#### Marlon's Marketing Minute Vol. 6, #15, April 23, 2011

Hello,

Marlon here.

In this issue:

### "Can You <u>Really</u> Get Your Ad On Facebook In 5 Minutes?"

# (And What Happened When I Tested 383 Age, Sex & Country Combinations?)

This is an AWESOME issue.

Are you only 5 minutes away from a successful Facebook ad?

You'll find out this issue!

Traffic Dashboard Quickstart Calls were held and are posted in your bonuses area. Now, someone reported that one of the webinars didn't have the whole recording up so we'll check this out on Monday and get it straight for you.

Marlon Sanders

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My friend Doug Champigny also did a wonderful job of promoting and put a lot into it. Thank you Doug. Daniel Tan from seopressor.com also sent me very quality traffic. Thanks Daniel.

This issue contains:

A. Who Else Wants 60% Front End and 50% Back End?

B. Announcements from Marlon (Important)

C. Main Article: Can You Really Get Your Ad On Facebook In 5 Minutes?

D. Services You Can Use

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#### New Bonus – Watch Me Generate a Boatload Of Traffic – LIVE!!

http://www.thetrafficdashboard.com

It's the only step-by-step, A to Z system not JUST for creating info products .... but that shows you HOW to select product ideas using my "flanking move" I've built my business on, HOW to do 12-product surveys with an actual example, that gives you a tested, proven email & source witha 30% success rate in getting interviews with experts -- PLUS, templates that would cost your more than the Dashboard to have custom created! ~^^^^

#### A. Who Else Wants 60% Front End and 50% Back End?

The <u>Traffic Dashboard</u> is 3,373 on Alexa in the U.S. out of over 13 million sites ranked by Alexa. It pays 60% on the front end and 50% on the back end.

If you you want a chance at promoting what I believe has a shot at product of the year in 2011 go to:

http://thetrafficdashboard.com/affiliates/

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#### **B. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM MARLON**

#### **One: How To ACCESS Your Traffic Dashboard**

#### a. The Traffic Dashboard login is:

http://www.getyourproduct.com

However, we've moved to the infusionwp system which means if you buy today or later, your login will be: http://www.getyourproduct.com/yourproduct

#### b. The Traffic Dashboard Turbo is at:

http://www.productlogin.com

The user/pass here is NOT automtically the same as your Traffic Dashboard login. It's whatever you chose.

Two: How to Get Support

a. Do NOT email us. Please.

Go to:

http://www.getyoursupport.com

Three: Ateam

Holy smokes, last Thursday was awesome.....I walked A to Z through setting up your squeeze page, thank you pages, the whole funnel.

Four: Facebook Like Reveal

I figured out the iframe like reveal. Super EASY and will be doing a video on it shortly for buyers of the previous Facebook Like Reveal and Traffic Dash.

#### Five: Google Farmer

I ADDED an audio link with Sean Mize in Traffic Dashboard where he discusses Google Farmer update and article marketing in depth. It's on row 1 in one of the icons.

Also, I WILL also post a link to a video where Rusty explains the same and how it effects the 0 to 1,000 visitors as day plan.

Please be patient on me adding these things. With this launch, it's been crazy and I don't have the large staff I used ot.

#### C. Today's Article:

### "Can You <u>Really</u> Get Your Ad On Facebook In 5 Minutes?"

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No freaking way.

Are you serious?

Get an ad up and running on Facebook in only 5 minutes. Is that possible?

That's the question I tackle in today's Marlon's Marketing Minute.

#### Step One: Click Ads and Pages

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|--|--|
| Marlon Sanders<br>Edit My Profile  |  |
| 🗈 News Feed  |  |
| Messages         238           31         Events         23           A         Friends         661                          |  |
| <ul> <li>Solo Ad Marketplace 1</li> <li>Learning and Usi</li> <li>Business</li> <li>Create Group</li> <li>See All</li> </ul> |  |
| Ads and Pages<br>Game Requests<br>App Requests<br>More -   |  |
| <mark>Step Two: Click Create Ad</mark><br>Home Profile Account <del>-</del>  |  |
| Create an Ad   |  |

This step COULD look different for you. You might have to hunt around for the create an ad button. And the reason I say that is since I'm already running ads, I can't see the screen you see. I'd create test account but Facebook doesn't allow you to have more than one.

