

*“Once there was a man who held a political make-work job, shining brass cannon around a courthouse.*

*“He did this for years. It fed him and let him save a bit, but he was not getting ahead in the world. So one day he quit his job, drew out his savings, bought a brass cannon--and went into business for himself.” - Robert A. Heinlein*

### **It's About Taking Charge**

This isn't your father's "retire with a gold watch" world...

...thank goodness.

You have options that no one has ever had before... if you have the wit and the will to take advantage of them.

If you want to establish a presence on the World Wide Web (and you don't have a five-year-old to explain it to you), don't give up. Help is here.

Check out our original Hands On How To™ website, where we walk you through creating a new domain, making it visible to the rest of the world, and making your page come alive for visitors.

*That's* what we do.

**Find these sites and more at  
<http://brasscannon.net>**

HandsOnHowTo.com  
MEGABITZ Usenet  
Crane Customs Motorcycles  
Dr. Milagros Rivera  
Dr. Paul Hartman  
Greycourt Books  
Levitt House Memories  
Musica Brasileira  
Poland on the Passaic  
Renaissance Artist Puppet Co.  
Ruben & Company  
SimpleshoPHP  
Brazilian Music Links  
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*A child of five could understand this.  
Fetch me a child of five, because I don't understand a word of it.*

- Groucho Marx

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**Let's see what we can do about that.**

- Brass Cannon Consulting



## What can Brass Cannon do for you?

*Any darn fool can make a thing complicated. It takes a genius to make it simple.*

--Pete Seeger

Browsing the web is as easy as watching TV. Putting your business on the Web is more like producing a TV show.

### That's Where We Come In.

There are lots of businesses that will provide you with Web hosting, but they fall into two major types: they expect you to know everything, or they expect you to know nothing, and to pay them to do everything for you.

### We're Different.

We were active on mailing lists and newsgroups even before the Internet opened to public users. We know our way around, and we *enjoy* giving guided tours..

*BCC was founded in 1986, six years before most people could get Internet access.*

The name **Brass Cannon** is our way of saying "You can do more for yourself than you think you can."

### What Do We Offer You?

**We offer domain name registrations** at a very reasonable cost. We're competitive with any large registry and offer a level of service to individuals that those big companies cannot hope to match.

**We offer support services** that other providers gloss over – for example, owning a domain name doesn't do you any good if it isn't backed up with "name service." We not only provide it, we also explain what it is and *why* you need it.

**You don't have to move your site** to Brass Cannon to benefit from our consulting services. We take the time to understand your site and your needs, and we make sure your existing service provider understands them as well.

**If you need web hosting**, we provide it at a reasonable price. Unlike "free" web servers, we never treat your content as an excuse to show ads to your visitors.

**We can teach you what you need to know**, at your own pace, as you need to learn it. Eventually, you may want to move to a dedicated server of your own – we'll help you do that. We don't hold your site hostage.

"No, just *make it work!*" We can do that, too.

*BCC has Internet servers in Virginia, California, Texas, and Oregon.*

### How About A Free Sample?

- **handsonhowto.com** for no-nonsense Hands-On How To™ computer help.
- **brasscannon.org** for Open Source tips and discussions

### Can't wait? Need help *now*?

- **brasscannon.com** for system consulting services
- **brasscannon.net** for domain name registrations and hosting



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'I Want Complete Control of My Internet Presence'

We can give you that.

'Just Make The Dang Thing Work!'

We can do that, too.