Subject: Re: New hard drive, 4.0 takes me to Renegade game options screen. Posted by saberhawk on Sun, 02 Dec 2012 00:35:16 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

danpaul88 wrote on Sat, 01 December 2012 15:17WOL is completely screwed up these days... back before XWIS it actually used to tell you when your password / username were incorrect, instead of just hiding it away in the MOTD everyone just clicks away without reading to get to the server list.

Why XWIS can't just implement the login system properly is beyond me...

Clone Degeneration. They didn't implement the login system properly when the real thing was around and it was easier to determine how it worked. Now that the real thing is gone, a proper implementation is far more difficult because it requires reverse engineering the client itself as opposed to just snooping on the text protocol it uses. Any clones of XWIS would likely be degenerate in other ways.