

## Zork 0

### **Background:**

This is Patrick. You can see he stopped caring. Caring about him, his life, and his surroundings. He no longer keeps track of the days that he goes through since that fatidic accident...

That day changed his whole life. It has been three years now but he still remembers his wife laying on the floor, bleeding, and that man scaping through the window.

There hasn't been a night in which Patrick doesn't suffer from those horrible nightmares. The face of the murderer keeps appearing on his dreams, reviving all the feels: fear, sadness, anger...

He sometimes wakes up in the middle of the night sweating and screaming uncontrollably.

So now he has decided to move on. One day, wakes up and prepares to go to the clinic. They are announcing it in the TV: "Get rid of your nightmares! Start sleeping and enjoying life".

He gets on the bus and arrives there ten minutes early for his appointment. He waits in the huge white hall, staring at a corner. Suddenly, Patrick sees a baby crying in his mother's lap, and her comforting the little child until he stops crying. This makes Patrick smile. But he doesn't even have time to admire that scene anymore because a nurse calls his name from the other side of the hall.

Patrick starts following the nurse. With each step he is relieving a huge weight, the weight he has carrier for three long years.

They make him lie in the bed and a nurse puts him a mask while saying: "Now you will feel relaxed, just close your eyes and we will see you after the intervention. Everything will be ok". Then silence...

But he starts feeling weird. He can hear some parts of the conversation between the nurses and the doctor. Everything starts vibrating and he barely sees the nurses with a defibrillator, trying to save him. Then silence again, followed by a big flash.

When Patrick wakes up delusional, he finds himself in the place that he fears the most: the living room where his wife was assassinated.

He starts running around but all he sees is the murderer's face. He then is able to get out of that infernal room, just to figure out he has woken up in his NIGHTMARE.

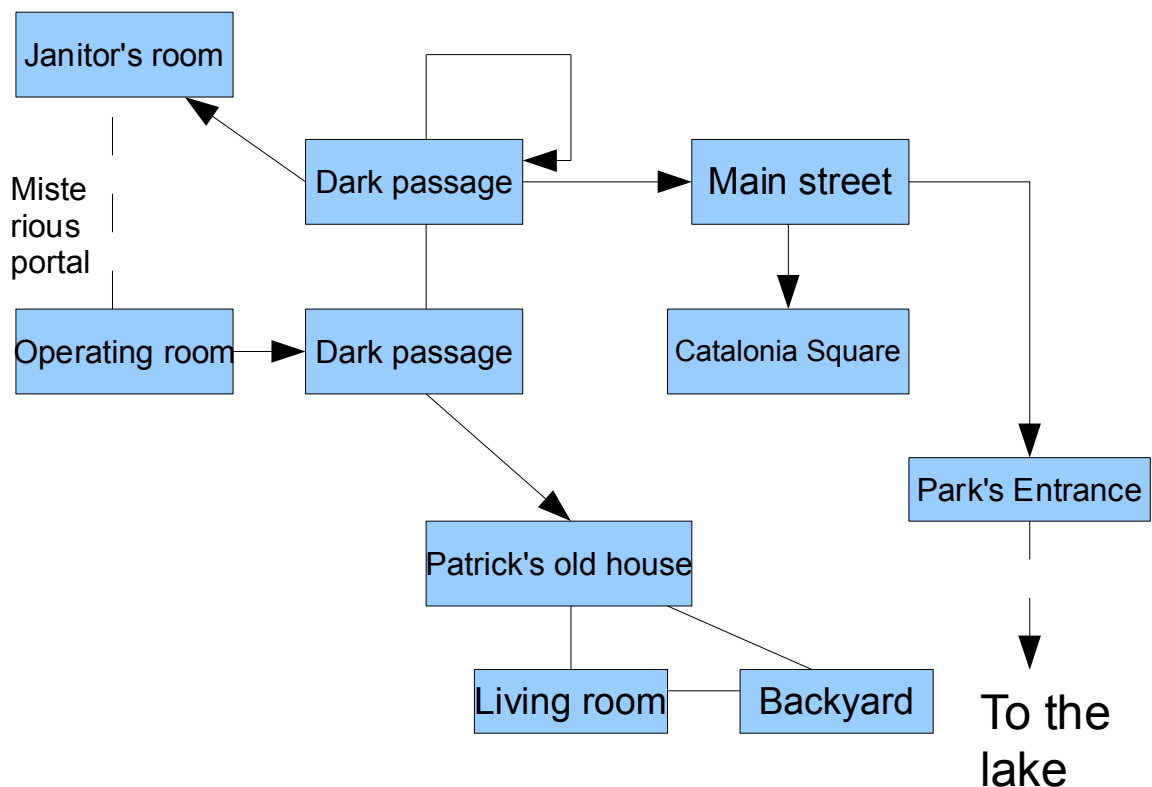
He needs to get out of that terrifying world, so he starts trying to remember how does he scape every night. He seems to have lost the memory of the place. The only thing he is able to remember is that the nightmare always stops when he arrives at the lake of The National Park; his wife's favorite place.

### **Special feature:**

The special feature in this game will be that in some of the rooms there will be enemies. In this case, the combat will be turn-based and the enemies will drop some items needed to finish the game. The enemies will always be the same, but the drop will be random, so not everytime the same enemies will drop the same objects.

There will also be some "checkpoints" where the main character needs to find food and water to survive, because when more moves are made, the character is more tired so he loses strength to then fight the enemies.

## Map:



## Items and NPCs:

The first item you can get is where you start, in the operating room. You can get a mask that is needed to go outside because there is a hallucinogen gas that makes you faint. In the Janitor's room there are two items: a rowing, needed to cross the lake, and a broom, useful but not needed. To take the rowing you need to “defeat” a NPC through riddles. This NPC is a retired janitor with a great sense of humor that loves riddles. If you get to the living room, you can find Patrick's favorite food, which makes you stronger. There is also a smelly piece of meat. You have to pick it to go to the backyard, because it distracts the neighbors dog, which can transform into a cerberus if you don't feed him. There is a locker in one of the dark passages that isn't locked, and has a scalpel needed to fight the last NPC.

This NPC appears randomly in the main street, in Catalonia square or in the park's entrance. You need to defeat him because he drops the key to enter the park. If you haven't eaten in the house, this NPC reincarnates as Patrick's wife murderer and instantly kills you.