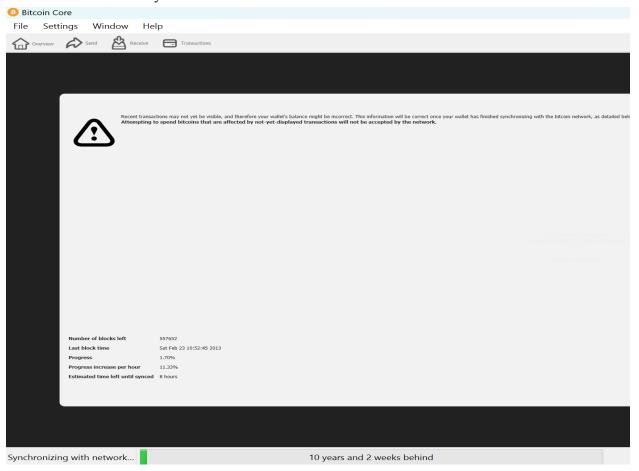
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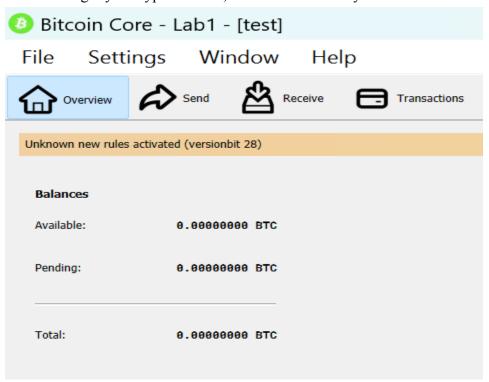
1. First I downloaded the Bitcoin Core Software. Not knowing we just had to use the testnet version I initially tried to download the real one which would've taken me 8 hours.



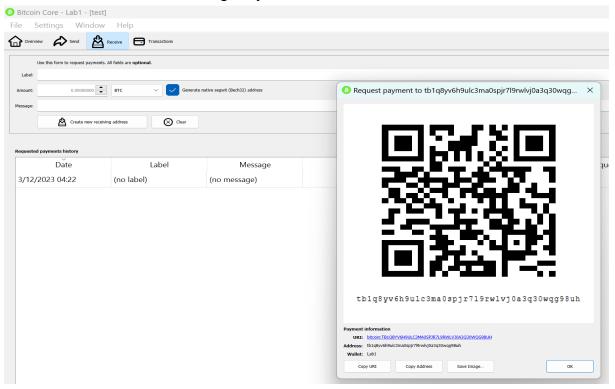
2. Once finished syncing to the testnet version, I created a encrypted Bitcoin Core wallet with a random character passphrase



3. After making my encrypted wallet, I was able to see my balance in the Overview tab.

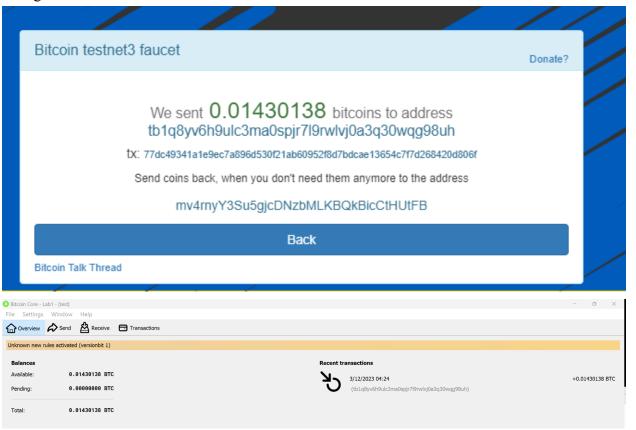


4. Next I went on the Receive tab to get my new address to be able to receive bitcoin

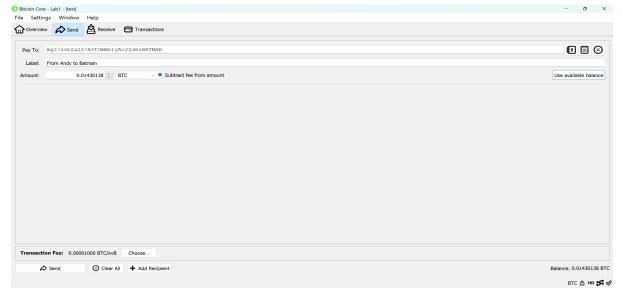


5. Using https://coinfaucet.eu/en/btc-testnet/ I then proceeded to request coins from this particular faucet website. I checked back on Bitcoin Software and saw that it went

