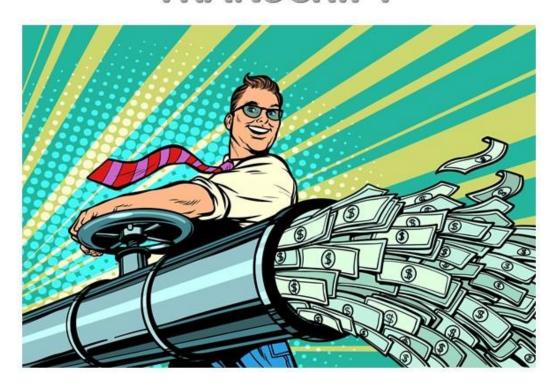
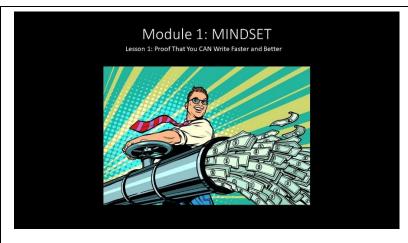


# MINDSET - Lesson 1: Proof That You CAN Write Faster TRANSCRIPT





Welcome to Module number one, which is on MINDSET, because it's very important to have the right mindset in order to write killer copy fast.

This first lesson is on PROOF because I'm going to provide proof that you ALREADY have the ability to write faster and better – with or WITHOUT the use of tools like AI and ChatGPT...



Now the first thing you must embrace is the reality that writing fast is a beautiful thing.

Get over the idea that the best way to write means taking your time, plodding through it word by word, carefully crafting, carefully designing every single element.

## WRONG.

Fast is a good thing because money is attracted to speed. You want to get things done quickly.



You also must believe that you can write faster. It is NOT something you're incapable of doing.

You can absolutely write copy much more quickly than you probably do right now.

Yes – tools like ChatGPT can help, and we'll cover those in this program. But on your own, using the skills you already have, you CAN write faster.



Again, as I noted earlier, writing slower is not necessarily better.

Taking all the time in the world to create a sales letter or a webpage or a postcard is absolutely not to your advantage.



There's a lot of great things about being fast. Dan Kennedy likes to say that "Money is attracted to speed."

Jack Welch, when he took over GE as CEO told his employees, "We want to do everything we do quicker than we do it now."

Speed attracts money and getting things out the door matters. When you get your copy written quickly, when you get it done fast, it gets your copy into the market so it can be tested.

You can't know how it's going to perform if it's not out the door. Copy must be TESTED.

Finally, FAST means you will make more money because you get more done.



Get over the idea there's some kind of correlation between quality and speed. It doesn't exist.

Barbara Cartland the famous novelist wrote a book a week for years. Now, I'm not saying that every book was great literature - but it was very effective literature. It made her a wonderful living and enriched the lives of millions.

The Barber of Seville was written in two to three weeks. It's an amazing

opera that's definitely a work of art and has beat the test of time.

Doctor Jekyll and Mr. Hyde was written in 72 hours.

Anthony Burgess wrote "A Clockwork Orange," a fantastic novel, in just three weeks.

And Mickey Spillane wrote the book "I, The Jury" in just nine days. It sold 7 million copies in three years.

So again, no correlation between quality and speed. Get over that idea.

# EXAMPLE: Written in just 25 minutes produced \$300,000+ in sales!



"Attention: If You Lived or Worked At This Location On September 11, 2001 AND Currently Suffer from Any One of a Wide Range of Locates, You May Be Eligible for Compensation Up to \$220,000 or More...

"Monthly And Wide Range of Locates, You May Be Eligible for Compensation Up to \$200,000 or More...

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Here's the example that I've used over and over in many different presentations.

It's about a simple little postcard that I wrote for a client. Yes, it's not tons and tons and tons of copy, but it was written in just 25 minutes and produced well over \$350,000 in profits, not just sales, profits — indeed, by now it's probably well over \$700K or more.

