

On Jun 23, 2020, at 6:39 PM, Katie W < [wanta.katie@gmail.com](mailto:wanta.katie@gmail.com) > wrote:

For most of 2020 my job with the website has been playing defense. The site was hacked in January and was redirecting Google searches to other sites. That has since been corrected and updates were made to the site to hopefully prevent it from happening again. There were a few residual link issues with Google that have also since been remedied. Other than general upkeep and updates I have been trying to remove anything that may also come under attack in the future - I was able to successfully move the Photo Gallery from the Coppermine gallery that was becoming obsolete into Wordpress directly. I had hoped to upgrade or move the store as well, but unfortunately with GoDaddy as our host that is not yet possible. I did however ask GoDaddy to "expedite" a migration to a better server area which when it happens will hopefully allow all the updates that are needed. If not, when our plan expires in November 2022, we will consider moving to a different hosting provider all together. The site's SSL certificate is set to expire in about a month. I have found a website that offers them for FREE (instead of the \$80/yr through GoDaddy), of course, GoDaddy will not make this installation easy. I have found a couple of YouTube videos and am prepared to give it my best try to see if we can use the free option instead of paying GoDaddy. The only downside is that it will need to be renewed/reinstalled every 90 days. But I am willing to set a recurring appointment on my phone if it means saving TEC money (and keeping it out of GoDaddy's pockets).

Stats from the past year:

2019 Q3 Page Views: 4,240

2019 Q4 Page Views: 3,355

2020 Q1 Page Views: 3,955

2020 Q2 Page Views: 3,933

Our most popular page, other than the home page, is the engraver Initials page followed by the TEC Coin Reference pages. 74% of our visitors are from the US.