Check Your Ubuntu Support Status

Want to know how long your version of Ubuntu is supported? You can find the support status by cracking open your terminal and entering:

ubuntu-support-status

If you're using 20.04 or newer, then the command is slightly different:

ubuntu-security-status

HSTS Preload

Seeing as the site is hosted on a Linux server, I'll go ahead and document this. This is how to set up HSTS Preload for your website, by using .htaccess.

If you want to get your site hard-coded into Google Chrome as an "HTTPS Only" site, it's actually relatively easy – once you know how to do it. You can verify that this site is listed here.

Open your site with your favorite FTP application, I prefer Filezilla. Make sure that you've set it to show hidden files. (Files prefaced with a period are hidden files by default.) Edit your *.htaccess* and add the following:

[code]<IfModule mod_headers.c>
Header set Strict-Transport-Security "max-age=31536000; includeSubDomains; preload" env=HTTPS

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</IfModule>[/code]
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Save your file to your server and check your site for yourself.

Why do this? It's added security for your visitors and it's quite probable that Google has a preference for sites who have taken the time to do so. That may lead to more traffic and happier traffic because they know your site is using HTTPS.