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#### **ABOUT PHOTOSENSITIVE SEIZURES**

A very small percentage of people may experience a seizure when exposed to certain visual images, including flashing lights or patterns that may appear in video games. Even people who have no history of seizures or epilepsy may have an undiagnosed condition that can cause these "photosensitive epileptic seizures" while watching video games.

These seizures may have a variety of symptoms including: Lightheadedness, altered vision, eye or face twitching, jerking or shaking of arms or legs, disorientation, confusion, or momentary loss of awareness. Seizures may also cause loss of consciousness or convulsions that can lead to injury from falling down or striking nearby objects.

Immediately stop playing and consult a doctor if you experience any of these symptoms. Parents should watch for or ask their children about the above symptoms—children and teenagers are more likely than adults to experience these seizures.

The risk of photosensitive epileptic seizures may be reduced by:

- · sitting farther from the television screen,
- · using a smaller television screen,
- · playing in a well-lit room, and
- not playing when you are drowsy or fatigued.

If you or any of your relatives have a history of seizures or epilepsy, consult a doctor before playing.

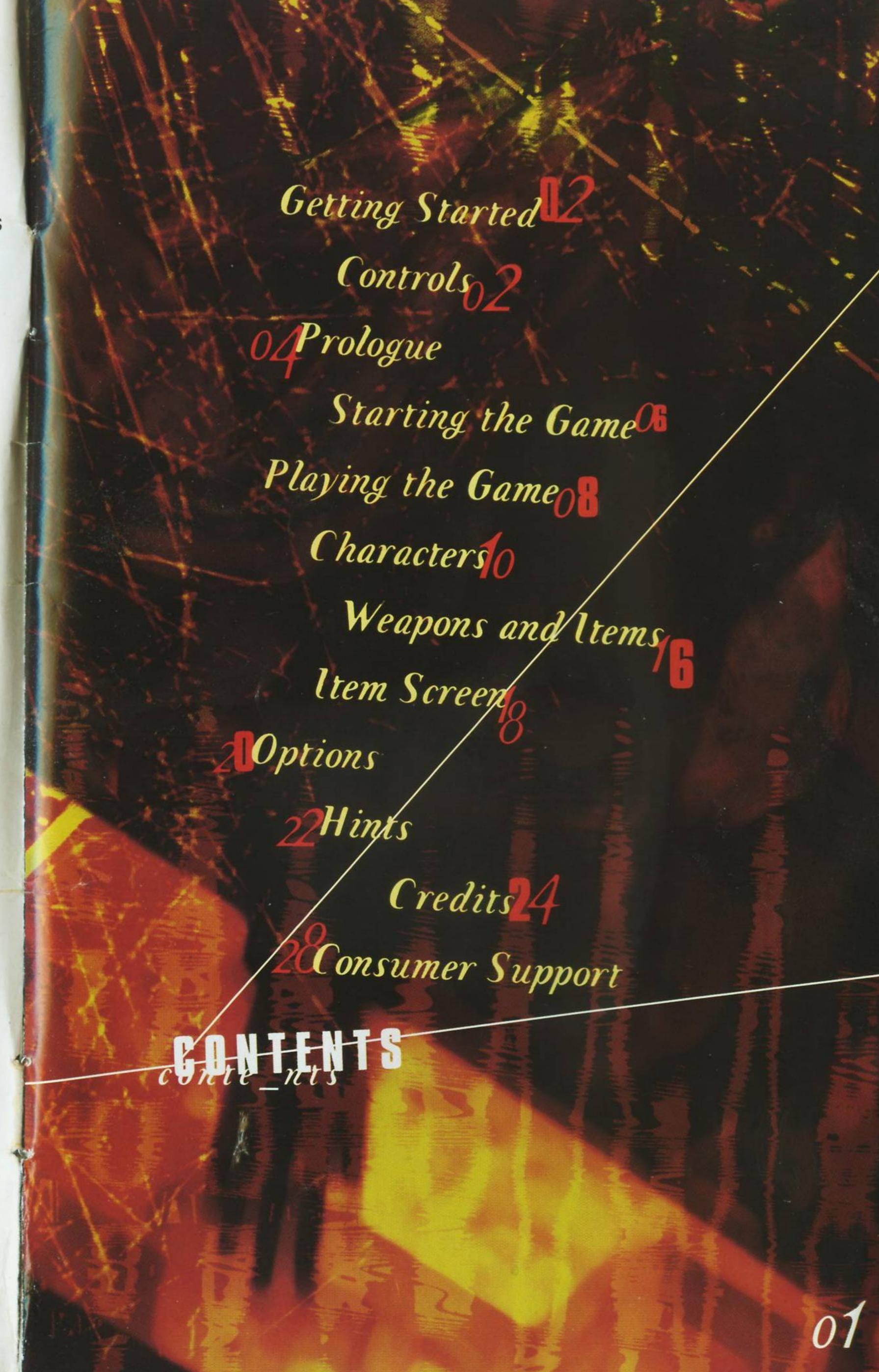
