

Dragon Tales

News from Author Bryan Davis (February 2005)

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It's in the air – News delivered on the wings of a dragon

The Advance Reading Copies of “Circles of Seven” were sent to reviewers about a week ago, and a few readers are already chiming in with their comments.

I have never read anything so terrific in my entire life. I read tons of books, and this series is my absolute, without a doubt, favorite. Everyone should buy the series. THANK YOU, Mr. Davis! You're the best and my favorite author. – Jennifer Coe, Age 11

“Circles of Seven” is the best book yet! It's so hard to put it down! There are very touching moments throughout the story. After reading “Circles of Seven,” my faith is stronger than ever. I'm patently waiting to read the next book in the series. - Tracy Cooper, Age 19

I really loved this book. I'm going to read it again, and I don't often re-read books, even those I like. It's the best one in the series, so far. – Melody DeLeon (Adult reviewer)

***Circles of Seven* is scheduled for an April, 2005 release.** If you want to read the first chapter, go to <http://www.dragonsinourmidst.com/circles1.pdf> Adobe Acrobat Reader is required.

You can pre-order this book from me at <http://www.daviscrossing.com/circles.htm> or from Amazon.com at <http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/0899571727> .

I'm heavily into marketing and publicity mode right now, so this newsletter will be shorter than previous ones. Some exciting news events are about to break, but they are not set in stone yet. I hope to tell you about them either next month or the month after.

I'm including my current appearance schedule. I would like to highlight the book signing coming up on Saturday, February 19, from 2 pm to 5 pm. If you are in the Orlando area, please come out and see me at the Barnes & Noble at the Colonial Plaza Market Center, 2418 E Colonial Drive in Orlando.

In addition to the scheduled appearances, I'm planning trips to Grand Rapids (MI), Boston, Atlanta, Chattanooga, Seattle, Portland and Medford (OR), and Los Angeles. If you know of schools, bookstores, or churches that would like to invite me to speak or sign books, please contact me. info@daviscrossing.com

I've been doing a lot of speaking at schools, both public and private, and the feedback has been tremendous. The students seem to enjoy my talks, and they ask lots of questions. The teachers are already trying to arrange for me to come and visit again.

My heartfelt thanks to all my supporters who are telling all their friends about the book series. I am as grateful and I can be.

Bryan's Appearance Schedule

February 17 – Colonial High School

Keynote speaker – Literacy Night 6:00 pm

February 19 – Book signing Barnes & Noble – 2 pm to 5 pm

Colonial Plaza Market Center

2418 E Colonial Drive

Orlando, FL 32803

February 22 – Orangewood Presbyterian Middle School

Speaking to various classes – All day

March 3-6 - Florida Christian Writers Conference Bradenton, FL

Working with authors

March 11-13 - Consecration: Christian Sci-fi and Fantasy Convention Chicago, IL

Participating in panel discussions

March 14 – Book signing, Cincinnati, OH

Family Christian Store

Eastgate Crossing Space 612

4530 Eastgate Blvd

Cincinnati, OH 45245-1256

March 15 – Miami Christian Academy, Cincinnati, OH

6830 School Street

Cincinnati, OH 45244

Speaking to students about writing

March 15 – Evening talk, Milford, OH

Faith Writers Book Club

March 31 and April 1 – Piedmont Lakes Middle School, Apopka, FL

Speaking to ten classes about my books and writing in general

April 12 – Indian Trails Middle School

Speaker at Literacy Night – 7:30 pm

Old News, but worth remembering:

Libraries: It would be a great help if readers would ask their public or school libraries to buy the book series for their collections. Librarians are sometimes more receptive to enthusiastic readers than to authors. If you show them the books or provide ISBN numbers, they can order them.

Here are the ISBN numbers:

Raising Dragons – 0899571700

The Candlestone – 0899571719

Circles of Seven - 0899571727

Raising Dragons, signed by the author (or unsigned, if you wish), only \$12.00, includes shipping in the U.S. Go to <http://www.daviscrossing.com/raisingdragons.htm>

Think about family or friends who might like this book as a gift. I can inscribe it to whomever you wish. Just fill out the “Message to Seller” field in PayPal’s checkout procedure to tell me how to sign it. If you prefer to pay by check, go to <http://www.daviscrossing.com/buybooks.htm> and fill out the form.

Would you like to review *Raising Dragons* or *The Candlestone*?

Go to the Amazon.com page for the book at the following link:

<http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/0899571700> for *Raising Dragons*

<http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/0899571719> for *The Candlestone*

and then click on “Write a Review.” If you can give the books five stars, I would appreciate it. If you let me know that you wrote a review, I’ll send you a special *Raising Dragons* gift.

Thanks to all of you who are telling others about this book series. Spreading the news to your friends is the best way to make these books succeed.

Would you like to buy books by Bryan Davis?

There are several ways to buy Bryan’s books. Many Christian bookstores have them in stock, or your local bookstore, Christian or otherwise, can order them for you. The store may need the ISBN numbers:

Raising Dragons – 0899571700

The Candlestone – 0899571719

Circles of Seven - 0899571727

The Image of a Father – 0899571425

Spit and Polish for Husbands – 0899571484

You can also order the books from Amazon.com or other online bookstores.

Link for *Raising Dragons* on Amazon.com:

<http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/0899571700>

Link for *The Candlestone* - <http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/ASIN/0899571719>

To order directly from Bryan, go to <http://www.daviscrossing.com/shopping.htm> There you will find instructions for online credit card purchases or for mailing in a check. With this option, you can get autographed copies.

Other books by Bryan Davis:

The Image of a Father – <http://www.imageofafather.com>

Spit and Polish for Husbands – <http://www.spitandpolish.com>

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