

Best Sellers

This Week	FICTION	Last Week	Weeks On List	This Week	NONFICTION	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	BLOOD NOIR , by Laurell K. Hamilton. (Berkley, \$25.95.) The vampire hunter Anita Blake is involved in a scandal that threatens the master vampire Jean-Claude's power.		1	1	WHAT HAPPENED , by Scott McClellan. (PublicAffairs, \$27.95.) A former White House press secretary regrets that "I allowed myself to be deceived" by top officials.		1
2	THE HOST , by Stephenie Meyer. (Little, Brown, \$25.99.) Aliens have taken control of the minds and bodies of most humans, but one woman won't surrender.	2	4	2	AUDITION , by Barbara Walters. (Knopf, \$29.95.) A personal and professional memoir.	1	4
3	ODD HOURS , by Dean R. Koontz. (Bantam, \$27.) Odd Thomas, who can communicate with the dead, confronts evil forces in a California coastal town.	1	2	3	ARE YOU THERE, VODKA? IT'S ME, CHELSEA , by Chelsea Handler. (Simon Spotlight Entertainment, \$24.95.) Humorous personal essays from the stand-up comedian.	2	6
4	LOVE THE ONE YOU'RE WITH , by Emily Giffin. (St. Martin's, \$24.95.) A woman's happy marriage is shaken when she encounters an old boyfriend.	3	3	4	THE POST-AMERICAN WORLD , by Fareed Zakaria. (Norton, \$25.95.) The rise of China and India and the global distribution of power.	3	5
5	SUNDAYS AT TIFFANY'S , by James Patterson and Gabrielle Charbonnet. (Little, Brown, \$24.99.) A woman finds an unexpected love.	6	5	5	STOLEN INNOCENCE , by Elissa Wall. (Morrow, \$25.95.) The star witness against the polygamous sect leader Warren Jeffs describes how he forced her to marry her first cousin when she was 14.	4	3
6	CHASING HARRY WINSTON , by Lauren Weisberger. (Simon & Schuster, \$25.95.) Three glamorous friends, New York women nearing 30, vow to change their lives.		1	6	MY STROKE OF INSIGHT , by Jill Bolte Taylor. (Viking, \$24.95.) A brain scientist shares what she learned from her 1996 stroke, which produced a sense of euphoria when it damaged her left brain.	13	2
7	THE FRONT , by Patricia Cornwell. (Putnam, \$22.95.) A Massachusetts state investigator and his team from "At Risk" confront a rogue association of municipal police departments.	4	2	7	THE DOWNHILL LIE , by Carl Hiaasen. (Knopf, \$22.) The Florida novelist takes up golf again after 32 years.	6	4
8	DEVIL MAY CARE , by Sebastian Faulks. (Doubleday, \$24.95.) This continuation of the James Bond franchise finds Bond tracking a dangerous pharmaceutical executive amid cold war tensions with the help of a beautiful girl.		1	8	THE REVOLUTION , by Ron Paul. (Grand Central, \$21.) A libertarian manifesto from the Texas congressman. (†)	5	6
9*	PHANTOM PREY , by John Sandford. (Putnam, \$26.95.) The Minneapolis detective Lucas Davenport investigates a string of murders of young Goths.	7	4	9	THE GREAT DERANGEMENT , by Matt Taibbi. (Spiegel & Grau, \$24.) An examination of the American public on the eve of the election, its views "forged in a crucible of ... nihilism."		1
10	SNUFF , by Chuck Palahniuk. (Doubleday, \$24.95.) An aging porn queen aims to cap her career by having sex on film with 600 men in one day.	5	2	10	COUNSELOR , by Ted Sorensen. (Harper, \$27.95.) A memoir by John F. Kennedy's speechwriter and close aide.	9	3
11	SHADOW OF POWER , by Steve Martini. (Morrow, \$26.95.) The lawyer Paul Madriani searches for a missing letter from Thomas Jefferson that might explain a scholar's murder.		1	11	ALWAYS BY MY SIDE , by Jim Nantz with Eli Spielman. (Gotham, \$26.) Remembering two decades with CBS Sports, with a focus on father-son relationships.	11	2
12	CARELESS IN RED , by Elizabeth George. (Harper, \$27.95.) In Cornwall, trying to recover from his wife's death, Detective Thomas Lynley becomes involved in a murder investigation.	9	4	12*	A WOLF AT THE TABLE , by Augusten Burroughs. (St. Martin's, \$24.95.) A memoir of life with a cruel father.	7	5
13*	THE WHOLE TRUTH , by David Baldacci. (Grand Central, \$26.99.) An intelligence agent and a journalist team up against a warmongering defense contractor.	10	6	13	ESCAPE , by Carolyn Jessop with Laura Palmer. (Broadway, \$24.95.) A former member of a fundamentalist polygamous sect describes her forced marriage.	10	10
14	THE ART OF RACING IN THE RAIN , by Garth Stein. (Harper, \$23.95.) A Lab-terrier mix with great insight into the human condition helps his owner, a struggling race car driver.	13	2	14	THE PROSECUTION OF GEORGE W. BUSH FOR MURDER , by Vincent Bugliosi. (Vanguard, \$26.95.) The Manson prosecutor makes a case for trying the president for the deaths of 4,000 American soldiers in Iraq.		1
15	INVINCIBLE , by Troy Denning. (Del Rey/Ballantine, \$27.) The New Jedi order battles Darth Caedus, Darth Vader's grandson; a "Star Wars: Legacy of the Force" novel.	11	3	15	A TIME TO FIGHT , by Jim Webb. (Broadway, \$24.95.) The Democratic senator from Virginia offers his political vision.	8	2
				16*	CHURCHILL, HITLER, AND "THE UNNECESSARY WAR," by Patrick J. Buchanan. (Crown, \$29.95.) British blunders led to World War II, Buchanan argues.		1

