Today Susan asked me how to put a PDF file onto her website. I suggested using Scribd. Her eyes rolled. So I said upload it as media. Eyes rolled again. So here we're doing by example.

The PDF file I'm going to attach contains this short poem

I've written a plugin called oik
It's something I think you will loik
So if you want to know how
I can help you right now
Book me for a 10-minute toik.

Steps

- 1. Create the .pdf file we did this by displaying the post and then pasting into Open Office and exporting as a PDF
- 2. Click on Add media
- 3. Select the PDF file
- 4. Choose link to URL
- 5. Click on insert into post

The link will look like the one below.

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If you want it to look like a .pdf file – with the Acrobat PDF logo then you have to do a bit more work. That's for another day.