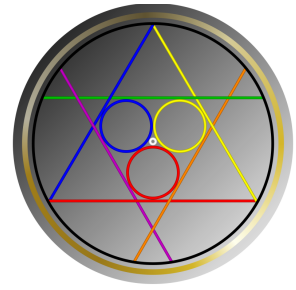




Virtue



'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn the failing of Dishonesty!

- Take not the gold of others found in the towns and castles for yours it is not!
- Cheat not the merchants and peddlers for tis an evil thing to do!
- A dishonest life brings unto thee temporary gain, but forsakes the permanent.
- Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, if there be any virtue and if there be any praise, think on these things.

'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn of the heart of a cruel soul!

- Kill not the non-evil beasts of the land, and do not attack the fair people!
- Give of thy purse to those who beg and thy deed shall not be forgotten!
- Only a detested life owes its pleasures to another's pain.
- No beast so fierce but shows some touch of pity. Sweet mercy is nobility's true badge.

'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn the failing of a life without Valor!

- Victories scored over evil creatures help to build a valorous soul!
- To flee from battle with less than grievous wounds often shows a coward!
- Those who fear to try, know not their limits and thus know not themselves.
- Tender-handed stroke a nettle, and it stings you for your pains; grasp it as a man of mettle, and it soft as silk remains.

'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn the weakness of the Unjust!

- To take the gold of others is injustice not soon forgotten. Take only thy due!
- Attack not a peaceful citizen for that action deserves strict punishment!
- Kill not a non-evil beast for they deserve not death, even if in hunger they attack thee!
- Those who inflict injustice upon others, cannot expect fair treatment unto themselves.
- Justice without force is impotent; force without justice is tyranny.

'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn the failing of unwilling Sacrifice!

- To give thy last gold piece unto the needy shows good measure of self-sacrifice.
- For thee to flee and leave thy companions is a self-serving action to be avoided!
- To give of thy life's blood so that others may live is a virtue of great praise!
- None live alone, save they who will not share their fortune with those around them.
- The universe is so vast and so ageless that the life of one man can only be justified by the measure of his sacrifice.

'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn the darkness of Dishonor!

- Take not the gold of others for this shall bring dishonor upon thee!
- To strike first a non-evil being is by no means an honorable deed!
- Seek ye to solve the many Quests before thee, and honor shall be a reward!
- It is the guilt, not the guillotine, that constitutes the shame.
- Honor may be assailed, but can never be hurt; surprised by unjust force, but not enthralled.

'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn the neglect of one's Spirit!

- Seek ye to know thyself. Visit the seer often for he can see into thy inner being!
- Meditation leads to enlightenment. Seek ye all Wisdom and Knowledge!
- To forsake one's inner being is to abandon thy hopes for thyself and thy world.
- Throughout this varied and eternal world, soul is the only element. The wealth of the spirit is the only true wealth.

'Tis now thy sacred Quest to go unto the Codex and learn the weakness of a life consumed by Pride!

- Claim not to be that which thou art not. Humble actions speak well of thee!
- Strive not to wield the Great Force of Evil for its power will overcome thee!
- Pride is a vice, which Pride itself inclines one to find in others, and overlook in one self.
- The humblest citizen of all the land, when clad in the armor of a righteous cause, is stronger than all the hosts of error.

"The path to victory is marked with the laws of Virtue, not the commands of DOS."

— Lord British