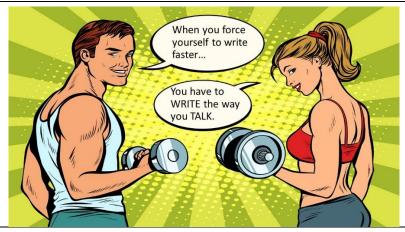


So I want to impress upon you that the faster you write, the better you write.

Embrace that concept:

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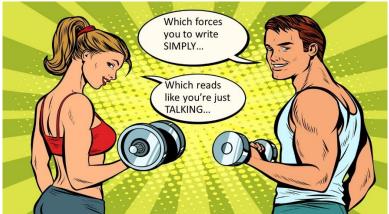
Why is this?



When you force yourself to write faster, you have to write the way you talk.

You're not able to go back and forth to the thesaurus or think of highfalutin' words and try to sound intelligent or all that stuff.

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You write the way you speak normally, and this forces you to write simply.

It forces you to write the way you speak and it reads just like you're talking.

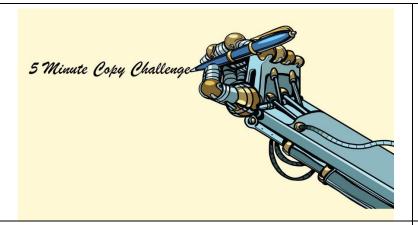
And that's what we want: a conversational style when we write copy.



This gives your writing power.

When you are writing in a conversational style, it's like you're just talking to your audience... one-on-one, across the table with your customer, laying out why your offer, your product, your service can make their lives so much better.

That gives your writing real power.



We're now going to do what I call the 5-minute copy challenge.

So this is interactive.

You're going to be required to do a little bit of that awful word "work." Yes. A little bit of work, but it's gonna be a lot of fun. You're going to learn a lot from it.



It's based on the concept that in just three words, you can tell a story.

The mind works by taking three words and automatically produces a story based on those three words.

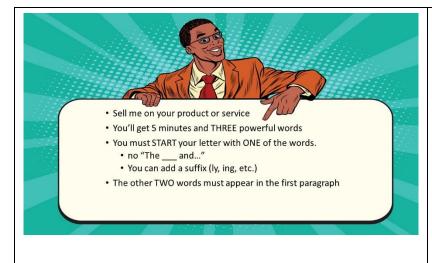
Let me prove it to you – here are three words:



- Coffee
- Painting
- River

I guarantee you have a story already in mind with just those three words. Are you thinking of somebody sitting alongside a river, drinking a cup of coffee, maybe doing some painting? An artist who's having perhaps a wonderful day, or maybe feeling challenged by the prospect of getting their painting done?

You can tell a story with just three words.

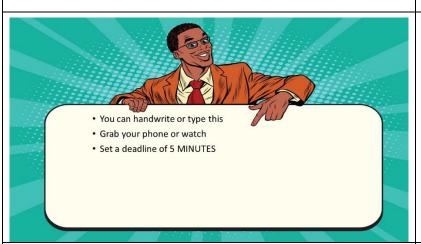


So, I want you to sell me on your product or service, and you'll get five minutes and three powerful words. I've done this exercise multiple times, and it always produces amazing results.

You must start your sales letter with one of the words I give you - don't start it with "the," or "and" or some sort of garbage, space filler word, use one of the words that I give you.

You CAN add a suffix like "ly" or "ing" etc.

And the other two words must appear in that first paragraph.



So again, write me a letter selling me on your product or service.

You can handwrite it or you can type this out, it doesn't matter.

You will need to grab your phone or your watch and set a timer and set a deadline of five minutes.

