

# Steam won't open in Ubuntu 15.10 or 16.04

Found the solution to this one on a forum, buried under a pile of messages. Anyway, the idea was that Steam uses it's own dynamic libraries but Ubuntu comes with some newer ones...

NOTE: If you're just installing Steam for the first time, you will need to run the commands a second time after the initial update. This will take a looong time!

```
mv ~/.local/share/Steam/ubuntu12_32/steam-runtime/i386/lib/i386-linux-gnu/libgcc_s.so.1{,.disable}  
mv ~/.local/share/Steam/ubuntu12_32/steam-runtime/i386/usr/lib/i386-linux-gnu/libstdc++.so.6{,.disable}
```

From:

<https://wiki.plecko.hr/> - **Eureka Moment**

Permanent link:

[https://wiki.plecko.hr/doku.php?id=linux:ubuntu:steam\\_not\\_open](https://wiki.plecko.hr/doku.php?id=linux:ubuntu:steam_not_open)

Last update: **2019/10/31 09:05**