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Paperback Best Sellers

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1	THE SHACK , by William P. Young. (Windblown Media, \$14.99.) A man whose daughter was abducted is invited to an isolated shack, apparently by God. (†)	2
2	THE FRIDAY NIGHT KNITTING CLUB , by Kate Jacobs. (Berkley, \$14.) A group of women meet weekly at a New York City yarn shop.	22
3	THE KITE RUNNER , by Khaled Hosseini. (Riverhead, \$15.95 and \$14.) An Afghan-American returns to Kabul to learn how a childhood friend has fared.	39
4*	WATER FOR ELEPHANTS , by Sara Gruen. (Algonquin, \$13.95.) A young man — and an elephant — save a Depression-era circus.	39
5	NINETEEN MINUTES , by Jodi Picoult. (Washington Square, \$15.) The aftermath of a high school shooting reveals the fault lines in a small New Hampshire town.	17
6	THE ALCHEMIST , by Paulo Coelho. (HarperOne, \$13.95.) A Spanish shepherd boy travels to Egypt in search of treasure.	38
7	THE MEMORY KEEPER'S DAUGHTER , by Kim Edwards. (Penguin, \$14.) A doctor's decision to secretly send his newborn daughter, who has Down syndrome, to an institution haunts everyone involved.	39
8	THE YIDDISH POLICEMEN'S UNION , by Michael Chabon. (Harper Perennial, \$15.95.) A detective investigates a neighbor's murder in a Jewish settlement in Alaska.	5
9	THE LAST SUMMER (OF YOU AND ME) , by Ann Brashares. (Riverhead, \$14.) The bond between two sisters is tested by a romance with an old friend.	4
10	SECOND CHANCE , by Jane Green. (Plume, \$15.) A group of 30-something friends reconsider their lives after one of their number is killed in a terrorist attack.	1
11	RANT , by Chuck Palahniuk. (Anchor, \$13.95.) The "oral biography" of a serial killer.	4
12*	MY SISTER'S KEEPER , by Jodi Picoult. (Washington Square, \$14.) A girl sues her parents after learning they want her to donate a kidney to her sibling.	18
13	THE ROAD , by Cormac McCarthy. (Vintage, \$14.95.) A father and son travel in post-apocalypse America.	39
14	LOVING FRANK , by Nancy Horan. (Ballantine, \$14.) A story of romance between Frank Lloyd Wright and Mamah Borthwick Cheney, and the scandal that followed when they left behind spouses and children.	8
15	THE GATHERING , by Anne Enright. (Black Cat/Grove, \$14.) A middle-aged woman struggles to come to terms with the suicide of her brother; the winner of the 2007 Man Booker Prize.	31
16*	THE QUICKIE , by James Patterson and Michael Ledwidge. (Grand Central, \$14.99.) A police officer's attempt to get back at her husband goes dangerously awry.	9
17	THE PILLARS OF THE EARTH , by Ken Follett. (New American Library, \$24.95 and \$20.) Murder, arson and lust surround the building of a 12th-century cathedral.	29
18	LOVE WALKED IN , by Marisa de los Santos. (Plume, \$14.) A woman discovers her maternal side when she meets a charming man with an 11-year-old daughter.	14
19	THE OTHER BOLEYN GIRL , by Philippa Gregory. (Touchstone, \$16.) A tale of courtly intrigue starring Henry VIII and Mary and Anne Boleyn.	19
20	IN THE WOODS , by Tana French. (Penguin, \$14.) An Irish detective investigating the murder of a 12-year-old girl returns to the woods where he experienced a terrible ordeal during his own childhood.	1

