

# PART 1



# Say Hello to My Little Friend: JavaScript!

*Eaten any good books lately?*

Q (to Worf) in the *Star Trek: The Next Generation* episode, “Deja-Q”

*The Internet? Is that thing still around?*

Homer Simpson

*Programming today is a race between software engineers striving to build bigger and better idiot-proof programs, and the Universe trying to produce bigger and better idiots. So far, the Universe is winning.*

Rich Cook

*The first 90% of the code accounts for the first 10% of the development time. The remaining 10% of the code accounts for the other 90% of the development time.*

Tom Cargill

*There are only two kinds of programming languages: those people always bitch about and those nobody uses.*

Bjarne Stroustrup

*There are only two industries that refer to their customers as ‘users.’*

Edward Tufte