Anyway, hunt down that green sucker and CLICK IT!

#### Step Three: Select External URL

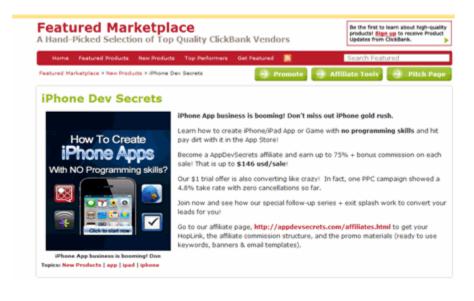
#### Advertise on Facebook

1. Design Your Ad

| Destination: | External URL  | [2]           |
|--------------|---|---------------|
|              | External URL  |               |
| URL:         | Pages<br>Promov ashboard<br>600 Visitors Daily With Squidoo?<br>Marlons test 2  | Suggest an Ad |
| Title:       | Squidoo Secrets<br>Want More Online Sales?<br>Subscribe   | [2]           |
| Body:        | Subscribe<br>Subscribe<br>New Product 1<br>Facebook Fan Page Test   | [7]           |
| Image:       | Internet Marketing Gecrets<br>Sales Letters<br>Truth About Internet Marketing<br>Applications<br>DISQUS Comments [amazingformula] |               |

#### Step Four: Type In Your External URL

In this case, I went to Clickbank.com, clicked on "marketplace" and found a product to promote:



I clicked on the green "promote" button and put in my Clickbank username I got when I signed up as an affiliate.

Now I just copy and paste in that URL:

| 두 Advertise on Face | ebook  |   |               |     |
|---------------------|--|---|---------------|-----|
| 1. Design Your Ad   |  |   |               |     |
| Destination:        | External URL   | • | [?]           |     |
| URL:                | http://161a3dbdt9yrflj5oox2kknd0m.hop.clickbank.net/ |   | Suggest an Ad | [?] |

You put the URL in there of WHATEVER product you're promoting, whether it's your own or someone else's. If you were promoting MY products, you'd put your affiliate URL in there.

Step Five: Click Suggest An Ad

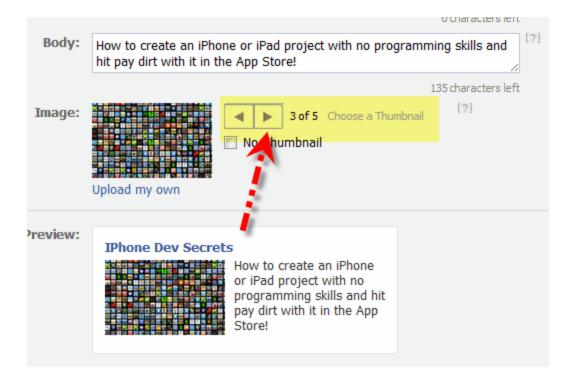
#### Representation Advertise on Facebook

1. Design Your Ad

| Destination: | External URL  | [?]               |
|--------------|---|-------------------|
| URL:         | http://161a3dbdt9yrflj5oox2kknd0m.hop.clickbank.net/  | Suggest an Ad [?] |
| Title:       | IPhone Dev Secrets 0 characters lef   | [?]               |
| Body:        | How to create an iPhone or iPad project with no programming skills and<br>hit pay dirt with it in the App Store!  |                   |
| Image:       | Phone 2 of 5 Choose a Thumbnail [?]   |                   |
|              | Upload my own   |                   |
| Preview:     | IPhone Dev Secrets         Image: White Secrets         How to create an iPhone or iPad project with no programming skills and hit pay dirt with it in the App Store! |                   |

Facebook LITERALLY created this ad for me! All I did was click the little arrow there to the right of the image that says "Choose a Thumbnail" and that let me scroll through several photos I found on the page.

I could JUST as easily chosen this picture:



You see? All I did was click that arrow and it found this other pix. Now, that's not a very descriptive picture so I'm goin' with the box. If the photos aren't good, then go to bigstockphoto.com and buy a photo for a buck.

Some people like to try photos that SCREAM for attention like THIS one I found:



#### Step Six: Add A Call To Action

You'll notice that it found that text and put it in the ad for me but there is no call to action.

