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TeachingBooks.net Adds Two New Original Author Programs

MADISON, WIS. (Mar. 20, 2006) – TeachingBooks.net greets the arrival of spring by expanding its content with two new author programs. These original TeachingBooks.net movies bring award-winning authors and illustrators to life in classrooms through interviews, demonstrations and book readings.

The first author program features an interview with Newbery Medalist Kate DiCamillo, whose latest novel, “The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane,” was published February 2006.

The Kate DiCamillo author program includes:

- A four-minute movie from her studio, plus five additional movies of DiCamillo reading excerpts from her new book
- An extensive article about her books and her writing process
- Links to relevant websites and book guides

The other author program features an interview with Joseph Medicine Crow, the last traditional chief of the Crow Indians, on his new autobiography, “Becoming a Crow Chief on the Reservation and Beyond,” published February 2006. The Joseph Medicine Crow author program includes:

- A four-minute movie where he laughs about his childhood games and reflects on the two cultures in which he lives as a Crow Indian
- An extensive article about his personal experiences
- Links to relevant websites for teaching Crow and Native American studies

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