This Week	MASS-MARKET FICTION	Weeks On List
1	THE HOLLOW , by Nora Roberts. (Jove, \$7.99.) Book 2 in the Sign of Seven trilogy.	4
2	THE LOST DUKE OF WYNDHAM , by Julia Quinn. (Avon, \$7.99.) A woman in a duchess' employ falls for a rake who may or may not be the long-lost duke of the house.	1
3*	HIGH NOON , by Nora Roberts. (Jove, \$7.99.) A hostage negotiator must face down her unknown stalker.	1
4	HIDE , by Lisa Gardner. (Bantam, \$7.99.) A former sniper with the Massachusetts State Police, now a detective, unravels a mystery that begins with the discovery of six corpses beneath a state mental hospital.	2
5	STEP ON A CRACK , by James Patterson and Michael Ledwidge. (Vision, \$9.99.) A detective raising 10 children alone must rescue 34 high-level hostages.	1
6	THE JUDAS STRAIN , by James Rollins. (Harper/HarperCollins, 7.99.) Sigma Force operatives trained in science investigate the re-emergence of an ancient plague.	1
7	ALWAYS DAKOTA , by Debbie Macomber. (Mira, \$7.99.) A reprint of the third book in the Dakota Trilogy.	1
8*	BUNGALOW 2 , by Danielle Steel. (Dell, \$7.99.) A writer deals with the effects of Hollywood success on her family life.	2
9	WAITING FOR NICK AND CONSIDERING KATE , by Nora Roberts. (Silhouette, \$7.99.) A reprint of two books featuring the Stanislaskis.	1
10	NOT ANOTHER BAD DATE , by Rachel Gibson. (Avon, \$7.99.) A woman who's suffered through a string of bad dates returns home and runs into "the one who got away."	1
11	THE GOOD GUY , by Dean Koontz. (Bantam, \$7.99.) An ordinary man finds himself at the center of a murder plot.	5
12	THE FIRST COMMANDMENT , by Brad Thor. (Pocket, \$7.99.) Scot Harvath, a Homeland Security superagent, is stalked by a terrorist released from Guantánamo.	2
13	WITH EVERY BREATH , by Lynn Kurland. (Jove, \$7.99.) A medieval romp featuring a brave laird and a witch known for her healing powers.	1
14*	INVISIBLE PREY , by John Sandford. (Berkley, \$9.99.) Detective Lucas Davenport finds ties between the murder of elderly Minneapolis residents and a political scandal.	6
15	THE SLEEPING DOLL , by Jeffery Deaver. (Pocket Star, \$9.99.) A California investigation expert tries to catch a homicidal cult leader.	2
16	DAMIEN , by Jacquelyn Frank. (Zebra, \$6.99.) The reigning vampire prince rescues, and longs for, a lycanthrope princess; Book 4 in the Nightwalkers paranormal series.	1
17	THE BOURNE BETRAYAL , by Eric Van Lustbader. (Vision, \$9.99.) Robert Ludlum's character Jason Bourne tangles with diabolical Islamic terrorists.	5
18	TEMPTING EVIL , by Allison Brennan. (Ballantine, \$6.99.) During a Montana snowstorm, escaped convicts join the hunt for a stranded Boy Scout.	2
19	DARK DESIRES AFTER DUSK , by Kresley Cole. (Grand Central, \$6.99.) A demon mercenary must decide whether to betray the enchanting halfling under his guard; Book 5 in the Immortals After Dark series.	3
20	SIMPLE GENIUS , by David Baldacci. (Grand Central, \$9.99.) Two former Secret Service agents investigate a scientist's murder, while one battles her own demons.	9

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Best Sellers Expanded List

HARDCOVER FICTION

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- 16 **SWINE NOT?**, by Jimmy Buffett (Little, Brown)
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- 17 **BLUE SMOKE AND MURDER**, by Elizabeth Lowell (Morrow)
-
- 18 **BRIGHT SHINY MORNING**, by James Frey (Harper)
-
- 19 **THE ENCHANTRESS OF FLORENCE**, by Salman Rushdie (Random House)
-
- 20 **UNACCUSTOMED EARTH**, by Jhumpa Lahiri (Knopf)
-
- 21 **THE STEEL WAVE**, by Jeff Shaara (Ballantine)
-
- 22 **EXECUTIVE PRIVILEGE**, by Phillip Margolin (Harper)
-
- 23 **A THOUSAND SPLENDID SUNS**, by Khaled Hosseini (Riverhead)
-
- 24 **INDIANA JONES AND THE KINGDOM OF THE CRYSTAL SKULL**, by James Rollins (Del Rey)
-
- 25 **THE APPEAL**, by John Grisham (Doubleday)
-
- 26 **FROM DEAD TO WORSE**, by Charlaine Harris (ACE)
-
- 27 **CHILD 44**, by Tom Rob Smith (Grand Central)
-
- 28 **THE REAPERS**, by John Connolly (Atria)
-
- 29 **TWENTY WISHES**, by Debbie Macomber (Mira)
-
- 30 **NETHERLAND**, by Joseph O'Neill (Pantheon)
-
- 31 **DAYS OF INFAMY**, by Newt Gingrich and William R. Forstchen (Thomas Dunne/St. Martin's)
-
- 32 **THE BRIEF AND WONDROUS LIFE OF OSCAR WAO**, by Junot Diaz (Riverhead)
-
- 33 **WHERE ARE YOU NOW?**, by Mary Higgins Clark (Simon & Schuster)
-
- 34 **CITY OF THIEVES**, by David Benioff (Viking)
-
- 35 **THE MIRACLE AT SPEEDY MOTORS**, by Alexander McCall Smith (Pantheon)