#### AVOID DAMAGE TO YOUR TELEVISION

Do not use with certain televisions. Some televisions, especially front-or rear-projection types, can be damaged if any video games, including Xbox games, are played on them. Static images presented during the normal course of game play may "burn in" to the screen, causing a permanent shadow of the static image to appear at all times, even when video games are not being played. Similar damage may occur from static images created when placing a video game on hold or pause. Consult your television owner's manual to determine if video games can be safely played on your set. If you are unable to find this information in the owner's manual, contact your television dealer of the manufacturer to determine if video games can be played on your set.

#### OTHER IMPORTANT HEALTH AND SAFETY INFORMATION

The Xbox video game system documentation contains important safety and health information that you should read and understand before using this software.

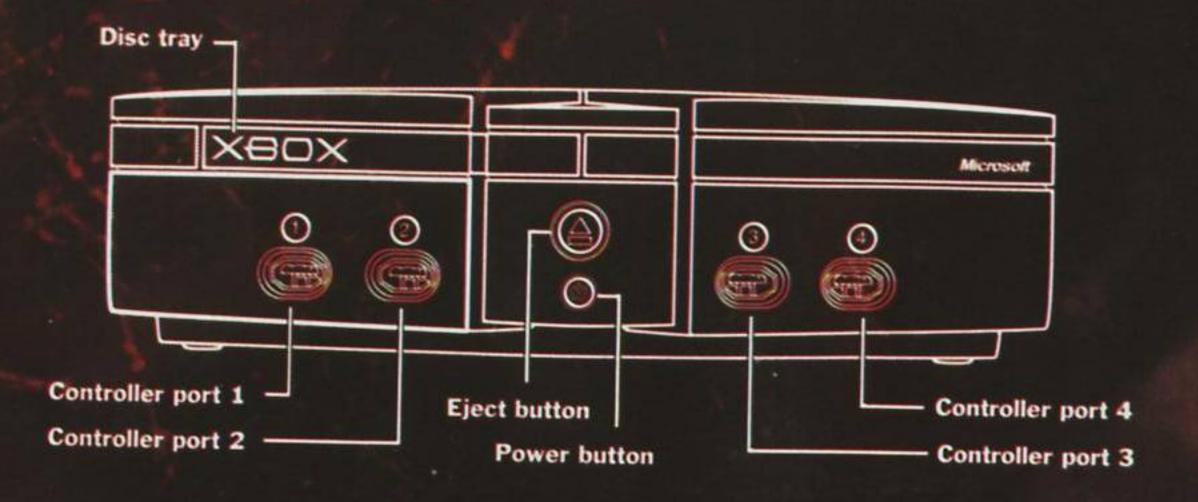
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## Using the Xbox Video Game System

Set up your Abox video game system according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Press the power button and the starus indicator light will light up. Press the eject button and the disc tray will open. Place the SILENI HILL®2 Restless Dreams™ disc on the disc tray with the label side facing up and close the disc tray. Follow on-screen instructions and refer to this manual for more information about playing SILENI HILL®2 Restless

# GETTING STARTED



### To avoid damage to discs or the disc drive:

Insert only Xbox-compatible discs into the disc drive.

Never use oddly shaped discs, such as star-shaped or heart-shaped discs.

