

Website Mistake #



YOUR WEBSITE DOES NOT HAVE A CLEAR PURPOSE AND VISITOR BENEFITS





DON'T MAKE ME THINK !

- STEVE KRUG





USE A LARGE HEADLINE EXPLAINING WHAT THE SITE IS ABOUT





BLABLABLALA BLABLA.

USE A TAGLINE NEAR THE LOGO





EVERYONE IS LISTENING TO "WII FM"





DON'T MAKE THE VISITOR HAVE TO FIGURE IT OUT



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YOUR WEBSITE DOES NOT HAVE A STRONG, CLEAR CALL TO ACTION



USE A BUTTON THAT LOOKS <u>CLICKABLE</u>



SET STARTED IN SECONDS











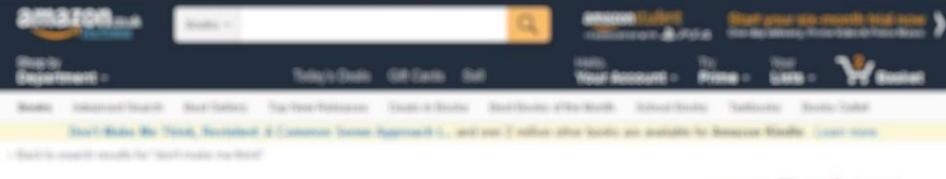






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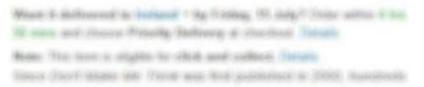




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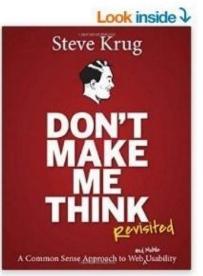








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YOUR WEBSITE DOES NOT HAVE A GOOD DESIGN AESTHETIC



DESIGN IS SOMEWHAT SUBJECTIVE BUT BASIC PRINCIPLES STILL APPLY.









Use 2 different fonts at most.







IF IT'S TOO BARE ADD TEXTURES & IMAGES





Website Mistake

















YOUR WEBSITE DOES NOT HAVE A GOOD <u>About</u> Page





2ND MOST VISITED PAGE ON WEBSITES



BUILDS TRUST WITH POTENTIAL CUSTOMERS





WHY YOU SERVE YOUR PARTICULAR CUSTOMERS





STAFF PHOTOS, NAMES, SHORT BIO'S





STREET ADDRESS, PHOTOS, PHONE NUMBER





BACK-STORY OF THE BUSINESS



Website Mistake



YOUR WEBSITE SHOULD LOAD FAST FOR VISITORS





WEB VISITORS ARE IMPATIENT





DON'T MAKE ME WAIT!

- EVERYONE



OVER 50% OF THEM LEAVE AFTER 8 SECONDS







FASTER SITES RANK BETTER ON GOOGLE





TURN ON "CACHING"





GET GOOD HOSTING

WEBSITEDOCTOR.COM/HOSTING FOR ADVICE



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YOUR WEBSITE DOES NOT HAVE A COMPELLING EMAIL OPT-IN INCENTIVE





"BUILD A LIST"





97% OF VISITORS LEAVE AND NEVER COME BACK





OFFER A COMPELLING FREE RESOURCE





NEWSLETTERS ARE NOT A GOOD OPT-IN INCENTIVE





IT MUST HELP THE VISITOR SOLVE THEIR PROBLEM



MAKE IT QUICK TO CONSUME BUT GENUINELY VALUABLE





THEN BUILD TRUST & CREDIBILITY







YOUR DOMAIN IS YOUR MOST VALUABLE ONLINE ASSET - <u>Own IT.</u>





REGISTER YOUR BRAND NAMES





BUY YOUR DOMAINS FROM A REPUTABLE COMPANY





KEEP THEM SEPARATE FROM WEB HOSTING



MAKE IT EASY ... TO SAY





MAKE IT EASY ... TO TYPE





MAKE IT EASY ... TO REMEMBER





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