

# WHY WE COPYRIGHT

From time to time we are asked by some of our users why we copyright our material. After all, they suggest, this is public domain material, and should be freely used by all. Some even go so far as to freely distribute our material to others. In response to this situation, I would like to mention a few facts about our company and what we do.

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Each of our employees is dedicated to assuring you a quality product. We then provide these products to you for a much more than reasonable price. It is only fitting that our employees be compensated for their work. Like you, every one of our employees must support themselves and their families. While this concept may seem obvious to you, there are some who do not understand or accept this. There are others who unknowingly ‘pirate’ our products in the name of a good

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May God Bless You,

Steve Radda

