



Attentive audience members at the Seattle conference.



Awardee Ron Reagan kept the crowd laughing.



This is what 600-plus freethinkers in a filled-to-capacity ballroom look like.



Members of the Spokane chapter of FFRE, the Inland Northwest Freethought Society, gather for a group photo.



Browsers examine the colorful wares as Scott Colson (right) makes a sale.

The Audience



Hungry convention-goers gather for dinner and conversation.



Ursula K. Le Guin gamely autographed books for a line of fans that snaked the length of the ballroom.



Steven Benaloh, Markinna McConco, Molly Taylor and Eileen Paguio draw names for the “clean money” raffle.