Do not leave a disc in the Xbox console for extended periods when not in use. Do not move the Xbox console while the power is on and a disc is inserted. Do not apply labels, stickers, or other foreign objects to discs.

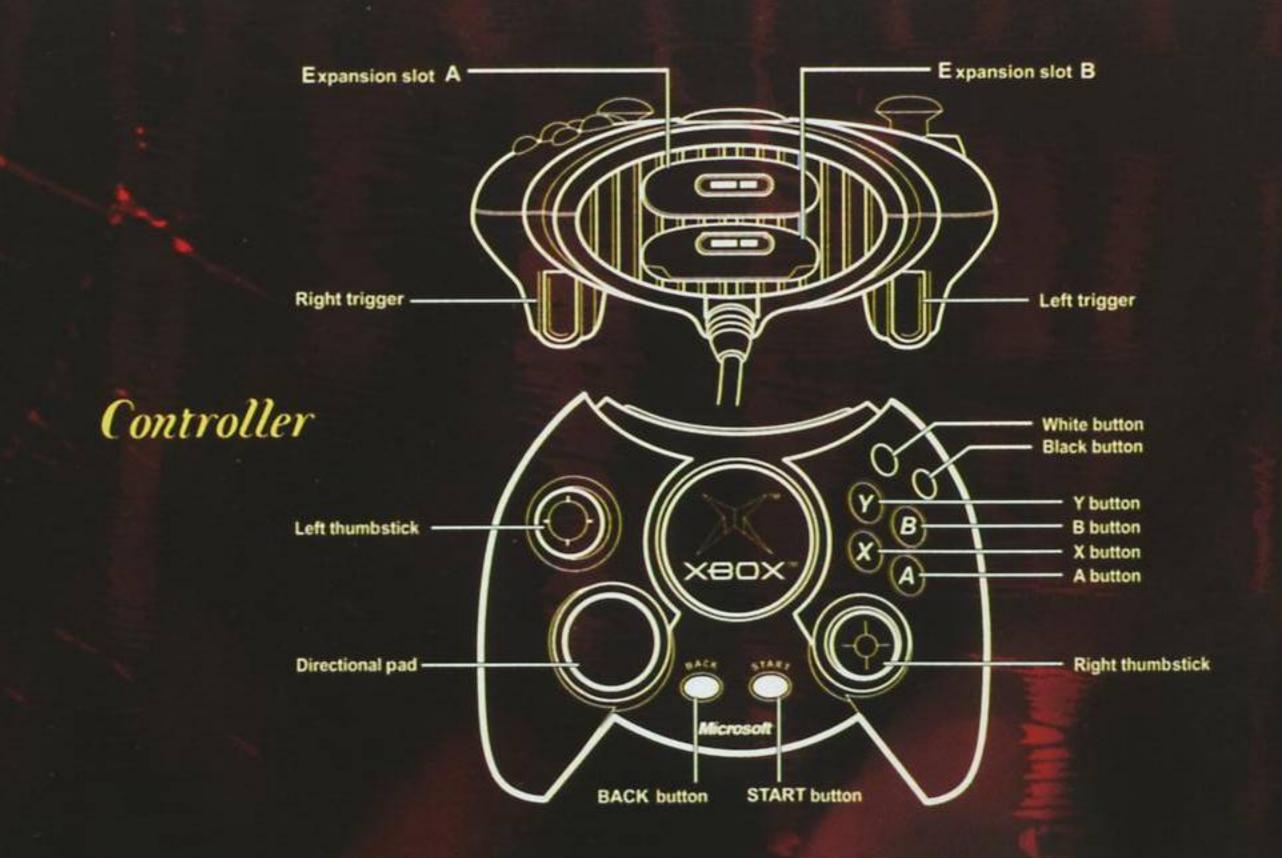
# GHTROIS (default configuration)

#### Using the Xbox Controller

Insert the Xbox Controller into any controller port of the Xbox console. For multiple players, insert additional controllers.

Insert any peripherals (for example, Xbox Memory Units) into controller expansion slots as appropriate.

