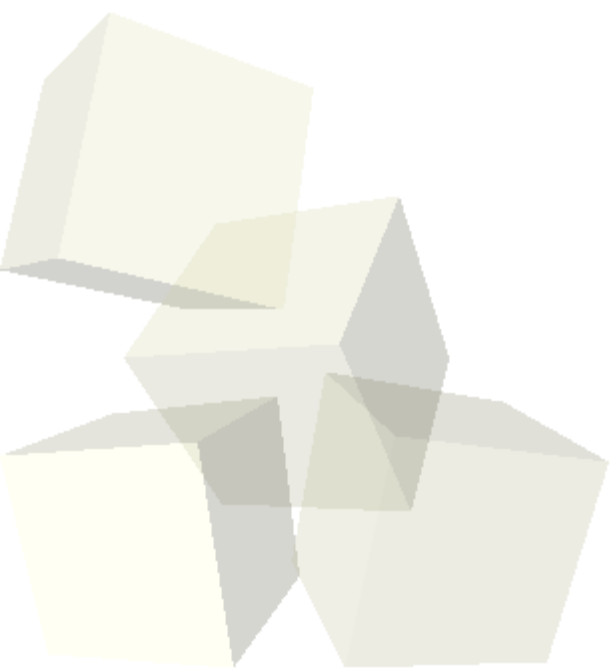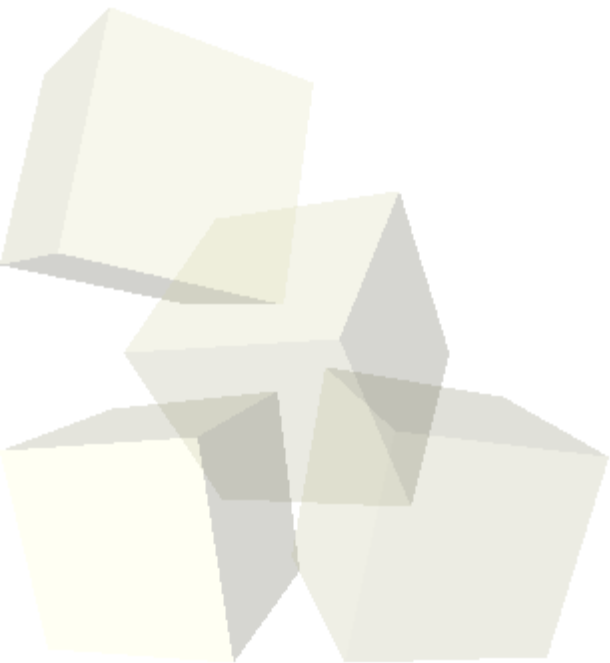11-1-2006

- What did we talk about last class?
- Do you have any questions about the reading or was there anything in the reading you found particularly interesting?

- Do you have any questions about the control structures in Perl? They allow you to do things in a lot of different ways. Some might argue too many different ways. Oddly, some of their "tricks" would work in other languages, but programmers of other languages would probably frown on them even more than Perl programmers do.

- Let's go back to our telephone book example now and I want you to make it so that you input the name of the file to read the telephone numbers from, not on command line, but interactively. What do we have to change in the code to make this work?
- How do we get information about files in Perl?
- What are bitwise operators? How do you use them and when do you use them?

- Remember to turn in assignment #7 tonight.