Andrew Sullivan
The Politics of Homosexuality

Ron Suskind received a Pulitzer Prize for his *Wall Street Journal* articles about a young man making the transition from inner-city high school achiever to culture-shocked survivor at an Ivy League university. Suskind traced the journey in his 1998 book, *A Hope in the Unseen*. Cedric Jennings’ story raises issues of race and class, inequities in public education, standardized testing and affirmative action.
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Clifford Stoll
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Involved with networks since the beginning, computer security expert Clifford Stoll has watched the Internet grow from an improbable research project into a communications juggernaut. Although he knows and loves computers, Stoll asks, when do they really educate, and when are they simply diversions from learning? Seeming to bite the hand that feeds him, he intelligently questions where the Internet is leading us.

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Writer, filmmaker, stand-up comedian, and strong voice of the Native American community, Sherman Alexie has a great deal to say about alienation, identity, and the dark heart of racial hatred. He wrote and produced the award-winning film Smoke Signals, and has now written and directed Indian Killer, a film based on his 1996 novel.

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A world-class authority on plant viruses, Anne Simon is also the scientific consultant for “The X-Files.” She reviews scripts by fax at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, where she is associate head of the department of biochemistry and molecular biology. She will discuss women in science, the future of genetics and cloning, and the blending of science and pop culture.

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Best-selling author of *A Child Called ‘It’* and *The Lost Boy*, Dave Pelzer is the survivor of one of the most severe child abuse cases in California history. His life was literally saved by a system that many ridicule as being useless and incompetent. His emotional presentation pays homage to those who truly make a difference in the lives of children.

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