Linked Data without (necessarily) a Triplestore
Linked Data → RDF → Triplestore

Not Necessarily!
5 ★ OPEN DATA

★ make your stuff available on the Web under an open license
★★ make it available as **structured** data
★★★ make it available in a non-proprietary **open format**
★★★★ use **URIs** to denote things, so that people can point at your stuff
★★★★★ **link** your data to other data to provide context

*emphasis added*

*So, if not RDF and triplestores, then what?*
One option:

1. Meets the linked data requirements
   - Structured open format
   - URIs
2. A lot of code libraries make it easy to work with JSON
3. Store in a JSON-aware database or generate it on the fly
4. Search engines (e.g. Google) understand it
You may already be using it!

No triplestore necessary!
But I want a triplestore!

Go ahead and populate one.

E.g. Scrapy

E.g. Blazegraph
Coming soon... Islandora CLAW!

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Photograph of the Flamingo Hotel at sunset circa mid 1950s

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Description
Exterior view of the Flamingo Hotel at sunset. The illuminated champagne tower is visible and a margarita adver...
Go try it yourself!

Thank you.

Links
https://json-ld.org
https://archivespace.org
https://scrapy.org
https://github.com/RDFLib
https://www.blazegraph.com
https://islandora.ca/CLAW

Image/Icon Sources
5 Star Steps: http://5stardata.info/images/5-star-steps.png
JSON-LD: https://json-ld.org/images/json-ld-logo.svg
Spider icon from The Noun Project by Edward Boatman: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Noun_project_175.svg
Cog wheels: https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Cog-icon-grey.svg
RDF: http://www.dotnetrdf.org/
Islandora CLAW: http://islandora-claw.github.io/CLAW/
Drupal 8: https://www.drupal.org/about/media-kit/logos