> I was just futzing around with IDL VM and .sav programs
> and it seems that the Win2K version of IDL VM doesn't
> like READ and PRINT commands (these same .sav programs
> work fine under linux IDL VM). My question: Is this a
> known problem with IDL or is the problem on my end?
> Any suggestions as to how to fix this problem?

This is a bit of a bugger, isn't it?

My workaround is RHTvmConsole, a simple widget replacement for the PRINT
and READ procedures. You can drop it in with a simple find/replace and
it should handle the basics.

 http://www.acoustics.washington.edu/~towler/programs/RHTvmCo nsole.zip

-Rick