

Chapter 7.

Insider Tips for Practical Privacy

Now is the time to start checking out some of my favorite products, books, and contacts. As one advance proofreader wrote, “This is my favorite chapter! I’m having a ball checking out the Web sites and will purchase all the books and many of the products as well ...”

Recommended books

Secrets of a Superthief: An Inside Guide to Keeping Burglars Outside Your Home, by Jack MacLean (Berkeley Publishing, 1983).

MacLean wrote this book while serving a 15-year prison term. Until he was finally caught, he had burglarized more than 2,000 homes and netted 133 million dollars. This book is based upon not only his own experiences but that of 300 burglars that he interviewed inside the prison walls. MacLean describes the ideal “burglar-proof” home and suggests physiological deterrents that work as well as or better than any actual hardware devices.

Used copies of this 173-page paperback sell for up to \$150 at Amazon.com but you may be able to find one for less by doing a title search on the Internet.