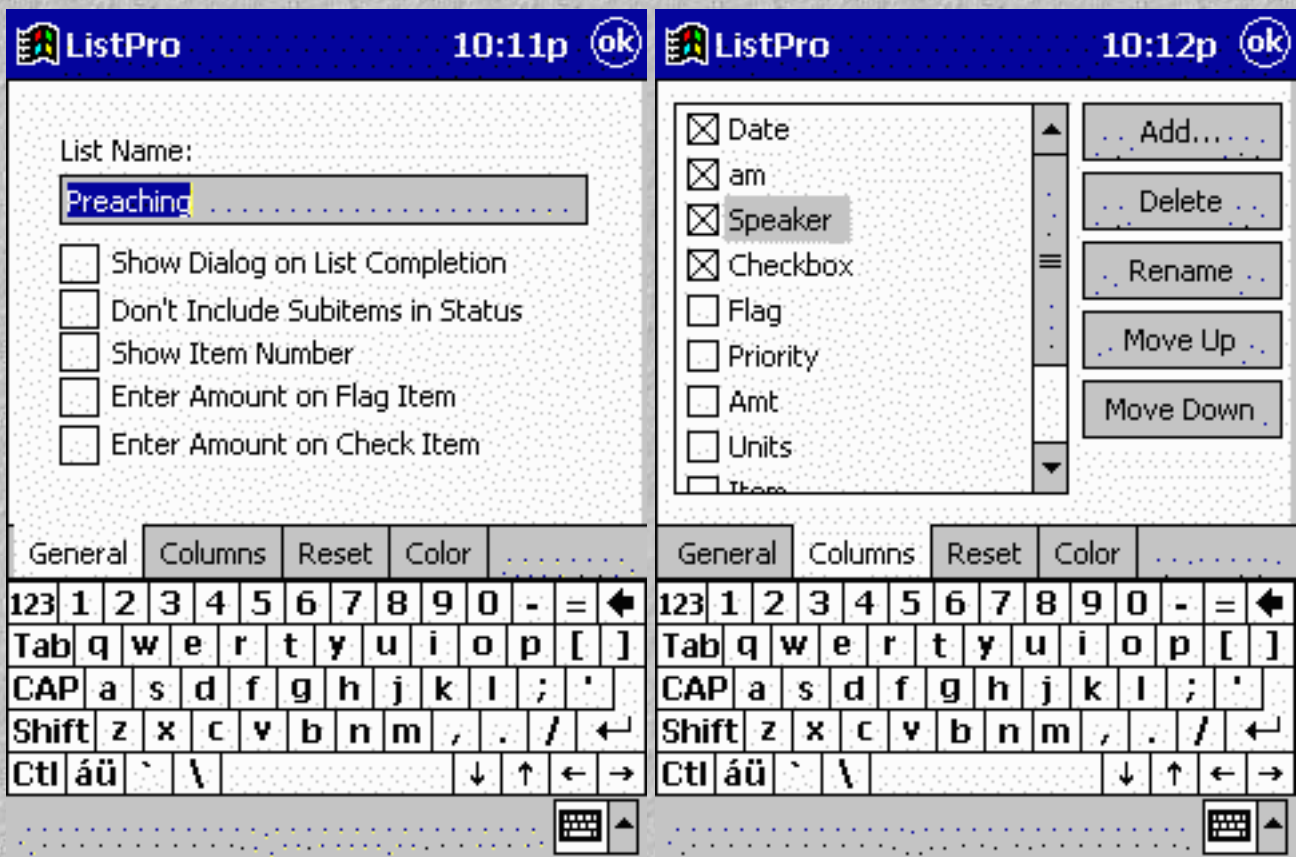


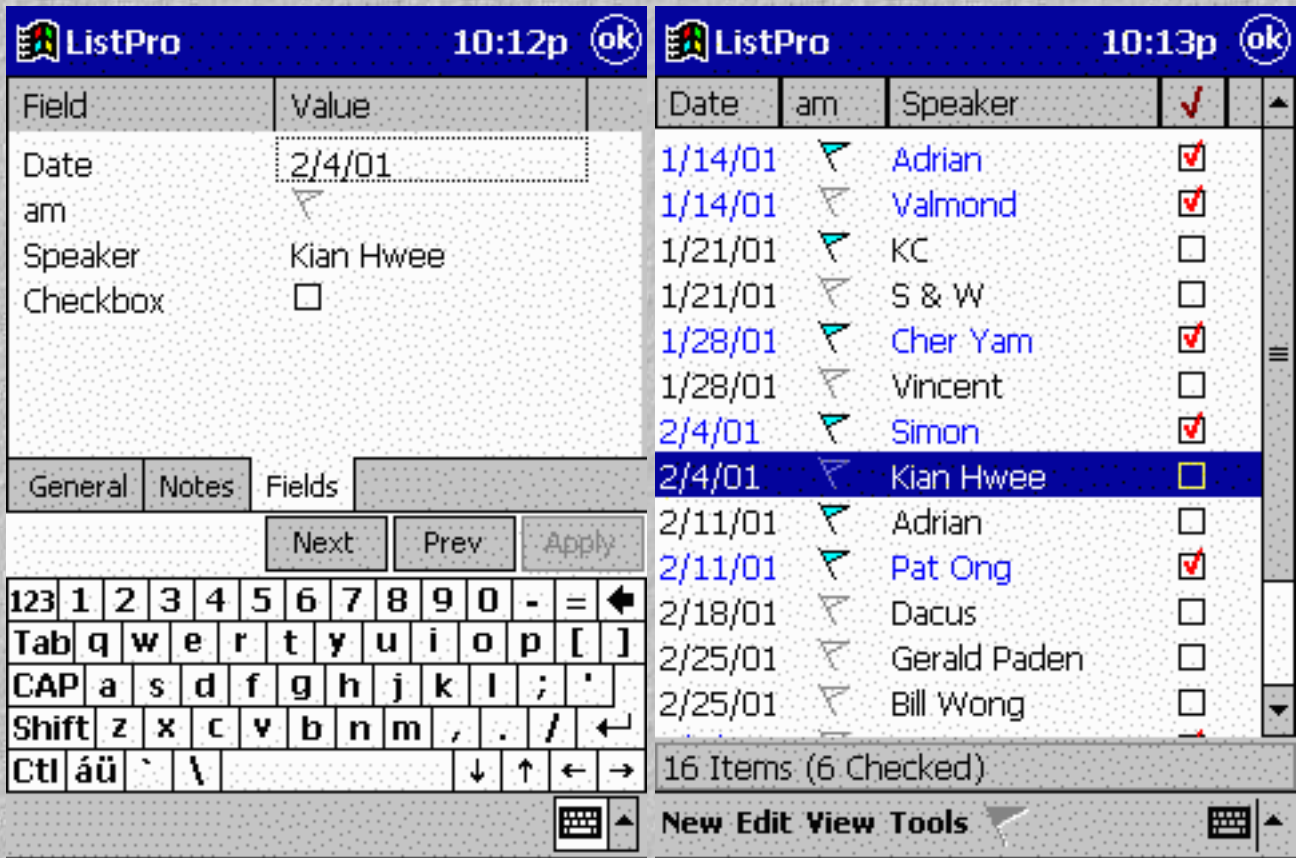
Software that puts a smile on your pocket

