

Mortem: The God of Death-by [Galahad Creative Administration](#)

Mortem is the god of death in the SMMO universe. The literal manifestation of darkness and terror.

According to some legends, in his first incarnation, Mortem was a beta tester named Henry Mortimer who was well known for playing the game for large lengths of time in order to become one of the strongest players. Tragically after the sixth day of playing the game non stop without sleep, he passed away from over exertion.

Curiously, the account Henry used did not lapse into inactivity and continued being active within the game, albeit in a glitched state. Players of Simple MMO have commented on how his account has no levels, however attacking or spying upon the account can cause errors. Also users have claimed at times to have had their chat text possessed by Mortem, with posts appearing in strange bugged out fonts, saying things that they have not typed. On top of this, a strange avatar has appeared on the account, showing what appears to be a reanimated corpse of the player, rubbing his hands together in glee.

There are numerous theories attempting to explain what Mortem is and what has happened to the account. Some say the spirit of Henry Mortimer has become trapped within the game, inexplicably linked and unwilling to give up the account he loved so much. Others believe it is an elaborate prank by the supreme one. A rumour has also been spread of a secretive cult, worshipping this figure, who claim Mortem has come to claim the land of SimpleMMO for himself and ascend to a level of godhood that could rival even the supreme being. Of course, this is all rumour and there is no substantial evidence that the cult even exists, let alone what they say is true.

The Wise Ones keep secretive books about the existence of Mortem in their archives that describes the days of his physical manifestation wandering the earth centuries ago which contradicts many peoples theories.

There are many rumours, legends, and written texts that contradict each-other about Mortem, but one thing is certain - whatever Mortem is, it is paying close attention to the land and citizens of Simpletopia.