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Colorado Authors Honored at CIPA's 2004 Evvy Awards in June

Denver, CO, June 30, 2004 - Nearly one hundred Colorado Independent Publisher Association (CIPA) members and guests attended the 2004 Evvy Awards Ceremony at the Red Lion Hotel, Denver, on Saturday, June 12, 2004. CIPA honored veteran and novice authors and their independently-published books in 17 categories, including children's, poetry, and reference. Congratulations to the following First Place Winners*:

Spiritual/Inspirational: *Miss America By Day*, by Marilyn Van Derbur (Oak Hill Ridge Press)

Children: *Hildegard and the Great Green Shirt Factory*, by Ravay Snow (Snowbound Press)

Fiction: *The Ice Floe*, by J. Tracksler (Llumina Press)

Poetry: *The Bearing Tree*, by Charlie Langdon (Durango Herald Small Press)

Business and Financial: *Never Be Boring Again*, by Doug Stevenson (Cornelia Press)

Reference: *Denver Men in the Kitchen*, Candis Kloverstrom (Artistic Impact Publishing)

Humor: *The Pearls of Wisdumb*, by Mozz (Goofy Guru Publishing)

Biography/Autobiography: *Chipeta: Queen of the Utes*, by Cynthia Becker & P. David Smith (Western Reflections Publishing Co.)

Personal Growth: *Obesity's Answer, the CELL Program*, by Rima Jensen, M.D. & C. Elaine Bolen, R.N. (Health First Publishing)

Non-Fiction Essay: *Ireland: Standing Stones to Stormont*, by Tom Quinn Kumpf (Devenish Press)

Cookbooks: *Baking at High Altitude: The Muffin Lady's Old Fashioned Recipes*, by Randi Lee Levin (The Muffin Lady, Inc.)

Historical Novel/Chronicle: *Letters from a Weminuche Homestead, 1902*, Compiled by Center of Southwest Studies (Durango Herald Small Press)

Travel/Recreation: *Backcountry Adventure Guide to the Mount Zirkel Wilderness*, by Raymond Ave (Mountain Jay Media)

How-To: *I'm Already Home - Keeping Your Family Close When You're on TDY*, by Elaine Gray Dumler (Frankly Speaking)

Animals and Pets: *Balance Your Dog: Canine Massage*, C. Sue Furman, Ph.D. (Wolfchase Publishing)

Loss and Grieving: *Maltese Crossing: Love, Loss, and Lessons of Compassion*, Dr. P.D. Sargent (Golden Reflections Publications)

Overall Design: *Ireland: Standing Stones to Stormont*, Tom Quinn Kumpf (Devenish Press)

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*For a complete list of winners and how to contact them for interviews, members of the media may contact Rhonda Spellman (information above).