Subject: Re: looking for source of a caught runtime error. Posted by Benjamin Hornberger on Mon, 07 Mar 2005 16:39:04 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

JeremyFaden@gmail.com wrote:

- > I'd like to know the location of where a caught
- > runtime error occurred. I use "catch, err" to catch any sort
- > of runtime error during processing, and then
- > throw up a dialog box indicating the error by using !error_state.
- > Oddly, !error state doesn't contain the line number within
- > the source code where the error occurred. I feel like I'm missing
- > something obvious, but I don't see anything in the documention
- > regarding this.

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Instead of your dialog box, use David's error_message function with the /traceback keyword set:

http://www.dfanning.com/documents/programs.html#ERROR_MESSAG E

catch, err
IF err NE 0 THEN BEGIN
catch, /cancel
ok = error_message(/traceback, /error)
return
ENDIF