



To the Bard, Travis Pike

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Thanks for a most fascinating and fun interview of July 12, 1999, regarding the "Grumpuss." Luke Gruber, the host of Carolina In The Morning, talked about it for days after. It was also fun to use the clips from the audio productions during the show. It made for a perfect lead-in to the interview. While pulling the clips from the audio tape I lost track of time and found myself drifting of into my imagination as you regaled me with the story of the "Grumpuss."

After listening to the audio program, twice, in my car this past weekend. I found that the "Grumpuss" was reminiscent of Dr. Suess, J.R.R. Tolken and even a little Aesop, (Travis, you are in grand company). Overall it was original and witty. Truly a work of Travis E. Pike. A most fascinating journey into the "theater of the mind."

In regards to our phone conversation about broadcasting the entire audio production on our radio station WTKF FM 107.3 and WSTK AM 910, it looks like we will be able to do that soon. I will contact you and discuss all the details in the very near future. Frank from WSTK will be contacting you as well about the live performance when he gets all the details hammered out.

Sincerely

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