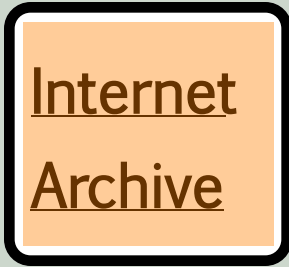




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Tip #5

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Internet Archives Projects:



<http://archive-it.org/>



[openLibrary.org](http://openlibrary.org)

One web page for every book ever published.

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- ▶ The Internet Archive was founded as a non-profit organization to build an Internet Library. Libraries exist to preserve society's cultural artifacts and to provide access to them. If libraries are to continue to foster education and scholarship in this era of digital technology, it's essential for them to extend those functions into the digital world. The Internet Archive is working to prevent the Internet—a new medium with major historical significance—and other “born digital” materials from disappearing into the past. Collaborating with institutions including the Library of Congress and the Smithsonian, IA is working to preserve a record for generations to come.”

Universal access to all knowledge

## The Internet Archive

- ▶ The Internet Archive includes **texts, audio, moving images** and **software** as well as **archived web pages**. To view archived webpages use the [Wayback Machine](#). It's fascinating to see how web pages morph and change over time!



Launched in 1996, the Wayback Machine contains over 2 petabytes of data compressed, or 150+ billion web captures with over 200+ million web sites.

- ▶ **Over 20 million books already have a page on [OpenLibrary.org](#) and over 1 million of those give you access to a full-text downloadable version!**

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