



SermonIndex Support :: Problem ?

Problem ?, on: 2008/1/15 17:58

Brother, I normally come here by just typing "sermonindex.net" into my browser - but today instead of this site --- I got this site -

<http://semonindex.net/>

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Re: Problem ? - posted by iansmith (), on: 2008/1/15 18:24

It's missing the R. What you see is commonly known as domain squatting. In the case of a commonly known domain name such as google.com, someone else will register goggle.com, or gooole.com, or ggggle.com etc. hoping for misspellings. They then sell advertising space on these pages, if enough traffic is diverted to attract the attention of the original domain they may have get bought out.

In the case of one web ministry with the address Interchristo.com, another person registered Interchristo.org, and another Interchristo.net, and even Interchristo.com with an H. All of these other domains were to divert traffic away from the main domain, it leads to a lot of confusion. In the case of Interchristo, they were able to obtain all of the other domains through legal means so now they all lead to Interchristo.com.

Re:, on: 2008/1/15 18:30

Duhhhhhhh!

Thank you Brother - I'm laughing so hard the tears are flowing - but --- what on earth?

Seems like others must have made that mistake before too ?

Thanks Brother.

I'll remember that R 'now'. :-?

Edit to your edit. Ohhhhh, so it is sort of intentional. Naughty.

Re:, on: 2008/1/15 18:37

Quote:

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Very naughty practice.

Thanks again Ian.

EDITED.

Re: Problem ? - posted by JasonJC, on: 2008/1/18 13:34

hehe *chuckle* :-D

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