So add somethin' tellin' 'em to CLICK!



Being the GENIUS copywriter I am, I added "Read more here."

You know what?

That iPhone picture is so awesome I bought it. Now, I figure I can't run this ad on the interest of iPhone because those people aren't programmers. I'm guessing programmers might buy this.

So I removed the words "with no programming skills" since that might turn off programmers. And I added the photo:



I bought that in a jiffy at bigstockphoto.com for a buck (choose the small size) and uploaded it.

I added a question mark in the headline.

This looks good!

Step Seven: Choose Your Targeting

I chose US for the country. I'd run separate ads for UK, Australia and Canada. One for each country. I chose males. I would run a separate ad for females. For the INTEREST I chose "programmer".

Now, this campaign has a bit of a flaw. There isn't an EASY to choose interest that screams that the person would WANT this product. I have NO idea if programmers are interested in developing apps for the iphone. It's a guess.

But I'll come back to that in a minute. Let's look at the targeting:

| Location                |                               |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Country: [?]            | United S                      | tates 😿       |                      |   |  |  |  |
|                         | Enter a co                    |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
|                         |                               | e/Province    | ?]                   |   |  |  |  |
|                         | © By City                     |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
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| Demographics            |                               |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
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| Court [2]               |                               |               |                      | a de la casa |  |  |  |
| Sex: 191                | ⊚ All                         | Men           | ×                    | men   |  |  |  |
| Likes & Interests       |                               |               | . 19 <sup>66</sup> - |   |  |  |  |
|                         |                               |               | - 60 <sup></sup>     |   |  |  |  |
|                         | Program                       | mer 🗙         |                      |   |  |  |  |
|                         |                               |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
| Connections on Facebook | :                             |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
| Connectiones [2]        | <u>.</u>                      |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
| Connections: [?]        | -                             |               | on targeting         | -   |  |  |  |
|                         | Advanced connection targeting |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
| Advanced Demographics   |                               |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
|                         |                               |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
| Birthday:               |                               | people on th  | eir birthda          | ys  |  |  |  |
| Interested In: [?]      | All                           | Men           | ⊚ Wo                 | men   |  |  |  |
| Relationship: [?]       | 🔽 All                         | Single        | lationship           | Engaged Married   |  |  |  |
| Languages: [?]          | Enter language                |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
|                         |                               |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
| Education & Work        |                               |               |                      |   |  |  |  |
| Education: [?]          | © All                         | Colleg        | e Grad               |   |  |  |  |

I chose college grad because they probably have more money to spend.

The good news is this is a very targeted ad:



I can easily test male vs. female, other countries, other interests on a very targeted basis and see if any of them are profitable.

#### Step Eight: Choose your campaign name, pricing and schedule

| Com    | an a Rudgot              |   |
|--------|--------------------------|---|
| Camp   | oaign & Budget           |   |
| ι.     | Campaign Name:           | Wordpress   |
| 4      | Budget (USD):            | \$10.00 daily budget                                    |
| Creat  | e a new campaign [?]     |   |
| Sche   | dule                     |   |
| (      | Campaign Schedule:       | 01/31/2011 7:58pm - Ongoing                             |
| Pricir | ng                       |   |
| Pa     | y for Impressions (CPN   | 1)  |
| ⊚ Pa   | y for Clicks (CPC)       |   |
| м      | lax Bid (USD). How m     | uch are you willing to pay per 1000 impressions? (min 0 |
| 0      | ).70                     | Suggested Bid: 0.65 - 1.29 USD                          |
| Note:  | Tax is not included in t | the bids, budgets and other amounts shown.              |
|        | Suggested Bid (Simple N  |   |

I'm creating a new campaign and calling it iphone dev.

It's a GUESS to me whether I pay per click or per impressions. I'm probably better off paying per click since this ad is a long shot. I mean, HOW do I find people with an interest in creating iphone apps?

I raised my budget to \$20 a day and in spite of my better judgement, I'm going CPM.

#### Step Nine: Place Your Order

Just hit that PLACE ORDER button!

Place Order Review Ad

#### Step Ten: CLONE your ads and test other variables

Doing CPM is probably a mistake so I'll run the SAME ad as CPC also.



That LITERALLY clones your ad!

