

# Making a Writer's Day! Monday, Dec. 20, 2010

This is something to make a writer's day! I got a call from Saskatoon Tourism informing me they'd like to purchase 140 copies of *Adventurous Dreams, Adventurous Lives: Today's Explorers Recall the Youthful Dream that Launched their Remarkable Lives* and would I be so kind as to annotate and autograph them? Well, of course! That's over \$4600.00 worth of books! And more readers! By the time I finished signing them—it took an hour and half—my wrist was as sore as a pubescent boy's with a porn magazine. They're to be given as gifts to attendees of the Western Retail Lumber Association Convention being held here in Toontown, as we fondly term Saskatoon, January 14-17. As if this wasn't enough, as a thank you gift Saskatoon Tourism generously gave me a great, outdoors blanket made of a soft, Patagonia-like material. It's something I can really use solo canoeing when I don't have The Dragon Lady to keep me warm in my sleeping bag.

Thank you Saskatoon Tourism!



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