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lege. The lessons Powell learned — use U.S. combat forces only to defend our national interest and do it to win — were a practical guide when he became Assistant to the Secretary of Defense in the Carter Administration and National Security Advisor in the Reagan years. Finally, with four stars pinned to his lapel, Powell achieved the highest military position in the land, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, under President Bush.

"My American Journey" is heart-warming, humorous and inspiring. The author's odyssey confirms our faith in America as the land of opportunity. Yet

it also portrays a truly special individual, one who promises to be a role model for the next generation of men and women, so that their genius will also have a chance to flower.

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Estleman to lecture Sunday

The Cultural Arts Division of the city of Southfield's Parks and Recreation Department presents aren Western and mystery writer Loren Estleman as the first lecturer in the 1995-96 Author's Lecture Series.

Estleman will give a talk on his work 12:15 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 26, at the Radisson Hotel, Southfield. A luncheon will be served 11:30 a.m. for the cost of \$15. Tickets for the lecture only are \$5. Tickets for the luncheon and lecture must be reserved in advance by calling (810) 424-9022. Tickets for the lecture only may be bought at the door.

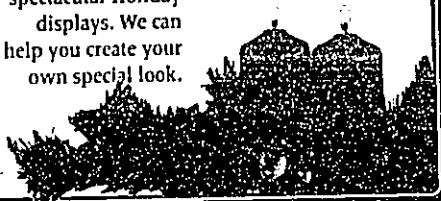
call (810) 424-9022.

Estleman was born in Ann Arbor in 1952 and graduated from Eastern Michigan University with a B.A. in English literature and journalism. Since the publication of his first novel in 1976, he has written a total 37 books, including the Amos Walker detective series and the Detroit Chronicle: "Whiskey River," "Motown," "King of the Corner" and "Edsel." Two historical Westerns, "This Old Bill" and "Bloody Season," were nominated for the Pulitzer Prize; another, "The High Rocks," received a nomination for the National Book Award.

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