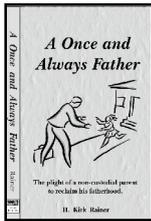
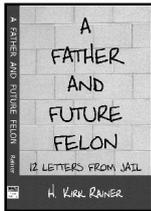


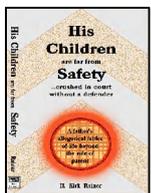
H. Kirk Rainer, Books and other Writing



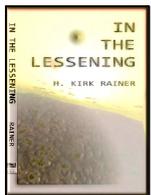
A Once and Always Father expresses a husband and father's perspectives on marriage and family, courtships and courts, custody and criminalization; and what has happened with the taking of the time-honored treasures of marriage from that of a contract to the present "relationship of convenience".



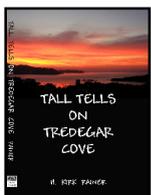
A FATHER AND FUTURE FELON is inspired by twelve letters—written from jail—as a dedication to fathers and to those who fit similar roles and responsibility. Drawing from the works of Saint Augustine, the Bible, historical and other-subject resources; each chapter offers alliteration on fatherhood.



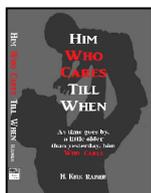
His Children are far from Safety is loosely based on the Book of Job and the writings and themes of such writers as William Safire and Aldous Huxley, among others. This book is formatted as a play; and it begins with a crisis and proceeds on a journey to discover what really matters most—now and through eternity.



IN THE LESSENING is a futuristic-type story about a community struggling to survive a period called The Lessening. Dystopian in its theme, the plot takes the reader through current and historical events using multiple perspectives of the primary characters and, all while, educating the reader on what may become of our reality.

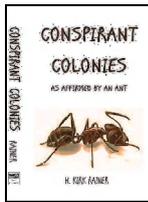


TALL TELLS ON TREDEGAR COVE is a fable-type collection of short stories. It begins with a faithful step through an actual tunnel, taking the sojourner toward opportunities for learning, growing in knowledge, understanding and perhaps, wisdom; it is a most-enlightening adventure of life and living.



HIM WHO CARES TILL WHEN is about a family of four children whose life is (or lives are) forever changed by divorce. This change is not altogether bad or negative, but it is overall worthy to be shared for them and by them—as well for others like them.

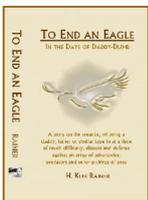
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CONSPIRANT COLONIES is a story of an ant colony; not just any colony but a complex, “conspirant” empire that becomes secretive, full of corruption while in course of conquering other colonies and expanding their holdings. One ant, Anton, tells the story of what happened and the relevance to the human world.



Same Old Same Old So it Goes is series of interrelated short stories having a backdrop of a working-class community on South Stebbins Street. Narrated by one character, each story introduces a problem whether personal or public for which he and a collection of other local characters are facing as a community that is facing harder times.



TO END AN EAGLE (in development)

Additionally, the following writings have been written, though without intention of publication or distribution.

In a WORD is a series of letters written to and for my children who have been estranged since 2001—as a consequence of divorce and post-divorce action.

Black, White, & Shades of Gray is an ongoing effort at writing poetry. At present (2014), the collection includes 20 or more poems and commentary.

H. Kirk Rainer is an engineer with over twenty years of experience primarily in aerospace and logistics. But for over a decade, he has been embroiled in the never ending consequences of no-fault divorce and parental alienation—some details of which are reflected in his books, Websites, and other writing. In this vein have been the following support organizations/affiliations:

- American Coalition for Fathers and Children (acfc.org)
- Alabama Family Rights Association (alfra.org)
- Protect Fathers' Right (protectfathersrights.org)
- National Father Initiative (fatherhood.org)
- Institute for American Values (AmericanValues.org)
- Florida International University (FIU), "The State of Fatherhood" research.