The quest for the Masks of Power has grown more dangerous with each day. The amazing feats of the Toa have drawn the attention of Makuta, who is preparing to unleash the power of the Rahi – and the natural forces of the island itself – against the six heroes.

The fate of Mata Nui and all who dwell upon it may be decided this day...
I am the shape in the shadows. I am the darkness in the heart of Mata Nui.

I live in the dread stories told by the Turaga around the village fires.

The dark creatures – the Manas, the Rahi – are my servants.

I am Makuta.
Those who dare to challenge me... as the Toa have done...

... will be defeated.
Lewa's safety is an illusion. One the jaws of Muaka will dispel.

Lewa will be the first to fall, and then... but what is this?!

No! Rahi cannot be defeated!
Welcome, Toa of water.
Do not be afraid— your body is safe in the ocean’s embrace. Only your mind has journeyed here to behold your future.

What is this place? Who are you?

We are what you and the other Toa shall become. When each of you has found all the Great Masks of Power, then shall you be ready to join together and defeat Makuta.

Three shall become Wairuha, and walk the path of wisdom.
Three shall become myself, Akamai, and walk the path of the warrior.

Remember, Gali. Only by uniting will the Toa find the strength to triumph. For now, child of the waters, farewell…
Wait! I must know more!

I felt it was time we met again. This place holds dangers we never dreamed of... maybe even more than any of us can handle alone.

It's all right, Gali. The Rahi have fled.

I had the strangest vision...

We can talk about it later. Onua has called a meeting -- the others are waiting for us near his landing site.

We need to learn to work together. Our future depends on it.

I don't know. I'm still not much for teaming up.

Then again, there's nothing like a little togetherness.

How convenient. The Toa have gathered together... saving me the trouble of hunting them down.
Sure, Onua. But what are you going to do once we're there?

Watch and learn.

That lava flow could destroy the entire island. You have the Mask of Speed--can you get me there?

I thought Tahu was the expert on lava.

He is, but my people live underground--molten rock is nothing new to me.

That lava flow could destroy the entire island. You have the Mask of Speed--can you get me there?

Your speed and my digging combined...

He is, but my people live underground--molten rock is nothing new to me.

...create a trench to catch the lava flow...

Tahu couldn't have done better.

...so it doesn't harm the island.

So it doesn't harm the island.

Tahu couldn't have done better.
The Manas are the most powerful guardians of the evil Makuta! No single Toa can hope to withstand this crab-like beast’s fierce claws - only by combining their powers and skills can the Toa hope to prevail. When they aren’t fighting the enemies of Makuta, the Manas stay combat-ready by challenging each other to awesome battles!

Pit your Manas against each other in claw-to-claw action!
Use the remote controls to make the Manas fight for you! You and a friend can challenge each other to an all-out Manas battle—knock the mask off your friend’s Manas and you win! The infrared remote control lets you move the Manas backward or forward and box with its right claw, left claw, or both claws at once!

Like all Rahi, the Manas can be defeated by knocking off their infected masks. No one knows if a mask-less Manas can be tamed, however, because no one has ever survived an encounter with Makuta’s guardians.
The volcano drew two of the Toa away. My Rahi will show the others they were fools to challenge the power of Makuta.

I hope you won’t mind if I keep it chilled for later.

Uh-oh. Looks like Tahu’s about to have some unpleasant company.
A FEW THOUSAND TONS OF SAND WILL DOUSE TOA TAHU’S FIRE FOR GOOD…

MAKUTA TURNS THIS VERY ISLAND AGAINST US! BUT WITH ONLY A FRACTION OF MY POWER…

...SAND BECOMES GLASS!
Too bad I haven’t found the Mask of Levitation yet…

...Because the ground is a long way down!

But perhaps… if I heat the air below me… it will slow my fall enough…

...That I can catch you with ease, Tahu. You should really seek out--

The Mask of Levitation. I know, I know.
I have the power of the Mask of Shielding, but you have no protection from their attack, Gali.

As long as the underground waters obey my commands...

...It is Makuta and his creatures that need protection!
More Rahi nightmares on the wing. I believe I have had--

These Toa are more dangerous than I imagined.

But there is nothing they can do to stop my Nui-Rama.

--Enough of this!
I almost feel sorry for Makuta, trying to take us all on. I have no use for teams... but I will assist when I'm needed.

Same here. The Masks of Power are as good as ours!

I have won our first battle... but there will be more. Then let Makuta tremble this day--

We must be prepared to fight them, separately and together.

I almost feel sorry for Makuta, trying to take us all on.

We stand together, until Mata Nui is free!

It's over... for now. But when next the Toa challenge Makuta, not all their power will save them.

We have won our first battle... but there will be more.

We stand together, until Mata Nui is free!
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Be part of the adventure on Mata Nui!

Discover the secrets of the Manas, guardians of Makuta!

Collect the ultimate Kanohi!

Some of the most powerful Kanohi Masks of Power require great effort to find, even for the Toa. But here are the secrets of a few of these masks, including where you can locate them:

Kanohi Vahi
The Great Mask of Time

The wearer of this mask is able to slow the passage of time, in order to move faster than his opponents. Look for this awesome Kanohi in the BIONICLE PC game this December!

Gold Masks

The gold masks are easily the most powerful Kanohi, containing the energies of Kanohi Miru, Akaku, Kaukau, Hau, Pakari, and Kakama. A Toa wearing a gold mask can access all of the powers of the Kanohi masks at will. Coming in 2002...look for the gold colored mask in BIONICLE sets available this February.

Infected Mask

Infected Kanohi masks are tainted by the evil power of Makuta. They appear scarred, rusted and pitted. Anyone who dons an infected mask becomes a servant of Makuta and will obey his will until the mask is removed. You can find infected masks in the BIONICLE Mask Packs and in #8538 Muaka & Kane-Ra.

Copper Mask of Victory

This ceremonial mask is awarded to the champion in village games. As such, it is highly prized by all the islanders of Mata Nui. In an effort to crush the morale of those who resist his power, Makuta has ordered his Rahi to gather the copper masks and conceal them. No one is quite sure where they can be found!
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