## Suggested Readings

* Jon Krakauer, *Into Thin Air: A Personal Account of the Mount Everest Disaster* (New York: Villard, 1997): a thoughtful and disturbing look at what happens when the media, nature, people, and a disaster meet up together.
* Neil Postman, *Amusing Ourselves to Death; Public Discourse in the Age of Show Business* (New York: Penguin Books, 1985): Postman is highly critical of television, arguing that it turns everything it touches into entertainment. It’s an interesting counterpoint to Joshua Meyrowitz’s, *No Sense of Place*.
* W. James Potter, *Media Literacy*, 5th ed. (Thousand Oaks CA: Sage, 2011): Many of the ideas I present on media literacy are drawn from this book; a great, in-depth look at media literacy. This title is one for you, not for your students, most likely.
* All of the Chapter 1 links posted to my RalphEHanson.*com* blog  
  <http://www.ralphehanson.com/category/chapter-1/>