Follow on-screen instructions and refer to this manual for more information about using the Xbox controller to play SILENT HILL®2 Restless Dreams™



Directional Pad / Left thumbstick: Controls movement forward and backwards and also rotates James left and right. Press the Black button to toggle between running and walking

Back button: Access the Item Screen (pause). Press the B button to return to game.

X trigger: Strafe left B button: Strafe right X + B button: Fast 180° turn

Left trigger: Search View. Push down to fixate the camera behind player during play. The search view cannot be used in all locations.

Left trigger: Hold down and use the Right thumbstick to look around in the desired direction.

Right trigger: Press and hold down to draw weapon. Use the Left thumbstick or Directional Pad to aim in the direction of a monster and press the A button to attack.

Start button: Toggle pause/unpause

Right thumbstick: Push down to use stamina recovery item.

)	View map in map window. When finished viewing the map, press the
	Y button to return to game
A	Attack (while holding the Right trigger) / Search / Confirm selection
$\boldsymbol{B}$	Cancel selection
Black	Toggle running and walking / Guard Attacks
White	Turn flashlight on/off

#### Other Controls

Soft Reset: Press and hold down the Back button and Start button simultaneously to soft reset the game and return to the Title Screen.

NOTE: Controller settings can be customized in the OPTIONS menu. Control functions for Maria are the same as James.

Three years ago, James Sunderland's wife got seriously ill and passed away. James tried to pull himself together and resume his life after the loss but struggled to get back on his feet. The emotional pain and emptiness left James in a constant state of mourning.

PROLINGUE



Then one day, a cryptic letter arrives signed by Mary, the same name as his late wife. In the letter, Mary writes "Silent Hill, our sanctuary of memories...! will be waiting for you there."

James is confused and disturbed by the letter. He questions if Mary is somehow really alive or if someone is playing a hoax on him.

"I still don't believe it. The dead can't send letters, yet I came here to see my Mary..."

"Our sanctuary of memories - What does that mean? This place is too full of memories..."







Shrouded in mystery and driven by the desire to uncover the truth, James sets off into the world of Silent Hill...

As the fog grows thicker, James realizes that the town is nearby.

"The only way to get to the center of town is through this tunnel, but there must have been an accident or something because the musance is blocked."

"But wait ... "

"The map shows a single road through the forest that leads to the town. Looks like the only way to get to the town is to take this road on foot."

"I can't see anyone in this thick fog, or should I say I don't feel anyone."

"I see a run-down building nearby"

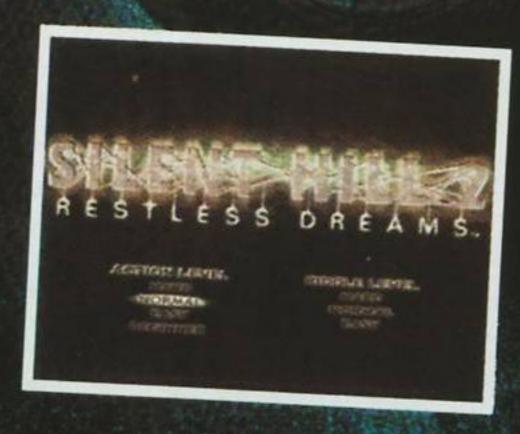
"There's no one inside. I am alone in the mirror's reflection."

"I look at the man in the mirror and mutter a question ..."

"Mary...Could you really be in this town?"



After the increductory screens are displayed, the Title Screen will appear. Select NEW GAME, CONTINUE, LOAD or OPTION using the Directional Pad or Left thumbstick. Enter the selection with the A button. Cancel the selection with the B button.



#### NEW GAME

Select NEW GAME to play a game from the beginning. Choose between the main game or the additional game. It is highly recommended that you complete the main game prior to playing the additional game. Subsequent menus will prompt you to select an Action and Riddle difficulty level. Use the following chart to help select the desired levels. Once you have selected the difficulty level, it cannot be changed later in the game.