HARDCOVER NON-FICTION

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- 17 **YOUR GOVERNMENT FAILED YOU**, by Richard A. Clarke (Ecco)
-
- 18 **I AM AMERICA (AND SO CAN YOU!)**, by Stephen Colbert, Richard Dahm, Paul Dinello, Allison Silverman et al. (Grand Central)
-
- 19 **LADIES OF LIBERTY**, by Cokie Roberts (Morrow)
-
- 20 **BEAUTIFUL BOY**, by David Sheff (Houghton Mifflin)
-
- 21 **UP TILL NOW**, by William Shatner with David Fisher (Thomas Dunne/St. Martin's)
-
- 22 **THE LAST CAMPAIGN**, by Thurston Clarke (Holt)
-
- 23 **IN DEFENSE OF FOOD**, by Michael Pollan (Penguin Press)
-
- 24 **THE DRUNKARD'S WALK**, by Leonard Mlodinow (Pantheon)
-
- 25 **HOME**, by Julie Andrews (Hyperion)
-
- 26 **FREAKONOMICS**, by Steven D. Levitt and Stephen J. Dubner (Morrow)
-
- 27 **AMERICA'S HIDDEN HISTORY**, by Kenneth C. Davis (Smithsonian/Collins)
-
- 28 **THE NEW PARADIGM FOR FINANCIAL MARKETS**, by George Soros (PublicAffairs)
-
- 29 **A VOYAGE LONG AND STRANGE**, by Tony Horwitz (Holt)
-
- 30 **THE REASON FOR GOD**, by Timothy Keller (Dutton)
-
- 31 **NIXONLAND**, by Rick Perlstein (Scribner)
-
- 32 **MISTAKEN IDENTITY**, by Don and Susie Van Ryn and Newell, Colleen and Whitney Cerak, with Mark Tabb (Howard)
-
- 33 **THE BILLIONAIRE'S VINEGAR**, by Benjamin Wallace (Crown)
-
- 34 **GIRLS LIKE US**, by Sheila Weller (Atria)
-
- 35 **THE CHRIS FARLEY SHOW**, by Tom Farley Jr. and Tanner Colby (Viking)

Paperback Best Sellers Expanded List

TRADE FICTION

- 21 **THOSE WHO SAVE US**, by Jenna Blum (*Harvest*)
-
- 22 **OUT STEALING HORSES**, by Per Petterson (*Picador*)
-
- 23 **PEONY IN LOVE**, by Lisa See (*Random House*)
-
- 24 **THE GRAVEDIGGER'S DAUGHTER**, by Joyce Carol Oates (*Harper Perennial*)
-
- 25 **THE GATECRASHER**, by Madeleine Wickham (*St. Martin's Griffin*)
-
- 26 **BUDDHA**, by Deepak Chopra (*HarperOne*)
-
- 27 **WICKED PLEASURE**, by Lora Leigh (*St. Martin's Griffin*)
-
- 28 **DIVISADERO**, by Michael Ondaatje (*Vintage*)
-
- 29 **THE BOLEYN INHERITANCE**, by Philippa Gregory (*Touchstone*)
-
- 30 **PS, I LOVE YOU**, by Cecelia Ahern (*Hyperion*)
-
- 31 **SOMETHING BORROWED**, by Emily Giffin (*St. Martin's*)
-
- 32 **THE WITCH OF PORTOBELLO**, by Paulo Coelho (*Harper Perennial*)
-
- 33 **SNOW FLOWER AND THE SECRET FAN**, by Lisa See (*Random House*)
-
- 34 **THE FORBIDDEN**, by Beverly Lewis (*Bethany House*)
-
- 35 **THE TENDERNESS OF WOLVES**, by Stef Penney (*Simon & Schuster*)

