Subject: Starcraft 2 Beta Wings of Liberty. Posted by FACEBUTT on Sun, 20 Jun 2010 12:23:10 GMT

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As for someone who played beta for month, i would like to say its its most epic RTS game so far. I love new league system that allows everyone to play SC2, 5 placement matches throw you into one of four different leagues. Diamond, Gold, Silver, Bronze. Game feels easier compared to SC1. however it feels much more enjoyable.

I've been firstly in bronze then gone into silver at top 12.

I'm so impressed with graphics, light effect, shining units, maps, etc. Blizzard done their best with unit design, i love new units and the old ones that have been changed. I thought blizzard would ran out of ideas but they didn't. Every race has something new to offer, although they didn't change core and brought back iconic units like marine, zealot, zergling and more. There are also few new buildings.

Gameplay is much more polished, units have better AI, mechanics improved. Both Micro and Macro plays high role here, however macro is much more important. Units have fairly balanced new abilities that makes game deeper. Harassment is pretty much viable in SC2, its even better with new units like Banshee, Stalker, Baneling/Roach Drop, etc. Im a bit disappointed with few BO"s for every factions, this might evolve sometime.

Audio Music, i have to say..never heard such a beautiful music like terran themes especially, every faction have music that does fit. Explosions, guass rifle sounds, mutalisk scream, hydralisk, missles sounds awesome and realistic. Who doesn't love siege tank sound or carrier has arrived?

Balance is good, there are no imbalances atm, game is very playable with no bugs expect some minor.

Most loved faction? Okay Terran, can't stand lovely Thors, Siege Tanks, Marines, Ghosts and music

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I realize it is just a beta but any sign of custom maps?

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Subject: Re: Starcraft 2 Beta Wings of Liberty. Posted by cmatt42 on Tue, 22 Jun 2010 23:22:17 GMT

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Ziggy Sobotka wrote on Tue, 22 June 2010 06:07 I FOR ONE WELCOME OUR NEW BLIZZARD OVERSEERS

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You should welcome them. They're better than:

- -The game being managed by a greedy semi-outlaw monopolistic "ruling body", like KeSPA in StarCraft 1's case
- -A company that only looks to push out the next product in a series, like EA in C&C's case -ABSOLUTELY NOBODY, like in Renegade's case

Think about it. If you limit yourself to video game companies (to exclude obvious answers like Microsoft and Google), what company has a track record of post-release support better than Blizzard's? Those facts are strong enough to remain persistent throughout your ridiculous "big brother is out to get you" scare tactics.

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Read that article too. He makes it very clear why he can't root for KeSPA (Although he conviently leaves out the scandal a few years ago where they tried to sell broadcast rights that they didn't have to OGN/MBCGame, or how they used their clout to run the GOM league out of business to keep competators out, or their horrible mishandling of the match fixing incidents which were known to them. The list goes on and on), but sort of glosses over why he Blizzard can't do a better job, citing only some issues that nobody but WarCraft III players (All eight of them) care about.

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No, you're right. I saw that on the guy below you who appears to have changed your quote. My bad, I should have paid closer attention and caught that. :S

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You're doing it again.

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Yea lol. I rekcon High Templar was the best.

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Posted by InternetThug on Mon, 28 Jun 2010 07:57:21 GMT

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Posted by Dover on Mon, 28 Jun 2010 20:05:27 GMT

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I'm actually pretty bad. I'm just a hell of a lot better than these clowns who think they're good. >:[

And to be fair, StarCraft is a mainstream as hell, and a lot less nerdy than a game with a hundred or so players remaining at most. Like, oh, Renegade?

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Posted by Rocko on Mon, 28 Jun 2010 21:43:37 GMT

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Subject: Re: Starcraft 2 Beta Wings of Liberty.

Posted by Starbuzzz on Tue, 29 Jun 2010 01:28:27 GMT

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tbh, I don't think Starcraft is a nerdy game. I have always seen games that are hard by design as a damn good game. I say the same thing for Age of Empires 2 as well.

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Posted by Dover on Tue, 29 Jun 2010 02:56:06 GMT

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Wasn't Generals the one C&C game that diehard fanbois didn't like because it used the StarCraft-esque peon system? Oh irony.

