Romance of the Three Kingdoms III (Import) Scenario Guide

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1. Version Update

Version 0.1

- Created the walkthrough
- Completed list of rulers for scenario I
- Added in section on General Strategy
- Added i nsection on Rips and Hints

2. Review

Romance of the Three Kingdoms 3: Dragon of Destiny is the third installment in the strategy games made by KOEI. The game is based on the three kingdoms period in China (189-280). Romance of the three Kingdoms were also the basis for the popular Playstation series Dynasty Warrior. However, unlike Dynasty Warrior, this game is more strategical.

While this game might be pale to comparison with Romance of the three Kingdoms 4: Wall of Fire. Nevertheless if you compare it with the second game, you could notice huge improvement that have been made in this game.

Gameplay

With hundreds of officer that existed historically, this game will be entertaining, especially to ROTK fans. There were 46 cities in the game based on real cities on the real life three kingdoms period, and a lot of battlefield in which the war will took place.

It is also a great feature, that besides controlling military aspect of your country, you could control the economical and social aspect as well. For example, you need to garner the popular support of the townsfolk so that you will get much revenue and to prevent the town folks from rebelling.

There were 6 scenario in total that you could choose. Each with its unique challenge that will be appealing for the player. For example, there is a scenario that starts out with a lot of ruler with small countries, but there are other scenarios that contain only a few rulers. The Ruler you choose will affect the difficulty of the game.

In this game, you will also be able to create your own officer and ruler. This feature is another plus point for the game.

Graphic

The Graphic is okay for an SNES game. More significant character such as ruler and famous officer has their own unique picture. The battlefield was done quite okay as well. With castle and houses were shown in a quite captivating manners.

Even though the graphic of this game is yet to match the fourth game, definitely

it is a huge improvement compared to its predecessor.

Music

In my opinion, the music is able to bring out the atmosphere of the game. However, after playing for sometime, you might find the music to be repetitive. It would be better if the creator of the game put on a more variety of music implemented in it.

Replay Value

This game has a high replay value, considering the fact that two games you play will never be completely similar. With a variety of rulers to choose from, this game could keep you playing for a long time.

3. General Strategy

There are 2 key areas to be taken care of at the beginning of the game. They are your cities defense as well as your popular support. Try to distribute food to your people to raise their popular support. Popular support is quite vital in the game, as higher popular support will reult in a higher tax return. IF your popular support is in red, there is a risk that they might rebel. for your cities defense, there is no guidelines cast in stone over how many soldiers you should have. You need to pay attention to the enemies cities surrounding you. Try to have more soldiers than them to avoid being attacked. Cities with no adjacent enemies cities could be left untouched first, or you might want to move the soldiers in these cities to a more important one.

Next would be your cities domestic development. They consist of Flood Control, Land, Harvest, and Economy. Out of this, try to develop economy using your civil officers. With a higher economy rating, you will get more gold at the beginning of the year.

4. Scenario 1

Dong Zhuo

city: 11- Luoyang Ruler: Dong Zhuo Advisor: Li Ru Economy: 700

Popular Support: 40 Soldier: 24700 Food: 62000 Gold: 4500

Officers: 19

city: 12- Hong Nong Governor: Hua Xiong

Advisor: -Economy: 550

Popular Support: 55 Soldier: 10000 Food: 53000 Gold: 3500 Officers: 5 city: 13- Chang An Governor: Zhu Jun Advisor: Jia Xue Economy: 700

