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TITLE

Mac OS 8: No Sleep Choice in Special Menu

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TOPIC

I just did a clean install of Mac OS 8 on my PowerBook. Now when I go to select Sleep from the Special Menu I only have the choices of Empty Trash, Eject and Shut Down. How do I put the PowerBook to sleep? Did I install Mac OS 8 wrong?

DISCUSSION

You are most likely in Mac OS 8's "Simple Finder" mode. When in this mode you only have access to the essential features and commands.

To change from "Simple Finder" mode, follow these steps:

- Go to the Edit Menu and select Preferences.
- In the Prefences dialog box uncheck the Simple Finder check box.
- Then close up the Preferences window and Sleep should now be an available selection under the Special Menu.

"Simple Finder" mode will simplify your menu selections down to the following choices:

The Apple Menu will stay the same.

The File Menu will have:

New Folder

Open

Close Window

Duplicate

Find

Edit Menu:

Cut

Copy

Paste

Preferences

View Menu:

as Icons

as Buttons

as List

Special Menu:

Empty Trash

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