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I cannot 100 percent confirm that I am ready to work on the second version of the website. I think I’m still at the designing phase.

Okay so first things first I just went through and updated the file with the proper <html> metadata. That may solve some of the formatting for the phone, but I’ll have to wait until I push it up for now.

Next that next big part is the links. The big idea is consolidating the products. I don’t want to rid myself of the social media because like in the case of FB I use it like I always use FB it just also happens to be the vehicle for my blogs.

I guess for all the products I have on FB I can have them organized on the website. Instagram is different. I use it for ads, and as a photo repository. The photo’s I can add to the website (including any stills from the fb fermyboutique). The difference between any fb afb stills and instagram photos is that afb isn’t photography. Maybe it’s I’m forgetting the exact word…media manipulation (like how I have my facemask images super imposed on images from the web). Those are two different products or styles but they lead to very different products. (the latter can make it to the MUDD label to be shirts etc), and that is where the final link for afermyboutique can shine. Consolidating here is interesting…I have playlists on FB AFB. Right now they are just products to draw viewership, but how can I capitalize on it further? FB AFB is for items created by me outside of blogs and photos. It covers pretty much everything else.

Ideally the goal is to have the projects on my personal website and use the social media platforms to advertise and if I do so genuinely it should remain a unique experience on its own.

I’ve recently begun using youtube to a greater extent as well.

So design wise I was thinking hovering over any of the links on the website will cause a div to open up, pushing the other elements down and in that div will be a font icon link to the social media, and also a browse on the website link. I want it to be clear that browsing on the website is one experience and browsing on FB is another experience. I was thinking that hovering on either the website link or the icon should trigger a tooltip explaining the benefits of either.

Once I have this UI set up the next task will be to design what clicking on the browse in the website button experience will be like.

Also definitely for the font links clicking them should open another page. I don’t know if that has to be the case for the browse buttons yet.