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Posted by nikki6ixx on Wed, 07 Jul 2010 19:34:39 GMT

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http://www.nydailynews.com/news/world/2010/05/27/2010-05-27_video_gamer_hunts_do wn stabs man who killed his online counterstrike character.html

and now this:

http://wowriot.gameriot.com/blogs/Americans-are-bad-at-games/Real-Names-on-the-O fficial-Forums-New-REAL-ID-function?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&am_p;am_ p;utm campaign=Feed:+wowriot+

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It's not low. It's smart. It's a solution that doesn't dramatically increase the amount of moderation on the forums while still doing a lot to clean out the trolls and dicktrees who suddenly don't have a mask to hide behind. It also promotes people being responsible for their words and actions, which would be a nice change to the internet.

Lastly, it's the official battle.net forums. Big fucking deal. No worthwhile exchanges of information take place there anyway.

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to enjoy playing the Zerg, but I feel the other two are easier to pick up and learn. Try all three and see which you have the most fun with.

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Posted by Dover on Thu, 22 Jul 2010 00:21:57 GMT

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Posted by Starbuzzz on Thu, 22 Jul 2010 03:38:08 GMT

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that's an awesome trailer! wow that's the scene where the f\$#&%@! abandoned Kerrigan. And amazing voice acting too...they got Raynor's voice all right. Looks like Blizzard is serious about getting it right.

Sometimes I wish I didn't suck so much at RTS and wish I could have played StarCraft more. It's a wealthy gaming universe in every sense.

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Posted by zeratul on Thu, 22 Jul 2010 04:16:57 GMT

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Raynor and the Templar are just statues but rumours has it that the Marine is fully posable and he looks like it too. More pics here:

http://kotaku.com/5595514/a-closer-look-at-dcs-starcraft-ii--world-of-warcraft-t oys/gallery/

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Posted by grant89uk on Wed, 04 Aug 2010 17:20:12 GMT

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As for the article that was linked, half of what's written is sensationalist bullshit. It's a shame that people who don't follow StarCraft II close enough (Or even though that do but are looking for something to bitch about) will grab their pitchforks anyway.

EDIT: In other news, Hydralisks are now snazzy dancers, in addition to ruthless killing machines.

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Posted by Rocko on Wed, 04 Aug 2010 23:57:38 GMT

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yo is dat guy in da blue like real fat or what

Subject: Re: Starcraft 2 Beta Wings of Liberty.

Posted by IAmFenix on Thu, 05 Aug 2010 00:09:09 GMT

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Posted by Herr Surth on Thu, 05 Aug 2010 09:34:47 GMT

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what? marines don't have names!

Subject: Re: Starcraft 2 Beta Wings of Liberty.

Posted by snpr1101 on Thu, 05 Aug 2010 09:51:51 GMT

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This one time, at boot camp

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Posted by Starbuzzz on Thu, 05 Aug 2010 13:44:43 GMT

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With the exception of most of the Protoss, pretty much all of SC is unoriginal. Doesn't stop it from being a good game (so inb4dover), but SC was never about its originality.

Subject: Re: Starcraft 2 Beta Wings of Liberty. Posted by Dover on Mon, 09 Aug 2010 07:54:31 GMT

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grant89uk wrote on Wed, 04 August 2010 10:20Dover wrote on Sun, 20 June 2010 23:14l'd just like to say that if you're a Bronze Leaguer, your opinions on balance or BOs or harassment or difficulty don't count for much. And just so you don't grow some unwarranted self importance, you were top 12 in your division of like 50 people, not top 12 in all of the Silver League. That said, if putting "Hurp Durp Division, Silver League: 12" next to your name gave you some confidence and made you feel like you could succeed at the game, the division system did its job.

As for the article that was linked, half of what's written is sensationalist bullshit. It's a shame that people who don't follow StarCraft II close enough (Or even though that do but are looking for something to bitch about) will grab their pitchforks anyway.

EDIT: In other news, Hydralisks are now snazzy dancers, in addition to ruthless killing machines.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WMupsZAPm9I http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C8toFV3KKs0

Your honestly a fucking asshole.

lol k.