ACTION LEVEL

HARD: Monsters are very strong and fast

NORMAL: Standard difficulty

EAST: Weak monsters and simplified controls

BEGINNER: Enjoy the storyline, drama and puzzles of SILENT HILL®2 Restless Dreams™

without fighting

RIDDLE LEVEL

HARD: Riddles are complex

NORMAL: Standard difficulty

EAST: Riddles are simplified and hints are provided

BEGINNER: Riddles are very easy

NOTE: Regardless of the difficulty levels selected, the game scenarios and endings will be the same. There is no riddle difficulty level in the additional game.

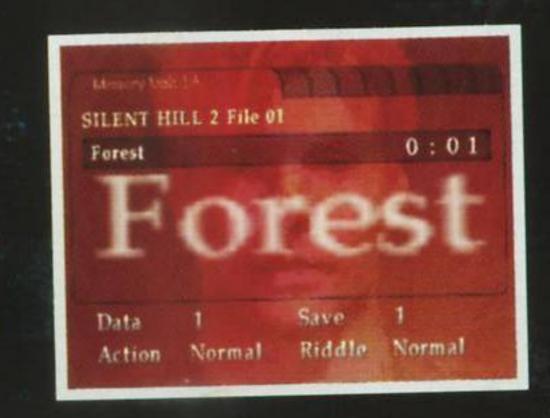
#### CONTINUE

Select CONTINUE to resume playing a previously saved SILENT HILL®2 Restless Dreams™ game using data saved on an XBOX Memory Unit.

NOTE: The CONTINUE option will not appear on the Title Screen until a previously saved SILENT HILL®2 Restless Dreams™ data file exists or after a check point is cleared within the game.

#### LOAD

Select LOAD to choose a specific SILENT HILL®2 Restless Dreams™ data file from an XBOX Memory Unit. At the Load Screen, select the desired game using the Directional Pad or Left thumbstick and enter your selection with the A button.

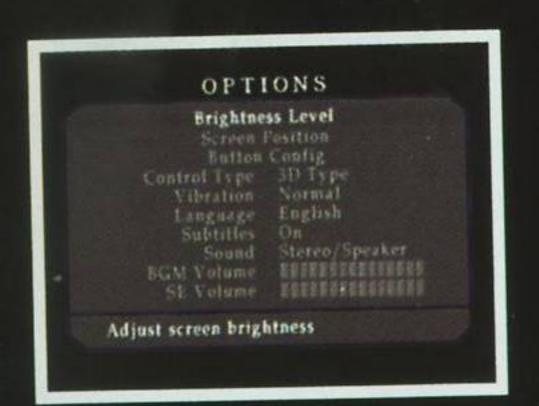


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#### OPTION

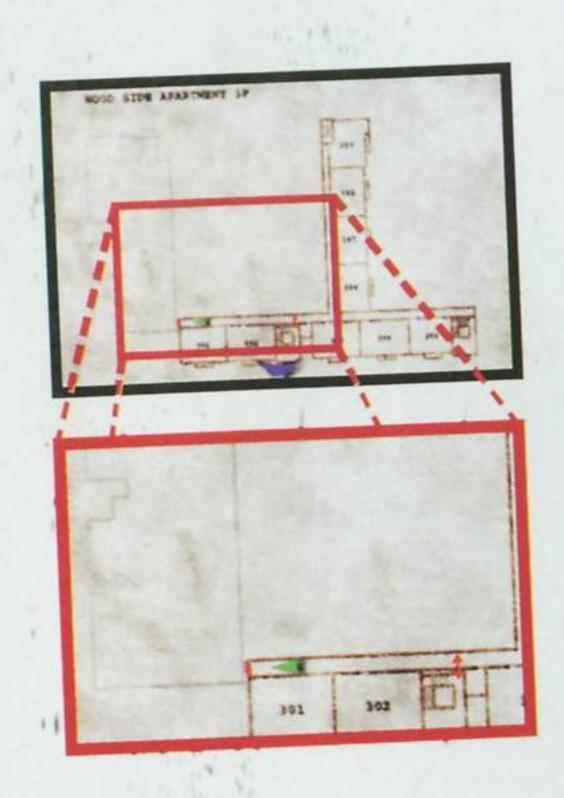
Select OPTION to adjust game settings. Follow the on-screen menus for additional information.

