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Subject: Pre-Publication Release of New Book  
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Folks,

I am announcing today a pre-publication release of my new IDL book, Coyote's Guide to Traditional IDL Graphics, in PDF format. This is a draft release. Final book edits have not been made, there will be typos, there will be bad page breaks, and the book currently does not have an index.

This is primarily for those of you who have been hounding me to get something for sale. I do not yet know the final price of this book, but it will be more than the pre-publication price of \$49.95. Purchase now, and you will get a final PDF version whenever it is available. (March 2011, probably.)

<http://www.idlcoyote.com/store/index.php?act=viewProd&productId=15>

I had hoped to have a new store experience available for the release of this book, and that hasn't happened yet, so the only options for payment are to use PayPal, which will process any major credit card and does not require a PayPal account. Or, you can choose the "Print Order" payment method and fax your credit card information to me directly and I will handle it personally for you. You will find my fax number on the Order Form.

Many, many people helped in the production of this book, and I am grateful to all of them. I am especially grateful to the people who participate in this newsgroup. This book is really for you, because it was you I had in mind every minute as I was writing it.

There have been many changes on my web page, some things are still not in place, etc. There will be glitches with this. Please let me know if you have any problems, can't find things, etc. And, please, please, let me know when you find typos. I know I can't get rid of them all, but I try to be as diligent as possible!

Cheers,

David

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

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