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Subject: Re: rebin but ignore zero

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Sun, 28 Sep 2008 21:30:28 GMT

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David Klassen writes:

> Interesting---so I have to do the opposite of the help. :)

My all-time favorite book is Desert Notes/River Notes by Barry Lopez. And my favorite story in that book, which I was just thinking about again today, as a matter of fact, is Directions.

Here he is giving "directions" to the reader:

"There is, I should warn you, doubt too about the directions I will give you here, but they are the very best that can be had. They will not be easy to follow. Where it says left you must go right sometimes. Read south for north sometimes. It depends a little on where you are coming from, but not entirely."

I love that story. And I miss telling it for my IDL programming courses. It forms the underlying theme of my IDL books. Worth reading for any IDL programmer, I should think. :-)

<http://www.librarything.com/work/2496108/details/28551525>

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

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