NOTE: Game settings can also be adjusted during game play by pressing the BACK button to bring up the Item Screen. Select OPTION from the Item Screen to adjust game settings.



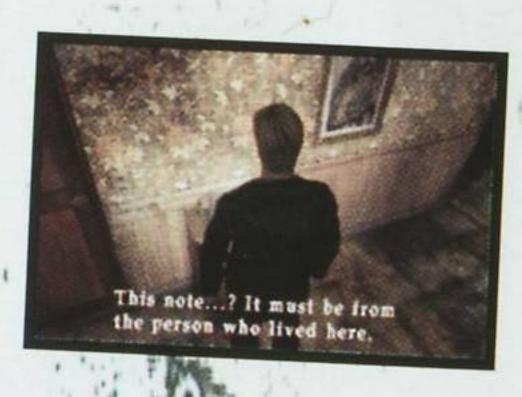
# Objective PLAYING THE GAME

James has returned to Silent Hill to uncover the truth about his late wife Mary. As James ventures deeper into town, he must successfully overcome the challenges that await him. In some situations, defeating/avoiding monsters and solving puzzles will be necessary. If James can persevere the obstacles, information regarding the origins of the mysterious letter might be revealed and possibly even darker secrets.



#### How to use the map

If James has a map in his possession, press the Y button to view the map. Use the A button to zoom in/zoom out. When the map is zoomed in, use the Directional Pad or Left thumbstick to view specific areas. If the map consists of multiple floors, press Up/Down on the Directional Pad or Left thumbstick to view the additional map pages. As James searches certain areas, he will automatically make notations on the map in red marker. The green pointer on the map represents James' current position.



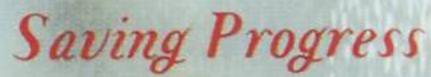
#### Field

During the game, control James using the Directional Pad or Left thumbstick. When James is near objects or items, press the A button to search the immediate area. Important information or useful items may be discovered.

#### Game Over

The upper left corner of the Item Screen lace stible by pressing the BACK button) will show James current health status inside the Status Box. The current health status of James is determined by color, which will gradually turn red as health decreases.

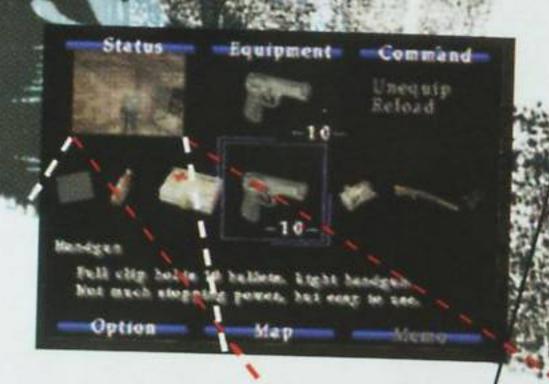
If the vibration function is enabled (accessible in the OPTIONS menu), the controller will begin to shake more violently as James receives mor damage. This is an effective tool for gauging current health status during normal game play. James will die when his health is completely depleted. Use items, such as the First aid kit and Energy drink to replenish James' life gauge. For more information



on items, see page 16.

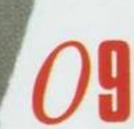
A game can be saved at any one of the various save points scattered throughout Silent Hill. The save points are easily identified as mysterious red objects. When James is facing a save point, press the A button to access the Save Screen. Game progress can be saved any number of times at save point locations. Follow the on-screen instructions to save your current progress.

Note: SILENT HILL®2 Restless Dreams wes at least 13 blocks of memory card data to save each game. Make sure there is enough free space on your XBOX Memory Unit before starting play. Do not insert or remove the XBOX Memoryt Unit while saving/loading games or after the power has been turned ON.

