Welcome to Randypap 1.2

Randypap is a Windows 3.x or 95 program that will let your Wallpaper change when you want it to.

Supplied in this archive are the following files:-

`RANDYPAP.EXE`	The program file.
`RANDYPAP.HLP`	The Help file
`SAMPLES.ZIP`	Some sample wallpapers to be getting on with.
`README.WRI`	This file.

Randypap will create a file called `RANDYPAP.INI` in the same directory as the program files. It will not create other files in other parts of your system, nor will it tinker with your system registry.

In addition, you will need to have the file `PKUNZIP.EXE` which is NOT supplied here and which you should obtain separately.

It is recommended that all the files used by Randypap are stored in a separate directory and this directory is not shared with anything else. This way your system will be kept nice and tidy.

The first time.

The first time you use Randypap, you will need to tell it where two essential files are on your system - the PKUNZIP program and the Zip file containing your wallpaper. If you know the file name and path, just type it in. Most likely you won't know it though, in which case you can either manually browse the system or get it to scan it automatically.

How it works.

Randypap uses a ZIP file to store your selection of Wallpapers. Using a ZIP file means that the files will be compressed and therefore take up less storage on the hard disk. When you extract a file from the Zip it is renamed to RANDY.BMP and Windows is told to refresh the Wallpaper. *Voila.*

How to use it.
Randypap can be set up in one of three ways. You can set it up to change the Wallpaper automatically when it starts and then sit as an icon at the bottom of the screen. Or you can set it up so that the Wallpaper will change automatically every so often while you are working. Or you can set it up so that it will only change the Wallpaper when you tell it to.

You can tell Randypap to extract the Wallpaper files from the Zip file in sequence or in a random order, and you can specify whether or not you want a sound effect when the Wallpaper changes. By the way, sound effects will only work if your machine is capable of playing sounds.

For best results, you should set your system up so that Randypap loads automatically when Windows is started. You can do this with one of the options in the Setup screen. The method used to implement this, incidentally, is the RUN= option in WIN.INI.

Your Wallpaper Files
Randypap will assume that any BMP file in your ZIP file is a suitable Wallpaper. It is up to you to create the ZIP file, and add to it whatever files you wish.

Each file can be set to display either Tiled, Centred or Expanded.

Tiled Wallpaper is ideal for small repeating patterns, such as many of the ones supplied with Windows. The pattern tesselates so as to fill the entire screen.
Centred Wallpaper is ideal for a larger picture. A few examples are included in the SAMPLES file.
Expanded Wallpaper is only available if you have Windows 95 and the Plus! pack installed. Assuming you do have this, it expands a smaller picture so as to fully fill the screen. If you don't have the Plus! pack it will behave in the same way as Centred.

Special notes for Windows 95 Users.
Randypap works just fine under Windows 95, but the ZIP file cannot use Long Filenames for your BMP files.
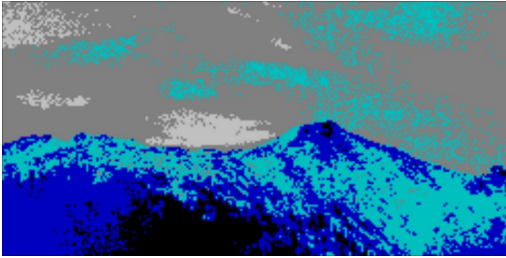
How to pay for Randypap.
You have probably obtained Randypap for free, but, like all great software, it has taken many hours of hard work to put together. The price is just Ten Pounds stirling, or Fifteen

American Dollars, or 80 French Francs. If you send me some cash you will receive in return:-

A Secret password, which prevents the Nag Screen from showing.
Details of upgrades etc.
Great happiness and a feeling of worthiness.

Send your cash or a cheque drawn on a UK Bank to:-

Richard Marks
6 Grand Avenue
London N10 3AY

What is new in version 1.1
Faster loading, faster saving, capacity for bigger zip files, less GPF's,
but STILL THE SAME PRICE
What is new in version 1.2
All the previous features, but with less bugs and with a few cosmetic improvements.

The Small Print.