Let the Computer Do the Work

Ever since I learned to do work with computers I've tried to get them to do most of the work.

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        <IMG vspace=6 SRC="dot.gif" ALT=" " ALIGN=middle WIDTH=2 HEIGHT=2>the various KPT programs from <A HREF="http://www.n</pre>
        <IMG vspace=6 SRC="dot.gif" ALT=" " ALIGN=middle WIDTH=2 HEIGHT=2>Each of the titles above will take you to a
        <IMG vspace=6 SRC="dot.gif" ALT=" " ALIGN=middle WIDTH=2 HEIGHT=2>sketchpad consisting of four images that I will
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        <TD width=190 align=left><!--main images and links to sketchpads-->
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cometside for easy server, includes and variables in 98 via bbedit

Server-side includes, scripting languages, databases beyond perl/cgi -> php ruby python ms-stuff

Blogs & CMS Tools

make tools to automate and expand access to less technical Movable Type, Wordpress, Drupal, Joomla, EE

Publishing

minification, optimization, compression automated delivery, version control, library managment sprite generation, css preprocessing, live reload

Increased Complexity

Some joy goes bye-bye.

Some joy comes back

as we're learning to make better tools.

Simple but Useful

codekit, hammer for mac visual app, simpler feature set ipf example -> required cleanup

A little more kick

middleman, wintersmith, jeckyll, etc cli, ruby, node

Iemplating

Markdown #h1 ##h2 ```code``` **strong** img/a Simple, great for articles, easiest to understand

Scripting

Jade - adds scripting with includes, variables, blocks still no </> crap

Local Dev

wintersmith and middleman server commands

middleman server wintersmith preview

<run mmsv>

Publish + Deploy

wintersmith and middleman commands

wintersmith build
middleman build
middleman deploy

<mmbd mmdp> via rsync

Choose Your Tools

gui vs cli
default template languages
community
documentation