

Re: blue screen error – Symbols can not be loaded...

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See Gerry's reply.

jgb555 wrote:

not sure. i did a find for "stop" and didnt see anything. is there another way to look?

"PA Bear [MS MVP]" wrote:

Got a STOP error w/parameters?

jgb555 wrote:

I have been getting blue screen errors about once every 3 weeks. I was hoping it would magically stop but it hasnt. Before I ship my notebook to the manufacturer who was beyond useless, I did a little research and was able to download the debugging tools and open the .dmp files. They all say the same type of stuff which is:
Symbols can not be loaded because symbol path is not initialized.
The Symbol Path can be set by:
using the `_NT_SYMBOL_PATH` environment variable.
using the `-y <symbol_path>` argument when starting the debugger.
using `.sympath` and `.sympath+`

There's a whole bunch of stuff about symbols like the above and here is another:
Your debugger is not using the correct symbols

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So is this what is causing my blue screen issues or is this saying i cant use the debugger to tell me what is causing the issues?