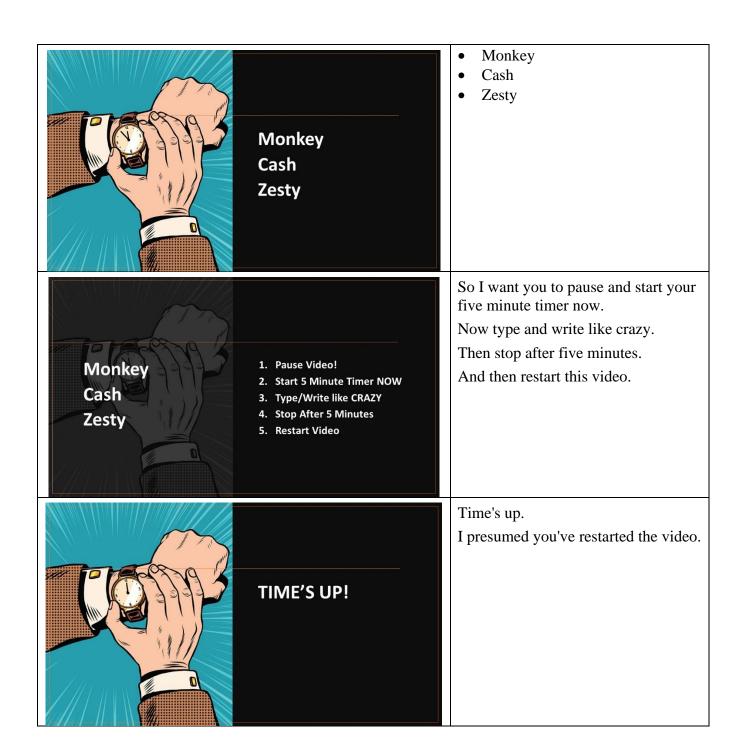


And when I say GO, you're going to pause this video.

You're going to read the three words. You're going to start writing like

And then you stop when the timer goes off after five minutes, and then you restart this video.

Are you ready to do this? Okay.



### WHAT DID YOU GET DONE?



- · How much did you write?
- Typically about 2/3 of a printed page
- At that rate you can produce 400 pages in just 50 hours.

So what did you get done?

I'm guessing what you produced was pretty darn good. I have done this over and over multiple times with different audiences and every time people delivered amazing results in those five minutes.

Typically in about five minutes, people can produce about two-thirds of a printed page. And at that rate, you can produce about 400 pages in just 50 hours.

That's not bad and that's an awful lot of copy.

### Why This Works...



So why does this work?

This works for a couple of reasons.

You didn't have time in those five minutes to compare yourself to other writers, to Charles Dickens, to Stephen King, to Jack Turk, to Dan Kennedy, to any of the great copywriters.

You didn't have time in those five minutes to compare yourself to any of those people.

All you did have time to do was jam like crazy to get that letter written.

### Why This Works...



You had a DEADLINE and that's so important as part of our system to get copy done fast. You had a deadline and you had a goal - you had a goal which was to sell me on your product or service to tell me why what you have available is so important for me to have right now.

And plus you had passion, because you care about your product. You care about your service. You care about your customers, and you want to solve their problems. You want to make their lives better. You want to

provide the cure for the pain they're feeling.

## Why This Works...



You had a deadline, a goal, and passion – and in those five minutes you didn't stall out the gate.

And this gets to the point of what happens when we face a blank page, and we don't know what we're going to do.

You sprinted out the gate by NOT using boring, trivial time-wasting words like "the" or "once" or "I."

You got out the gate and into the race with powerful words, like CASH, ZESTY, and MONKEY.

You had words that were interesting. You were able to say something interesting in an interesting way, which is one of the keys to writing killer copy fast.



So I want to see what you wrote – in fact, I would love to see what you wrote.

Thus, if you are willing and so inclined, please send it to me at <a href="mailto:jack@writekillercopyfast.com">jack@writekillercopyfast.com</a> so I can see what you've written and just be amazed at how good you are — even though you probably didn't even know how good you were and how fast you could write.

All right, we're going to move on to the next lesson.