

# Sample Interview Questions

## Tom has been asked on his lecture tour

1. What inspired you to write the *Gamadin* series?
2. Are your characters parts of your upbringing?
3. Who are your favorite authors?
4. Are any of your characters you?
5. Do you believe that aliens have visited Earth?
6. What are your ideas regarding extraterrestrial life?
7. What do you want young readers to take away with them, after reading your book?
8. Do you believe Harlowe and his friends are good role models for today's youth?
9. Do you believe today's youth need heroes?
10. Who were your heroes growing up?
11. Where did the name "Millawanda" come from?
12. How will the *Gamadin* series stand out from the rest of the sci-fi market?
13. As a boy, how is Harlowe different than say, Harry Potter?
14. What inspired the robobs and Mowgi, the undog?
15. What is a chinneroth?
16. What would you do if you found a spaceship like Millawanda?
17. Would you keep the spaceship a secret or hand it over to the government?
18. Would you use it to help the world's energy crisis?
19. What other books have you written besides the *Gamadin* series?
20. How many hours a day do you spend writing?
21. Do you have a favorite character in the book?
22. Do you believe *Gamadin* series is movie material?
23. Who would play Harlowe? Riverstone? Leucadia Mars?
24. Are you looking forward to the new Star Trek movie coming out?
25. Book II, *Mons* is next in the series. Can you give us a sneak peek into it?