Now all I do is add in my CPC bid:

| Campaign & Budget         |  |
|---------------------------|--|
| Campaign Name:            | iphone dev   |
| Budget (USD):             | \$20.00 daily budget                                   |
| Create a new campaign [?] |  |
| Schedule                  |  |
| Campaign Schedule:        | 04/23/2011 7:52am - Ongoing                            |
| Pricing                   |  |
| Pay for Impressions (CPN) | 1)   |
| Pay for Clicks (CPC)      |  |
| Max Bid (USD). How m      | uch are you willing to pay per click? (min 0.01 USD) [ |
| 0.73                      | Suggested Bid: 0.72 - 1.05 USD                         |

I figure I'll be a BIG spender and go a penny above the low bid. Some people go  $\frac{1}{2}$  way in between. Some people go  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the BOTTOM bid!

There are all kinds of theories about bidding. Some love CPM (you pay \$X for every 1,000 times your ad is shown.) Others love CPC where you pay ONLY when someone clicks your ad.

I can JUST as easily:

- \* Change the country to Australia, Canada or UK (or wherever).
- \* Change the sex from male to female
- \* Change the ages targeted
- \* Change the "interest" keyword I typed in from "programmer" to somethin' else.

# The Flaw In This Campaign

This campaign is now LIVE pending Facebook review of the ad which should get accepted.

There IS a flaw in it: How do I know if programmers are interested in developing an iPhone app?

Who knows?

A BETTER bet is to use something laser targeted. Here's an ad I placed earlier this morning:



That's NOT the actual ad...for some reason Facebook isn't displaying the ad I created. I DO have a call to action on the one I'll run! But it's basically this ad with a call to action.

This targets people interested in hydroponics.

Now THERE is an easy to target word. But are people interested in hydroponics ALSO interested in Aquaponics? I have NO idea. I don't even know what Aquaponics is. I just grabbed a Clickbank product and put it up.

It's BEST to do ads where you KNOW something about the topic because you have a BETTER idea WHO will be interested in it. The more you can put up an ad that has EXACTLY what the people you're targeting WANT the higher the probability you'll make sales.

**I've done NOTHING in the above examples to match demographics**. I show how to do THAT in the Traffic Dashboard on the Facebook icon and the whole banner advertising row.

It's important to match the demographics of the product's buyers to the people you target on Facebook if your audience is large enough.

With the programmers, I only have 8,000 I'm targeting so I don't have room to narrow it down much more by age.

## Look What Happened When I Tested 383 Age, Sex & Country Combinations

Age CAN make a WHOPPING difference. I showed in the Traffic Dashboard webinar how I did the following test in only minutes. Look at the MASSIVE difference testing by AGES makes:

|             |                  | Ad Name?   | Status? | Bid ?  | Type? | Impressions ? | Social %? | Clicks ? ▼ | CTR ?  | CPC?   | CPM ?  | Spent?  |
|-------------|------------------|--|---------|--------|-------|---------------|-----------|------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| V           | Q <mark>,</mark> | Want 600 Visitors Daily?65+_Male_married_US      | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 82,879        | 32.4%     | 84         | 0.101% | \$0.63 | \$0.64 | \$52.78 |
|             | Q,               | Want 600 Visitors Daily?40-49_Female_married_US  | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 30.066        | 25.8%     | 25         | 0.083% | \$0.72 | \$0.60 | \$18.06 |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?65+_Female_married_US    | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 25,558        | 21.4%     | 24         | 0.094% | \$0.78 | \$0.73 | \$18.77 |
| <b>[</b> ]] | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?65+_Male_relationship_US | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 21,464        | 19.0%     | 21         | 0.098% | \$0.56 | \$0.55 | \$11.70 |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?40-49_Female_single_US   | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 19,263        | 33.1%     | 18         | 0.093% | \$0.60 | \$0.56 | \$10.73 |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?65+_Male_single_CA       | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 18,001        | 16.6%     | 18         | 0.100% | \$0.59 | \$0.59 | \$10.59 |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?50-64_Male_single_US     | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 14,108        | 34.7%     | 15         | 0.106% | \$0.62 | \$0.66 | \$9.27  |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?35-39_Male_single_US     | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 13,018        | 31.0%     | 14         | 0.108% | \$0.60 | \$0.65 | \$8.43  |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?50-64_Female_married_US  | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 13,689        | 36.9%     | 12         | 0.088% | \$0.82 | \$0.72 | \$9.81  |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?65+_Female_married_AU    | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 9,648         | 28.1%     | 11         | 0.114% | \$0.92 | \$1.05 | \$10.09 |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?50-64_Male_married_US    | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 10,200        | 44.0%     | 10         | 0.098% | \$0.85 | \$0.83 | \$8.47  |
|             | Q                | Want 600 Visitors Daily?30-34_Male_married_US    | 00      | \$2.39 | CPC   | 8,466         | 29.3%     | 9          | 0.106% | \$0.80 | \$0.85 | \$7.16  |

