interface stuff on the Mac / PC, and did the server communication on whatever it was your were dialed up to.

With a good 14.4k connection, you'd be off and running.

Unfortunately,

I don't think there are any "modern" PC-compatible clients.

So,

You'll have to use Linux or FreeBSD, with SLIP or PPP, and run a real X client and stuff, OR you can get some WinSock program (like Trumpet WinSock), and run the new Win32 client. Either way, you'll need for the connecting side to support whatever xxx/IP protocol you install. Otherwise, you're still SOL.

But remember,

Netrek will eat your life away. Just ask Duck...

* obPCsAreLame

** obGoBears

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Donald Tsang | "Life IS pain, Highness. Anyone who says differently is
tsang@austin.ibm.com | selling something."

| -- The Princess Bride

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Jiang Wu [View profile](#)

[Hide options](#) Oct 8 1994, 12:20 am

Newsgroups: **rec.games.netrek**

From: **jwu@leland.Stanford.EDU (Jiang Wu)**

Date: **8 Oct 1994 00:36:02 GMT**

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Subject: **Re: Windows Client**

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In article <Cx5uFB.12yq@austin.ibm.com>,

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Actually, Netrek will lead you to Christ. Just ask Duck...

-- Jiang

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