MASS MARKET FICTION

- 21 **SHOOT HIM IF HE RUNS**, by Stuart Woods (*Signet*)
-
- 22 **OBSESSION**, by Karen Robards (*Signet*)
-
- 23 **THE DARKEST KISS**, by Gena Showalter (*HQN*)
-
- 24 **THE DARKEST KISS**, by Keri Arthur (*Dell Spectra*)
-
- 25 **SEASON OF STRANGERS**, by Kat Martin (*Mira*)
-
- 26 **BLOOD BROTHERS**, by Nora Roberts (*Jove*)
-
- 27 **THE TOUCH OF TWILIGHT**, by Vicki Pettersson (*Eos*)
-
- 28 **THE WOODS**, by Harlan Coben (*Signet*)
-
- 29 **SECRETS OF SURRENDER**, by Madeline Hunter (*Dell*)
-
- 30 **YOUR SCANDALOUS WAYS**, by Loretta Chase (*Avon*)
-
- 31 **THE DEVIL WHO TAMED HER**, by Johanna Lindsey (*Pocket*)
-
- 32 **I HEARD THAT SONG BEFORE**, by Mary Higgins Clark (*Pocket*)
-
- 33 **PANDORA'S DAUGHTER**, by Iris Johansen (*St. Martin's*)
-
- 34 **UP CLOSE AND DANGEROUS**, by Linda Howard (*Ballantine*)
-
- 35 **COMANCHE MOON**, by Catherine Anderson (*Signet*)

Paperback Non-Fiction Best Sellers List

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1	THREE CUPS OF TEA , by Greg Mortenson and David Oliver Relin. (Penguin, \$15.) A former climber builds schools in rural villages in Pakistan and Afghanistan.	70	11	THE TIPPING POINT , by Malcolm Gladwell. (Back Bay/Little, Brown, \$14.95.) A study of social epidemics, otherwise known as fads.	198
2	EAT, PRAY, LOVE , by Elizabeth Gilbert. (Penguin, \$15.) A writer's yearlong journey in search of self.	71	12*	A WHOLE NEW MIND , by Daniel H. Pink. (Riverhead, \$15.) Why right-brainers — conceptual, creative types — will rule the future.	17
3	THE AUDACITY OF HOPE , by Barack Obama. (Three Rivers, \$14.95.) The Illinois senator proposes that Americans move beyond their political divisions.	23	13	I WAS TOLD THERE'D BE CAKE , by Sloane Crosley. (Riverhead, \$14.) Humorous essays by a young New Yorker.	8
4	MARLEY & ME , by John Grogan. (Harper, \$13.95.) A couple learn life lessons from their neurotic dog.	12	14*	THE INNOCENT MAN , by John Grisham. (Delta, \$16; Dell, \$7.99.) Grisham's first nonfiction book concerns a man wrongly sentenced to death.	8
5	LONE SURVIVOR , by Marcus Luttrell with Patrick Robinson. (Back Bay/Little, Brown, \$15.) The only survivor of a Navy Seals operation in Afghanistan describes the battle, his comrades and his escape.	5	15	CLAPTON , by Eric Clapton. (Broadway, \$15.95.) The great guitarist looks back on his life and his music.	1
6	90 MINUTES IN HEAVEN , by Don Piper with Cecil Murphey. (Revell, \$12.99.) A minister on the otherworldly experience he had after an accident.	84	16	SUCH A PRETTY FAT , by Jen Lancaster. (New American Library, \$14.) The author, overweight and proud, thinks twice about her lifestyle — not out of a desire to be skinny, but to improve her health.	4
7	ANIMAL, VEGETABLE, MIRACLE , by Barbara Kingsolver with Steven L. Hopp and Camille Kingsolver. (Harper Perennial, \$14.95.) The novelist and her family spend a year eating homegrown or local food.	5	17	BLINK , by Malcolm Gladwell. (Back Bay/Little, Brown, \$15.99.) The importance of instinct to the workings of the mind.	52
8	DREAMS FROM MY FATHER , by Barack Obama. (Three Rivers, \$13.95.) The senator on life as the son of a black African father and a white American mother.	98	18	THE GOD DELUSION , by Richard Dawkins. (Mariner, \$15.95.) An Oxford scientist asserts that belief in God is irrational.	22
9*	I HOPE THEY SERVE BEER IN HELL , by Tucker Max. (Citadel, \$12.95.) Reflections of a self-absorbed, drunken womanizer.	35	19	INTO THE WILD , by Jon Krakauer. (Anchor, \$12.95.) A man's obsession with the wilderness ends in tragedy.	158
10	THE OMNIVORE'S DILEMMA , by Michael Pollan. (Penguin, \$16.) Tracking food from soil to plate.	40	20	EINSTEIN , by Walter Isaacson. (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) A biography based on newly released personal letters.	2