Get that. 65+ married males in the U.S. did better on this PARTICULAR ad than any other age, sex or country out of 383 tested.

The awesome thing is it didn't take me long to do this test. Now CAUTION: Using an automated app like the one I used to do this could VIOLATE Facebook's terms of service. I'm trying to get an answer to this and will report my findings. So be careful. Violating Facebook's tos COULD get u banned.

The campaign is paused because I am revamping the Fan Page to collect opt ins. Right now it's only collecting "likes" which is good but not sufficient to justify the .63 per click cost.

If I can get <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> of clicks to opt in, THEN I have a \$1.26 cost per opt in.

My AVERAGE opt in is historically worth \$10-\$12 per year.

# WOULD YOU SPEND \$1.26 TO MAKE \$10?

Now, on my Ateam call on Thursday I showed how my pal James Jones makes \$40 per OPT IN in a year.

Very simple actually.

But I'm not doing what James does 'cause I don't wanna have to work the extra 2 hours a week.

And I certainly don't represent YOU in YOUR niche will make any of the money above. I can ONLY report what I know I do and what talented, successful friends do. You may or may not be able to duplicate or even come close to those results.

I have to say that to be legal. But it's also true.

What I CAN TELL you is THIS:

If you follow the STEPS in this issue, you CAN put up a Facebook campaign in 5-10 minutes using the Facebook wizard just like I've shown you.

Marlon Sanders is the author of "The Traffic Dashboard." If you want to get more traffic now, go to: http://www.thetrafficdashboard.com

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D. "Services You Can Use"

Set up your squeeze pages, autoresponders And email sequences here: <u>http://www.promodashboard.com</u>

PUT UP YOUR WEB SITE? Discover how easy and simple it can be to do your own graphic design (or at least some of it). Plus, find out the exact resources I recommend to save a bundle. Avoid going down the wrong path. <u>http://www.designdashboard.com</u>

NEED A SALES LETTER? <u>http://www.pushbuttonletters.com</u> Many people have copied my software. But there really and truly is only ONE original.

#### A few important words from my lawyer

My lawyer would say to remind you that nothing I talk about in this issue is guaranteed. While \$10 - \$12 a month is an accepted average per subscriber in our business, email addresses do go bad, and every niche is different. The results YOU personally get will depend on many factors. No result in business, any business, is guaranteed (which is why God invented jobs). The idea of making \$40 per subscriber is almost insane and way beyond the average, in spite of the fact that my good friend does it. Understand that I haven't personally inspected his accounting books to verify these numbers, nor would he have any reason to ALLOW me to do so. This is secret information passed along amongst friends. But I DO have a strong basis for believing those numbers are accurate based on my friendship with James and my own experience in my business using the same exact method he uses on occasion. My advice in business is ALWAYS to never spend scared money, never invest money you can't afford to lose and ALWAYS acquire subscribers at ZERO cost, so that whatever you gain is gravy train. Always test small before you invest much and understand that there it does take time to get an email capture page to perform at 50% and results vary by niche. Not only that, it takes time and effort to get OTO's to break even, and it's within the world of possibilities that good, bright, hard working individuals will never be able to do this. If you can't accept risk or tolerate the possibility of loss of time, money, energy, effort, financial and psychic loss, keep your day job and do not even THINK about becoming an entrepreneur nor doing email marketing. There ARE costs involved in running any business, including an email marketing business such as your autoresponder service, web hosting, and outsourcers, as well as the cost to buy ads. There IS the risk that email open rates will continue to decline or that laws will

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