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Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Tue, 03 May 2005 23:29:57 GMT
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Ah! Wonderful! ;=)

So many neat things!

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"David Fanning" <davidf@dfanning.com> wrote in message
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