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21	INFIDEL , by Ayaan Hirsi Ali (Free Press)	29	THE GLASS CASTLE , by Jeannette Walls (Scribner)
22	JOHN ADAMS , by David McCullough (Simon & Schuster)	30	SAME KIND OF DIFFERENT AS ME , by Ron Hall and Denver Moore with Lynn Vincent (Thomas Nelson)
23	CHANGE YOUR BRAIN, CHANGE YOUR LIFE , by Daniel G. Amen (Three Rivers)	31	THE BRAIN THAT CHANGES ITSELF , by Norman Doidge (Penguin)
24	QUIET STRENGTH , by Tony Dungy with Nathan Whitaker (Tyndale)	32	UNDER THE BANNER OF HEAVEN , by Jon Krakauer (Anchor)
25	BLACKWATER , by Jeremy Scahill (Nation)	33	THE ASSAULT ON REASON , by Al Gore (Penguin)
26	LEGACY OF ASHES , by Tim Weiner (Anchor)	34	BETTER , by Atul Gawande (Picador)
27	MERLE'S DOOR , by Ted Kerasote (Harvest)	35	WHERE HAVE ALL THE LEADERS GONE? , by Lee Iacocca (Scribner)
28	THE WORLD IS FLAT , by Thomas L. Friedman (Picador)		

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Advice, How-To and Miscellaneous

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1	THE LAST LECTURE , by Randy Pausch with Jeffrey Zaslow. (Hyperion, \$21.95.) After learning he has terminal cancer, a Carnegie Mellon professor shares his thoughts on the importance of "seizing every moment!"	8
2	THE SECRET , by Rhonda Byrne. (Atria/Beyond Words, \$23.95.) The law of attraction as a key to getting what you want.	73
3	QUANTUM WELLNESS , by Kathy Freston. (Weinstein, \$23.95.) How small changes can lead to significant improvements in body and spirit. (†)	2
4	JUST WHO WILL YOU BE? , by Maria Shriver. (Hyperion, \$14.95.) Shriver's message: "What you do in your life isn't what matters. It's who you are."	7
5	GHOSTS AMONG US , by James Van Praagh. (HarperOne/HarperCollins, \$24.95.) Using knowledge about death and the spirit world to lead a more enlightened life.	3
6	THE SOUTH BEACH DIET SUPERCHARGED , by Arthur Agatston with Joseph Signorile. (Rodale, \$25.95.) A guide to faster weight loss.	5
7	THE 4-HOUR WORKWEEK , by Timothy Ferriss. (Crown, \$19.95.) Reconstructing your life so that it's not all about work.	27
8*	MEDICAL MYTHS THAT CAN KILL YOU , by Nancy L. Snyderman. (Crown, \$24.95.) The chief medical editor for NBC News debunks health myths.	2
9	THE DANGEROUS BOOK FOR BOYS , by Conn Iggulden and Hal Iggulden. (Collins/HarperCollins, \$24.95.) Skipping stones, tying knots and other essential activities — video games not included.	49
10*	DEBT CURES "THEY" DON'T WANT YOU TO KNOW ABOUT , by Kevin Trudeau. (Equity, \$25.95.) How the credit industry is rigged against you, and how to fight back by changing your financial habits. (†)	4

This Week	PAPERBACK	Weeks On List
1	A NEW EARTH , by Eckhart Tolle. (Plume, \$14.) A spiritual teacher prescribes letting go of the ego to help end conflict and suffering.	18
2	SKINNY BITCH , by Rory Freedman and Kim Barnouin. (Running Press, \$13.95.) Vegan diet advice from the world of modeling.	47
3	THE POWER OF NOW , by Eckhart Tolle. (New World Library, \$14.) A guide to personal growth and spiritual enlightenment.	33
4	HUNGRY GIRL , by Lisa Lillien. (St. Martin's Griffin, \$17.95.) Recipes for burgers, nachos, pizza, fudge, onion rings and other "guilty" foods — without the guilt.	5
5*	WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN YOU'RE EXPECTING , by Heidi Murkoff and Sharon Mazel. (Workman, \$14.95.) Advice for parents-to-be. (†)	363
6	THE FIVE LOVE LANGUAGES , by Gary Chapman. (Northfield, \$13.99.) How to communicate love in a way a spouse will understand.	49
7	HELLO, CUPCAKE! , by Alan Richardson and Karen Tack. (Houghton Mifflin, \$15.95.) Funny, scary, playful and sophisticated creations made with treats you can find in any grocery aisle.	4
8	SKINNY BITCH IN THE KITCH , by Rory Freedman and Kim Barnouin. (Running Press, \$14.95.) Vegan recipes from the authors of "Skinny Bitch."	14
9	GETTING THINGS DONE , by David Allen. (Penguin, \$15.) A productivity consultant on how to keep stress at bay through personal organization and time management.	28
10	THE PURPOSE-DRIVEN LIFE , by Rick Warren. (Zondervan, \$14.99.) Finding meaning in one's life through God.	21

