What Lies Beyond

Platform: Microsoft Windows

Genre: Adventure

Mode: Single-player

Language: English, Russian

Story Synopsis

You are Richard, an old man who has lived a happy and fulfilling life, full of different people and events. It seems your life path has come to an end as you are lying in your bed surrounded by your family. Everyone is crying, and only the doctor is calmly monitoring your last moments of life. With his "I am afraid it's time to say goodbyes," you feel your daughter's impetuous yet warm embrace. You reach your arms to return the hug and feel the pleasant tiredness. You slowly close your eyes and completely dissolve in this final gesture of love…

…to find yourself somewhere in the middle of the endless white space. There are huge empty scales in front of you, with angel and demon statues on the sides. Behind them, you see five open doors. You are not sure where they will lead you, but each of them seems familiar…

Gameplay

Your goal is to weigh your life deeds to determine the ultimate place of rest for your soul. To do so, you have to collect your five most important memories. Each door contains a unique event, either with a good or bad tune. To get the memory piece, come close to the character in color and then pick up the appeared orb. The color of the sphere demonstrates whether this deed was right or wrong . You can then leave the memory through the same door to reappear in the white room. The new orb will be automatically placed on the scales. Repeat the process for the rest of the doors to find out your afterlife fate.

Controls

- ↑ = Move Up
- ← = Move Left
- ↓ = Move Down
- → = Move Right

What's next?

1. Switch to RPG Maker MV
2. Make memory scenes animated
3. Create additional memory scenes inside each door to make memories more comprehensive

4. Add dialogues
5. Add SFX and music
6. Make scene transitions more smooth
7. Add some details to help recognize the young protagonist
8. Introduce choices and different endings: Heaven or Hell

Technology Stack

1. Clickteam Fusion 2.5
2. Adobe Photoshop CC 2018
3. Adobe Lightroom Classic CC