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PHOENIX ONLINE STUDIOS™ RELEASES THE SILVER LINING: HAUNTED CASTLE EXPERIENCE, ANNOUNCES EPISODE 5 COMING IN 2017

*Playable Teaser Offers a Sneak Peek at Episode 5 of The Silver Lining, Playable for PC
and HTC Vive*

November 10th, 2016 – Boston, MA – Phoenix Online Studios today released *The Silver Lining: Haunted Castle Experience* and that the highly-anticipated final episode of their *King's Quest* fangame *The Silver Lining* will be releasing in 2017! *The Silver Lining: Haunted Castle Experience* as the player walks through a haunted version of the Isle of the Crown, as well as creepy versions of scenes and characters from the first four Episodes. The game is available for free exclusively at the Phoenix Online Store (store.POstudios.com) for PC, with Mac, Linux, and a VR-compatible with the HTC Vive versions coming soon.



“We’ve been steadily working on Episode 5 for a long time, and we’re finally at a point where we feel we can confidently promise it will be out next year,” said Katie Hallahan, PR Director and co-designer of *The Silver Lining*. “The Haunted Castle Experience is a unique way to give a sneak peek of what’s to come while having some fun with the Halloween season, plus we got to test the waters with a VR-compatible experience. And this is just the beginning of the lead-up for

Episode 5. There'll be more news coming as we get into 2017 and closer to announcing a definite release date.”



In the first four episodes of *The Silver Lining*, King Graham traveled the Land of the Green Isles in search of a cure for a sleeping curse placed on his children, Alexander and Rosella. In the process, a thousand-year-old prophecy concerning his family and the mysterious Shadrack, leader of the Black Cloak Society, came to light along with deeply hidden secrets about Valanice and their family's enemies. Episode 5 will see Graham and Valanice journey into the land of dreams to free their children and confront their enemies in one final stand of darkness and light. All four episodes are available for free for PC at the Phoenix Online Store (store.POStudios.com).

The Silver Lining: Haunted Castle Experience is available for free at store.postudios.com, or use the direct download link below. Contact Katie Hallahan at katie@postudios.com for an interview with the developers or with any questions about the game!

Assets:

- **Direct Download:** http://www.postudios.com/StoreDownloads/TSLHCE_1.00_PC.exe
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About Phoenix Online Studios – Every Game Has a Story™

Created by adventure game fans for adventure game fans, Phoenix Online Studios is an award-winning game development studio that seeks to put create compelling games where story and character come first. Formed in 2004, Phoenix began as fans seeking to bring back their favorite genre with the King's Quest fangame *The Silver Lining*, they've followed up with the award-winning *Cognition: An Erica Reed Thriller*, Jane Jensen's *Moebius: Empire Rising*, and are working with Jensen on the remake of her classic hit game *Gabriel Knight: Sins of the Fathers*. Phoenix also opened a publishing branch in 2014,

putting indie games including *Quest for Infamy*, *Moebius: Empire Rising*, *Lost Civilization*, and *The Last Door: Collector's Edition*. More information can be found on the company's website, www.POStudios.com.

Assets for *The Silver Lining* and other Phoenix Online games are available at <http://pressroom.postudios.com>.

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