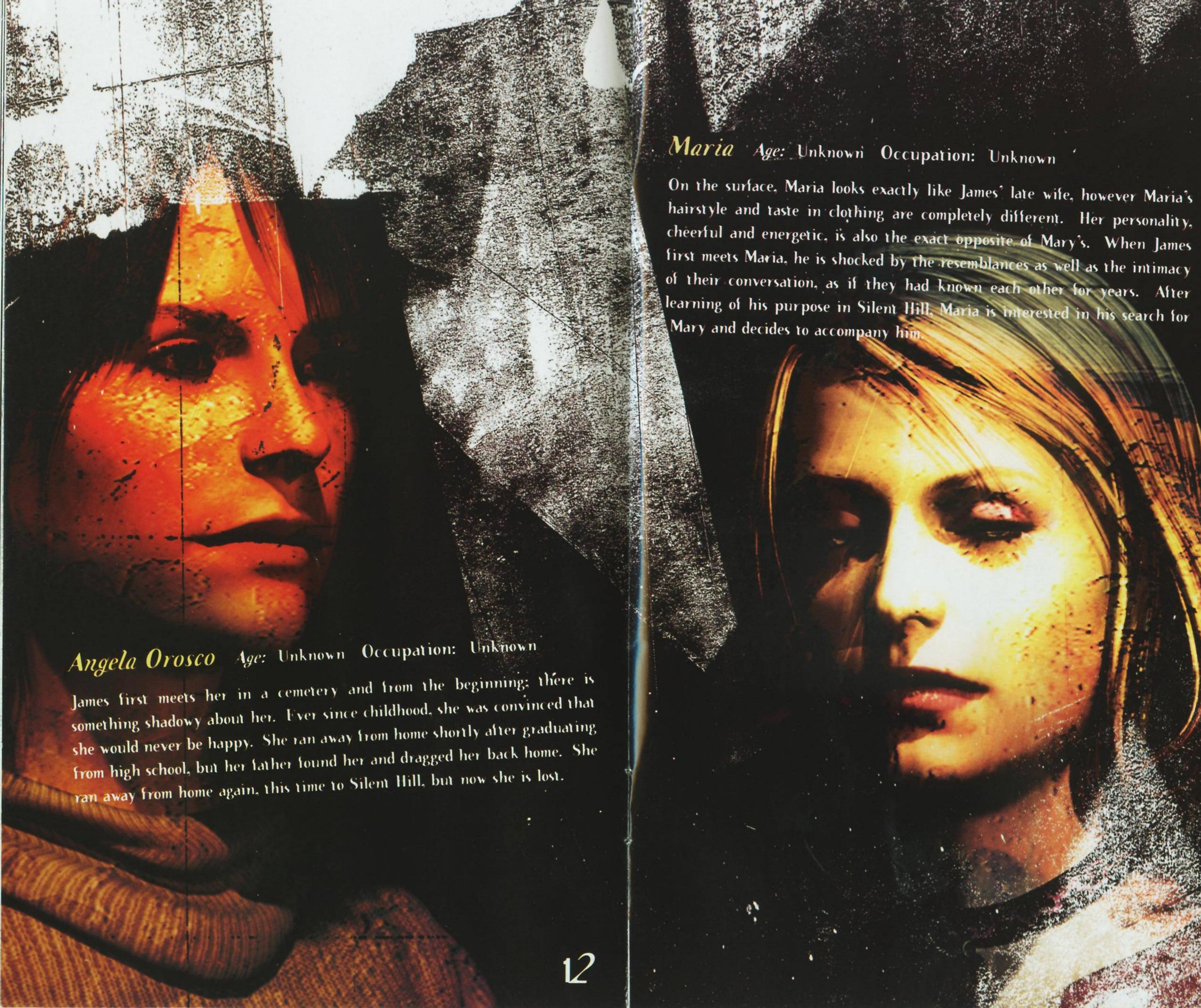


Status

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# Command Equipment Unequip Reload Hundgun Full chip holds 10 bullets. Light handgun. Not much stopping power, but easy to use.

Using Items

Select desired items using the Directional Pad or Left thumbstick. The commands available for each item will be displayed in the Command box in the upper right corner. Select an item by pressing the A button, then select a command from the Command box. Press the B button to cancel an item selection.

#### Combine

Sometimes the solution to a puzzle will require you to use several items at once. In these cases, the Combine command will appear. Select the necessary items needed to solve the puzzle and combine them into one item. Once the items are combined, use the item to solve the puzzle.

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#### Status Box

As James' health decreases, this box will gradually turn red. For more information on the Status Box, see Game Over page. 9.