Advice, How-To and Miscellaneous Expanded List

HARDCOVER

- 11 **YOU: THE OWNER'S MANUAL**, by Michael F. Roizen and Mehmet C. Oz with Lisa Oz and Ted Spiker (Collins/Harper Collins)
- 12 **THE TOTAL MONEY MAKEOVER**, by Dave Ramsey (Thomas Nelson)
- 13 **HARMONIC WEALTH**, by James Arthur Ray (Hyperion)
- 14 **BECOME A BETTER YOU**, by Joel Osteen (Free Press)
- 15 **THE POCKET DANGEROUS BOOK FOR BOYS**, by Conn Iggulden and Hal Iggulden (Collins)

PAPERBACK

- 11 **THE 7 HABITS OF HIGHLY EFFECTIVE PEOPLE**, by Stephen R. Covey (Free Press)
- 12 **RICH DAD, POOR DAD**, by Robert T. Kiyosaki with Sharon L. Lechter (Warner)
- 13 **MAKING THE CUT**, by Jillian Michaels (Three Rivers)
- 14 **CESAR'S WAY**, by Cesar Millan and Melissa Jo Peltier (Three Rivers)
- 15 **GORGEOUSLY GREEN**, by Sophie Uliano (Collins)

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Children's Best Sellers

This Week	PICTURE BOOKS	Weeks On List	This Week	CHAPTER BOOKS	Weeks On List
1	GALLOP! written and illustrated by Rufus Butler Seder. (Workman, \$12.95.) Animals seem to move when you flip the page. (Ages 4 to 8)	29	1	DIARY OF A WIMPY KID , written and illustrated by Jeff Kinney. (Amulet/Abrams, \$12.95.) The travails of adolescence, in cartoons. (Ages 9 to 12)	59
2	READ ALL ABOUT IT! by Laura Bush and Jenna Bush. Illustrated by Denise Brunkus. (HarperCollins, \$17.99.) A boy is surprised to discover that he loves storybooks. (Ages 4 to 8)	6	2	DIARY OF A WIMPY KID: RODRICK RULES , by Jeff Kinney. (Amulet/Abrams, \$12.95.) How Greg embarrassed himself on his vacation; a sequel to "Diary of a Wimpy Kid." (Ages 9 to 12)	20
3	ALPHABET , by Matthew Van Fleet. (Wiseman/Simon & Schuster, \$19.99.) An interactive safari ABC. (Ages 2 to 6)	8	3	THE QUEST BEGINS , by Erin Hunter. (HarperCollins, \$16.99.) The adventures of three bear cubs. (Ages 12 and up)	1
4	SMASH! CRASH! by Jon Scieszka. Illustrated by David Shannon, Loren Long and David Gordon. (Simon & Schuster, \$16.99.) A truck named Jack and a dump truck named Dan love to smash into things. (Ages 3 to 7)	19	4	LOCK AND KEY , by Sarah Dessen. (Viking, \$18.99.) A free-spirited high school girl is sent to live with her wealthy older sister. (Ages 12 and up)	6
5	KNUFFLE BUNNY TOO , written and illustrated by Mo Willems. (Hyperion, \$16.99.) One of Trixie's classmates has a bunny just like hers. (Ages 4 to 8)	30	5	TWEAK , by Nic Sheff. (Ginee Seo/Antheneum, \$16.99.) A memoir of a teenager's methamphetamine addiction. (Ages 15 and up)	14
6	ZEN TIES , written and illustrated by Jon J. Muth. (Scholastic, \$17.99.) Stillwater the Buddhist panda encourages friends to help a neighbor. (Ages 4 to 8)	20	6	THE INVENTION OF HUGO CABRET , written and illustrated by Brian Selznick. (Scholastic, \$22.99.) A novel "in words and pictures"; an orphaned thief must decipher his father's last message. (Ages 9 to 12)	61
7	DIRT ON MY SHIRT , by Jeff Foxworthy. Illustrated by Steve Bjorkman. (HarperCollins, \$16.99.) Poems of childhood by the comedian and TV host. (Ages 4 to 7)	13	7	NICK OF TIME , by Ted Bell. (St. Martin's Griffin, \$17.95.) On the eve of World War II, a British boy travels back to the early 1800s. (Ages 9 to 12)	3
8	LADYBUG GIRL , by Jacky Davis and David Soman. Illustrated by David Soman. (Dial, \$16.99.) Imagination and the right outfit help a little girl feel bigger. (Ages 4 and up)	11	8	LITTLE BROTHER , by Cory Doctorow. (Tor, \$17.95.) A teenage hacker takes on the government after a terrorist attack turns America into a police state. (Ages 12 and up)	4
9	DON'T BUMP THE GLUMP! written and illustrated by Shel Silverstein. (HarperCollins, \$17.99.) His first collection of nonsense verse, originally published in 1964. (Ages 5 and up)	9	9	INK EXCHANGE , by Melissa Marr. (HarperCollins, \$16.99.) A tattoo leads a girl into a parallel world. (Ages 12 and up)	5
