

Customer Tim Balin called recently to book a charter and gave a welcome testimonial regarding my latest book, *Captain Kevin Cochran's Top 50*. Since we talked on the phone, I must paraphrase his comments:

*I just loved your new book. It was something I've been waiting for and needing. I recognize many things about myself in the articles, things I need to work on and polish. While I remember some of the pieces, others are new to me. What I like most is the way the concepts become gradually more clearly and precisely stated. Over time, you developed superb control over some of these ideas. I believe the book will really help me become a better fisherman. I intend to use it as a kind of reference, and will no doubt go back over parts of it time and time again.*

Thanks so much, Tim. Your kind comments are greatly appreciated by the starving artist in me. I believe the content of this book is some of my best work to date. I'm glad to know someone else thinks so too!