#### Memo

Hints on how to solve puzzles and important game messages are displayed here. Newer messages are displayed first.

#### Map

Refer to the map. For more information on maps, see How to use the map page 8.



Brightness Level: Adjust the brightness of the game screen.

Screen Position: Adjust the position of the game screen.

Button Config: Customize control settings.

Control Type: 3D Type: Press up/down on the Left thumbstick to move forward/backward and press left/right to

turn around.

2D Type: Press the Left thumbstick in any direction to move in that direction. Strafing is

not used in this control type.

Vibration: Select between Off, Soft, Normal, Hard vibration functions.

Auto Load: When this option is set to On, saved data will be loaded automatically upon startup. The game will be continued from the last save point.

Language: Select between English or Japanese language.

Subtitles: Turn in-game dialog subtitles On/Off.

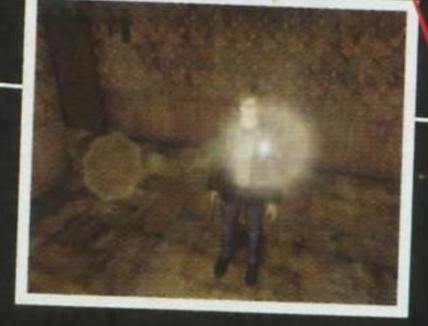
Sound: Toggle the sound between Stereo/Monaural.

BGM Volume: Adjust the volume of the background music.

SE Volume: Adjust the volume of the sound effects.

NOTE: Hidden options are available by pressing the Left trigger & Right trigger buttons simultaneously while accessing the options menu.

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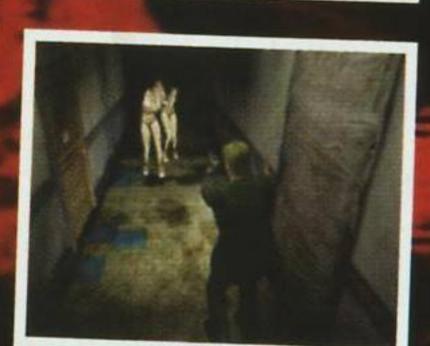




#### Search View

By holding down on the Left trigger, the camera angle changes to the Search View mode. This mode changes the focus of the camera to where James is looking. In this view mode, the player can look further forward and around corners. Move the Right thumbstick to look around while in Search View mode. Utilize the Search View to your advantage, however some areas cannot use the Search View mode.





#### Light and Sound

The monsters have eyes and ears and use these to locate James. If they are not alerted to James' presence, they may not attack. Turn off the flashlight and carefully bypass unnecessary confrontations. However, with the flashlight off, James cannot search or look at the map and his accuracy with projectile weapons will greatly decrease.

Pay close attention to the sounds in the game, such as echoes and noises to gauge the approximate positioning and location of the sounds. James can stay fully prepared for the worst by listening closely to the atmosphere and environment around him.

#### Radio

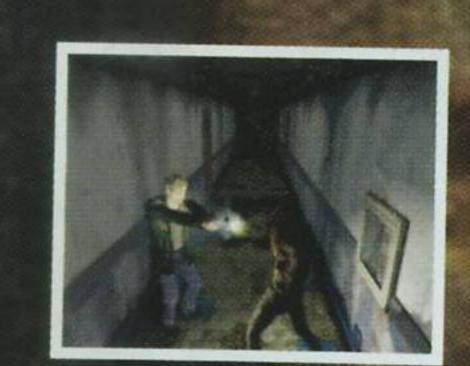
The radio will alert the player to a monsters' presence with white noise. The white noise will change depending on the number and distance of the monsters. Learn how to interpret the pitch of the white noise to identify danger that you cannot see. The monsters cannot hear the radio noise, so turning it off would be foolish.





#### Weapons

Since James is an ordinary man with no special weapons training, his skill is marginal. Even in daylight or with the flashlight on, his accuracy with weapons is questionable, especially with long-distance attacks. In addition, depending on the amount of pressure applied to the attack button, some weapons will be used with less/more force. Try to let monsters close in to ensure a better hit.



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