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A fun way to learn those exotic SAT words that not even your English teacher knew existed. -- *Oakland Tribune, September 2003*

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Enter the world of *Simon's Saga*?a place of adventure, knowledge, romance, ideas, fun, laughter, and **820 essential words for the SAT I**.

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Philip Geer lives in Singapore where he directs Mentours, an educational consultancy that prepares students for the SAT, GRE, and other standardized tests. From 1978 until 2001 he taught English for the Singapore Ministry of Education at the junior college level.

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