

## **Fiverr and writing**

I always liked the idea of writing. There was a moment when I used to think about ideas for a book, although the way life went never allowed me to sit down and write, or I just didn't allow the time to do this. One day, I came across the term of "freelancer", learning how people can make money by doing certain tasks. So I asked myself, what can I do? I can write, of course, wondering if this skill could ever bring me some income. Things got serious in the year before my wedding. I started to look for ways to make some money, any amount of money being more than welcomed, as I was about to have large expenses with my wedding.

It was that moment when I started to exploit writing and freelancer websites more in depth. I said to myself that I had nothing to lose. If the plan was going to work, then I would have the money I need to pay for at least a part of the things I needed for the wedding. If not then I was going to plan my wedding following my initial plan. So I ran onto Fiverr and decided to give it a try, by setting up a profile here. It took a while to get a first order, about two weeks or so. Everybody is asking me how I managed to gather all these customers. Well, the truth is that there is no secret. I just work hard and invested all the attention in every order, trying to deliver the best quality. This is the biggest secret.

Thus, I started to make some money and pay for my wedding dress, shoes, accessories and some other things I needed. I didn't start out making large sums, but every extra income is useful in every household. I also never imagined doing this for a living. I started thinking about it when I noticed that the amount of work was growing at a steady rate. I ended up at a point where I was spending half of my time at my job and the other half writing, trying to meet the demands. My personal and family life was gone, so I knew I had to take a decision. Obviously, I decided to continue working on Fiverr and do the thing I enjoy most, and that is writing. I consider myself blessed for having the opportunity to choose what to do.

It is true that today, there are times when I am overwhelmed with tasks. It is also true that I don't have free days, not even on the weekends. But probably this is because I didn't find a proper way to manage my time and orders. So I am still working on that. Otherwise, things are great. Fiverr gave me the opportunity to make an income by writing, having my schedule, enjoying the freedom of not having a boss on my back, and the liberty to take a vacation whenever I feel like it. Yes, it takes a lot of work and dedication to get here, but I believe that when you enjoy what you are doing, you will also manage to obtain what you want. The life you want.

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Hi!

I'm very excited about this opportunity. I'm writing a blog post for my marketing/creative writing blog at [jukkaahola.fi](http://jukkaahola.fi). The topic is Fiverr and writing, mainly what type of people write at Fiverr and how they manage to stay profitable. I'll be contacting three writers on Fiverr and asking them to write a piece based on the same brief.

I'm asking you for an authentic and shareable true story – about you and Fiverr. What's your workflow? Background as a writer? How much time does it take you to write a post? Do you have any dirty tricks and tips? Any good stories?

To clarify, I don't need the full article, just your story. I'll incorporate it into the full article. The tone of voice for the full article will be rather high and mighty: a 'professional writer' looking down on people that are selling similar services but for a fraction of the price. The ultimate message will be that we're all writers and I'll learn some humility and respect for Fiverr writers along the journey.

You can use a style that fits you as a writer. You can be funny or serious, snarky or genuine.

Length: Around 500 words

If you have any questions I'll be happy to answer them.