When I first migrated from the Palm OS to Pocket PCs, I was beginning to get cold feet when I lost the familiar friendly feel of applications that I have grown used to. Then one Monday morning, on my day off I started to surf the web in earnest on this quest.

What a sense of great joy it was when after hitting on some likely programs, I chanced upon Listpro. It's the kind of program that is both functionable and delightful, and all together simple and elegant. I was looking for a simple database like Palm's ThinkDB to do my scheduling and other personal stuff. I fiddle around with a few PPC database but didn't got very far. Then came this gem of a program.

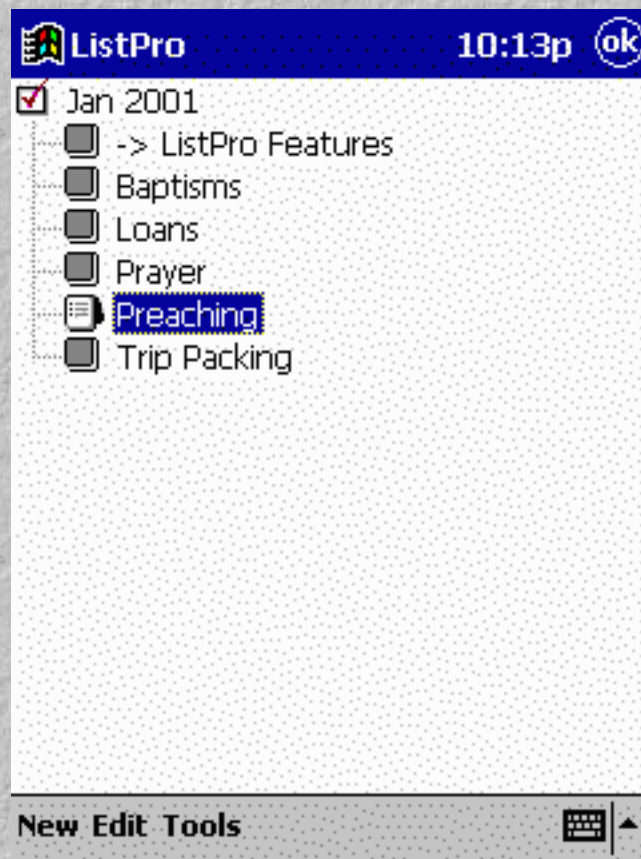


First, let me say that this program is very easy to run. The screenshots above gives the two-step running commentary on how to design a schedule database from scratch. First, give it a name. Then choose the fields you want. That's it!



Now, start entering your data. The date value allows easy calendar-type entry. There are numerical, string, checkbox and all kinds of value that you can choose from. The final result is a nice looking list with flags, checkboxes and all kinds of info at a glance. It is easy to sort, adjust columns and do fun stuff with the options.

Although this is just a nifty little program, there must be a lot of people like me that found it useful because it was not only bundled with my Ipaq, but there were about 200 free modules of every imaginable databases available for downloading. Let me add three more to that list. First, the above example of scheduling; in my case in listing the names of preachers on Sunday for morning and evening worships, with a checkbox to ascertain that the invitation is received and accepted.



Another Listpro database is a "prayer list". I enter the date and request of that prayer item, and continue to do so when I feel moved to pray or receive requests from members and friends. When the prayers are answered, I simply fill in that date. This gives me a great prayer journal that I can look back on as my spiritual journey. A third module is my "baptism list". Here, I enter the dates, names of visitors and the members who brought them to church. When they obey the Lord in baptism, I enter that date next to their name, plus a flag. This database helps me to keep track of people I need to visit or teach. By filtering the flag, I get a list of new converts at any one time.

This super database program, ListPro comes from [IliumSoft](#), who also produces [KeepTrack](#) and [eWallet](#), two programs IMHO are among the [7 best](#) for the pocket pc. Like both programs, there is a desk top version that allows you to do heavy duty stuff and then uses it on the ppc. These guys know how to keep programming, simple and sweet. Indeed, ListPro puts a smile in your pocket (pc)!