

Re: gaim

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Brian T. Rowe wrote:

>> *Gaim is a great program, but be prepared to upgrade it at least once a
>> month. MSN and Yahoo have a tendency to alter their protocols, on
>> occasion. When in doubt, check gaim.sourceforge.net for the latest news.*

I didn't find that I had to update mine that often.

Jerry Ward <jerry@ward-home.co.uk> wrote:

> *I have just completed a Redhat9 installed and upgraded all the packages
> via the Redhat Network. However Gaim 0.75 always reports (after sending
> password) 'Error Reading from Server'. I've not been able to login yet
> and I don't really want for have to install KDE so I can use Kopete. Any
> ideas?*

I've been finding Yahoo difficult to log onto the last few days, but
ICQ, Jabber and MSN are all logging in quite quickly (same as usual).

Are you sure that you've got your details entered correctly? Some of
the protocols require you to specify an entire address as your
"screenname" (your account), such as username@hotmail, others require
just the username and you enter the service address in a different area
(like for Jabber).

Other than that, what about your firewall settings? Are you allowing it
to connect?

> *I have seen AMSN but that's a total rip-off.*

"Rip off"? Unless that's a different client than what I'm thinking of,
it's free.

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My "from" address is totally fake. The reply-to address is real, but
may be only temporary. Reply to usenet postings in the same place as
you read the message you're replying to.
This message was sent without a virus, please delete some files yourself.