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Look who's reading the Gater!

Photos, clockwise from top left:

— Gail Blackburn, owner of La Rosa de Las Barras and her main helper, Carmen. They are reading the Gater in front of the Casa Palo, one of the casitas constructed of the palo wood sticks that is a common, beautiful, and very practical construction method in that part of Mexico.

— Sara Austin relaxes after giving valedictorian speech at Illinois Valley High School. Sara was awarded a Presidential Scholarship to Clarkson College, the honors school at University of Oregon, Eugene.

— Reading the Gater in front of Cosi Cosi, in Frankfurt, Germany. From left: Cosi Cosi friend, Richard Halsted, Brent Crowe, Cosi Cosi friend, Kellie (Crowe) Halsted and, seated, Judy Crowe of Grants Pass.

— Lynn VanCouvering and her daughter Maya Uribe check out the Gater in Washington, D.C.

— Richard Fairless and Lynn VanCouvering enjoy the Gater in Washington, D.C.

— Kathy and Tom Carstens read the Gater with friends on Easter Island.

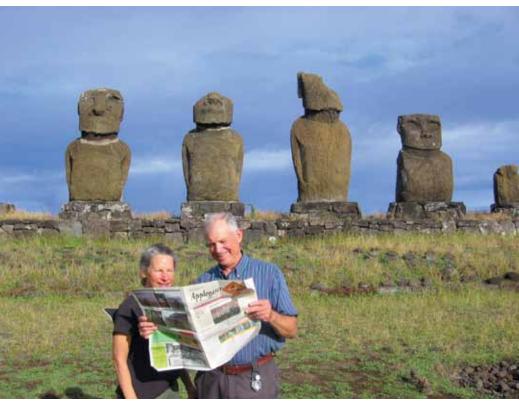
— "Future Applegater Reader,",Adam Taussig, age 16 months.



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