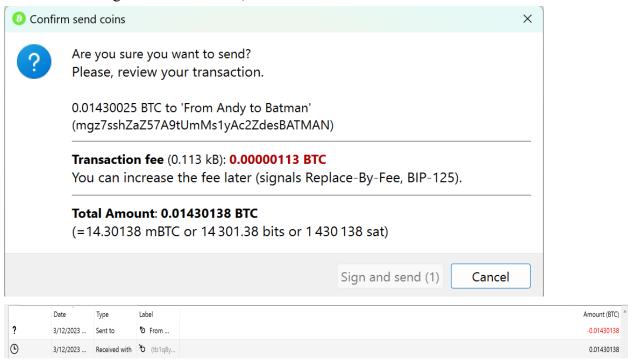
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6. I then sent my available balance (minus the transaction fee) I got from the coinfaucet website to help aid Batman.

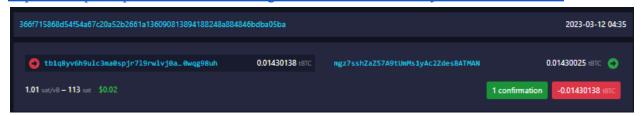


7. Confirmed and signed the transaction, and our Bitcoin Core wallet can confirm it too



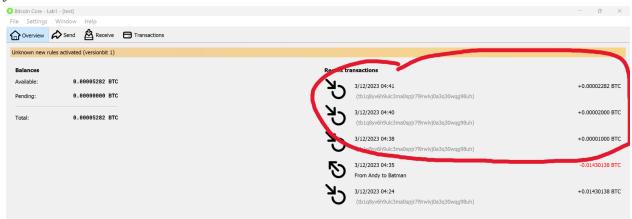
8. To verify the (testnet) transaction with our address on mempool.space we checked this website

https://mempool.space/testnet/address/mgz7sshZaZ57A9tUmMs1yAc2ZdesBATMAN

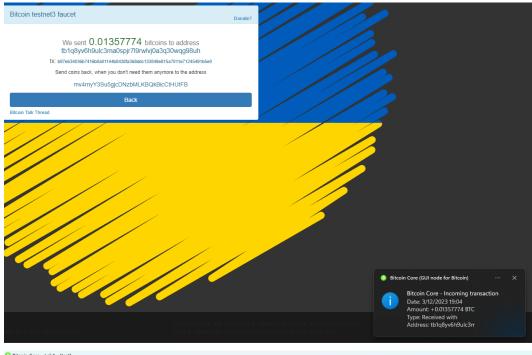


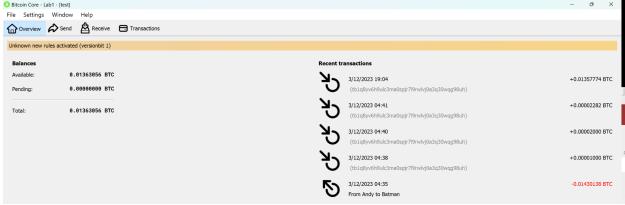
9. Thinking I was done I reread the instructions of the Lab and saw Transaction(s), implying multiple -_-. So I decided to use the other faucet website https://bitcoinfaucet.uol.net/send.php. The problem I encountered with this faucet website is that it only gave me less than what I was able to send to Batman. You can see the 3 transactions I did before it stopped me saying that was the max it could give out. The previous faucet website had a 11 hour wait time before you could request again so I

just had to wait.

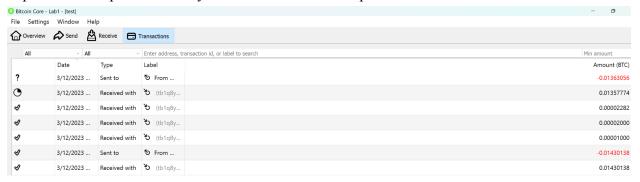


10. Using https://coinfaucet.eu/en/btc-testnet/ to get more coins after waiting





11. Repeated the steps and sent my available balance to help Batman



12. We can verify all these transactions on our address mempool space My Address: tb1q8yv6h9ulc3ma0spjr7l9rwlvj0a3q30wqg98uh

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