Popular Support: 50 Soldier: 11800 Food: 30000 Gold: 3400

Officers: 7

Han fu

city: 7-Ye Ruler: Han Fu Advisor: -Economy: 450

Popular Support: 65 Soldier: 10000 Food: 45000 Gold: 2200

Kong Rong

Officers: 5

city: 8 - Beihai
Ruler: Kong rong

Advisor: -Economy: 400

Popular Support: 45

Soldier: 8000 Food: 27000 Gold: 2700 Officers: 2

Liu Bei

city: 6 - Pingyuan
Ruler: Liu Bei
Advisor: Guan Yu
Economy: 450

Popular Support: 50

Soldier: 9500 Food: 50000 Gold: 2300 Officers: 3

Tao Qian

city: 18- Xuzhou
Ruler: Tao Qian

Advisor: -Economy: 450

Popular Support: 60 Soldier: 10500 Food: 34000

Gold: 2100 Officers: 5 city: 17- Xia Pi Governor: Che Zhou

Advisor: Economy: 400

Popular Support: 60 Soldier: 10300 Food: 30000 Gold: 2100

Officers: 3

Yuan Shao

city: 5- Nanpi
Ruler: Yuan Shao
Advisor: Tian Feng
Economy: 400

Popular Support: 70 Soldier: 29900 Food: 54000

Food: 54000 Gold: 2800 Officers: 21

Gongsun Zan

city: 2- Beiping Ruler: Gongsun Zan

Advisor: -Economy: 250

Popular Support: 60 Soldier: 11500 Food: 25000 Gold: 1500 Officers: 3

Cao Cao

city: 10 - Chen Liu Ruler: Cao Cao

Advisor: Chen Gong

Economy: 500

Popular Support: 65 Soldier: 23500 Food: 45000 Gold: 3000 Officers: 11

Wang Lang

city: 35 - KuaiJi
Ruler: Wang Lang

Advisor: -Economy: 400

Popular Support: 23

Soldier: 9100 Food: 30000 Gold: 2000 Officers: 3

Qiao Mao

city: 9 - Puyang
Ruler: Qiao Mao

Advisor: Economy: 315

Popular Support: 60

Soldier: 7500 Food: 37000 Gold: 2800 Officers: 1

Kong Zhou

city: 20 - Qiao
Ruler: Kong Zhou

Advisor: -Economy: 450

Popular Support: 60 Soldier: 10000 Food: 40000 Gold: 2300 Officers: 1

Yuan Shu

city: 22 - Wan
Ruler: Yuan Shu

Advisor: Economy: 550

Popular Support: 70 Soldier: 18900 Food: 52000 Gold: 3500 Officers: 11

Liu Yong

city: 32 - Shouchun Ruler: Liu Yong

Advisor: Economy: 500

Popular Support: 48 Soldier: 10500 Food: 33000 Gold: 2300

Officers: 4

city: 33 - Jianye Governor: Taishi Ci

Advisor: -Economy: 450

Popular Support: 50

Soldier: 9500 Food: 40000 Gold: 2300 Officers: 3

Yan Baihu

city: 34 - Wu Ruler: Yan Baihu

Advisor: Economy: 500

Popular Support: 25 Soldier: 10600 Food: 35000 Gold: 1900 Officers: 2

Sun Jian

city: 29 - ChangSha Ruler: Sun Jian Advisor: Cheng Pu Economy: 450

Popular Support: 65 Soldier: 17500 Food: 60000 Gold: 2700 Officers: 9

Liu Biao

city: 24 - Xiangyang

Ruler: Lu Biao Advisor: Kuai Liang

Economy: 600

Popular Support: 80 Soldier: 14700 Food: 53000 Gold: 2600 Officers: 7

city: 26 - Jiang Xia governor: Han Song Advisor: Kuai Yue Economy: 350

Popular Support: 45 Soldier: 9400 Food: 53000

Gold: 2200 Officers: 4

city: 27 - Jiang Ling
Governor: Cai Mao

Advisor: -Economy: 450

Popular Support: 75

Soldier: 8500 Food: 53000 Gold: 2500 Officers: 4

Ma Teng

city: 16 - Xi Liang

Ruler: Ma Teng Advisor: -Economy: 250

Popular Support: 60 Soldier: 12500 Food: 29500

Gold: 1700 Officers: 4

Liu Yan

city: 41 - Cheng Dou

Ruler: Liu Yan Advisor: -Economy: 500

Popular Support: 68 Soldier: 13000 Food: 41000 Gold: 2300 Officers: 9

city: 40 - Zi Tong Governor: Yang Huai

Advisor: Economy: 400

Popular Support: 63 Soldier: 9000

Food: 30000 Gold: 2200 Officers: 2

city: 43 - Jiang Zhou
Governor: Yan Yan

Advisor: Economy: 350

Popular Support: 40

Soldier: 8300 Food: 36000 Gold: 2200 Officers: 1

5. Tips and Hints

Super Advisors

Advisors with intelligence rating of 100 or more will always give the right advice.

Unfortunately,

in the game Zhuge Liang is the only one with an original intelligence rating of 100. However,

could raise your advisors intelligence rating using items such as War Manual of Sun Tzu.

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