

Freeloader

A Cheapass Game for 3-6 Losers.



Dear Diary:

The best things in life are free.

Other peoples' things.

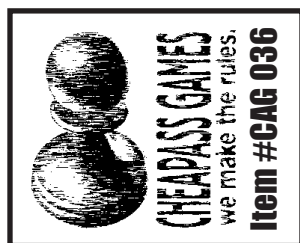
I think it's a shame that Doctor Goettsch owns so many nice things, but never has the time to use them.

It's almost like I'm doing him a favor when I borrow his golf clubs. Now he knows they're getting some use. And if he ever actually needs them, he knows where to find me.

I'm sleeping on the floor at Anthony's house. He's a Gambler, and he's got the best leftovers in town! And those silk suits he never wears are almost all my size.

Tomorrow I should figure out where he keeps the keys to that car he never drives.

You Need: One pawn and about 30 counters for each player, and at least four 6-sided dice.



About Cheapass Games:

We here at **Cheapass Games** are aware of two basic facts about board games: they cost too much, and they are at some level all the same.

If you ignore the clever shapes they come in, the cheap little plastic pawns are an interchangeable part of most of the board games in your house. So are the dice, the money, the counters, the pencils, and just about every other random spare part. These generic bits and pieces can account for as much as 75% of a game's production cost, and that cost gets handed to you.

If you had your choice, you'd probably invest a little bit of money in one **good** set of gaming paraphernalia instead of twenty crappy ones, and then just buy the new part of every "new" game. Yet most companies insist on selling you the whole package every time; it's a little like bundling a can opener with a can of beans.

Cheapass Games come packaged with the bare essentials: boards, cards, and rulebooks. If you need anything else we'll tell you. And it's probably something you can scrounge from a game you already own, or buy at a hobby store. Heck, if you need to, you can even buy the parts from us.

And once you've assembled your collection of generic game pieces, you can use them for every new **Cheapass Game**. We've standardized our designs so your gaming toolbox will last.

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Freeloader is a board game about cashing in favors to borrow tons of stuff. You and your friends are seasoned freeloaders who have descended on an unsuspecting neighborhood of genuinely nice people.

Players move from house to house drawing cards and earning favors from their unsuspecting marks. When you've got enough favors built up, you can trade them for free stuff. Borrow the Artist's car, get some free food from the Waitress, or see if you can get your hands on the Gambler's lucky dice. You need the most points to win the game, but you've also got to have food, clothing, and shelter. Without those three, you don't even qualify to win. Even if you've "borrowed" the Doctor's Wife.

If you like Freeloader you should try our other board games, like Kill Doctor Lucky, Deadwood, and Unexploded Cow.