

Completing all 24 projects will inform the development of your phrase that pays and will improve your overall marketing communication effort. If time is at a premium, complete the projects listed below that are shown in *italics* (also refer to Pg. 9 of <u>What's Your Phrase that Pays?</u>).

- 1) Write down your business story; what was your 'aha' moment? (Pg. 17)
- 2) Based on Project #1, create a work-in-progress Phrase that Pays (Pg. 27)
- 3) Assess the result of Project Two using the MARK test (Pg. 32)
- 4) List your perceived differentiators (Pg. 32)
- 5) Determine your true sales potential (Pg. 34)
- 6) Supermarket ketchup survey (Pg. 39)
- 7) Analyze your current marketing materials (Pg. 40)
- 8) Ask some of your customers to analyze your marketing materials (Pg. 40)
- 9) Begin completing the Situation Analysis (Pg. 47 & 105)
- 10) Have your management, employees and select customers analyze your capabilities and identify your strongest differentiation (Pg. 50)
- 11) Complete the Concept Grid (Pg. 56)
- 12) Describe your primary market; create your "lead character" (Pg.67)
- 13) Gather and analyze the secondary research (Pg. 69)
- 14) Review the industry trade journals for the last year (Pg. 69)
- 15) Conduct the Convenience Poll (Pg. 72)
- 16) Conduct the Likert Survey (Pg. 73)
- 17) Conduct the in-depth interviews (Pg. 75)
- 18) Conduct your geographic research (Pg. 76)
- 19) Conduct the Competitive Analysis (Pg. 79)
- **20**) Discuss your marketing communication and advertising strategy with your employees (Pg. 81)
- 21) Conduct the Mystery Shop (Pg. 82)
- 22) Complete the Differentiation Grid (Pg. 84), then:
 - o Refine your work-in-progress phrase that pays to its final incarnation and:
 - Submit your refined phrase that pays to the MARK test (Pg. 30)
 - Field test your phrase that pays if it passes the MARK test (Pg. 84)
 - o Then develop your creative to focus on and promote your phrase that pays;
- 23) Select your media, schedule your campaign and implement (Pg. 99)
- 24) Create, measure and implement a prioritized activity (Pg. 101)