10	RETURN TO FAIRYOPOLIS , written and illustrated by Cicely Mary Barker. (Warne, \$19.99.) A teenage girl regains her belief in a land of fairies. (Ages 9 to 12)	2	10	THE PENDERWICKS ON GARDAM STREET , by Jeanne Birdsall. (Knopf, \$15.99.) Four sisters intervene in their father's dating life; a sequel to "The Penderwicks." (Ages 12 and up)	6
PAPERBACK BOOKS			SERIES		
1	DYLAN , by Lisi Harrison. (Poppy/Little, Brown, \$6.99.) The daughter of a TV journalist falls in love at a Hawaiian tennis tournament; a Clique novel. (Ages 12 and up)	4	1	THE TWILIGHT SAGA , by Stephenie Meyer. (Megan Tingley/Little Brown, hardcover and paperback.) Vampires and werewolves in high school. (Ages 12 and up)	43
2	INDIANA JONES AND THE KINGDOM OF THE CRYSTAL SKULL , by James Luceno. (Scholastic, \$6.99.) Archaeological derring-do; a movie tie-in. (Ages 9 to 12)	2	2	PERCY JACKSON & THE OLYMPIANS , by Rick Riordan. (Miramax, hardcover and paperback.) Battling mythological monsters. (Ages 9 to 12)	57
3	MASSIE , by Lisi Harrison. (Poppy/Little, Brown, \$6.99.) A Westchester girl takes a summer job selling cosmetics; a Clique novel. (Ages 12 and up)	9	3	PENDRAGON , by D. J. MacHale. (Aladdin, hardcover and paperback.) A teenage boy travels through time and space. (Ages 10 and up)	61
4	THE BOOK THIEF , by Markus Zusak. (Knopf, \$11.99.) A girl saves books from Nazi burning and shares them with a Jewish man in hiding. (Ages 14 and up)	38	4	PRETTY LITTLE LIARS , by Sara Shepard. (Harper Teen, hardcover and paperback.) Four girls less perfect than they seem. (Ages 14 and up)	7
5	CAMP ROCK , by Lucy Ruggles. (Disney, \$4.99.) A girl spends her summer learning pop music; a tie-in to the TV movie. (Ages 9 to 12)	1	5	WARRIORS: POWER OF THREE , by Erin Hunter. (HarperCollins, hardcover only.) Cat warriors fight for survival in a mythical land. (Ages 9 to 12)	6
6	THE CARLYLES , by Cecily Von Ziegesar. (Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, \$10.99.) Triplets from Nantucket move into Blair Waldorf's old apartment; a Gossip Girl novel. (Ages 14 and up)	4	6	MAGIC TREE HOUSE , by Mary Pope Osborne. Illustrated by Sal Murdocca. (Stepping Stone/Random House, hardcover and paperback.) Children travel in time. (Ages 6 to 9)	183
7	BRATFEST AT TIFFANY'S , by Lisi Harrison. (Poppy/Little, Brown, \$9.99.) Crushes divide the girls on the Pretty Committee; a Clique novel. (Ages 12 and up)	17	7	FANCY NANCY , by Jane O'Connor. Illustrated by Robin Preiss Glasser. (HarperCollins, hardcover and paperback.) A glamour girl's divine life. (Ages 4 to 8)	17
8	KYLIE THE CARNIVAL FAIRY , by Daisy Meadows. (Scholastic, \$6.99.) A fairy tries to find stolen magic hats. (Ages 4 to 8)	1	8	BEST AT EVERYTHING , by various authors and illustrators. (Scholastic, hardcover only.) Advice for living, comic and sincere. (Ages 9 and up)	2
9	THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA: PRINCE CASPIAN , by C. S. Lewis. (HarperCollins, \$7.99.) The Pevensies return to Narnia; a movie tie-in. (Ages 8 and up)	6	9	SEPTIMUS HEAP , by Angie Sage. (Tegen/HarperCollins, hardcover and paperback.) Lost at birth, a boy fulfills his destiny as a wizard. (Ages 9 and up)	20
10	JUST LISTEN , by Sarah Dessen. (Speak, \$8.99.) A girl finally deals with a difficult incident. (Ages 12 and up)	14	10	MAXIMUM RIDE , by James Patterson. (Little Brown, hardcover and paperback.) Winged children try to save the world. (Ages 10 and up)	41

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Editor's Choice

WHILE THEY SLEPT: *An Inquiry Into the Murder of a Family*, by Kathryn Harrison. (Random House, \$25.) Harrison's account brings moral clarity to the dark fate of the family of Jody Gilley, who was 16 when she survived a rampage by her brother in 1984.

PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE: *Profiles in Backroom Power*, by John Harwood and Gerald F. Seib. (Random House, \$26.) Sharp vignettes and portraits of "fixers" show how business really gets done in Washington.

THE DRUNKARD'S WALK: *How Randomness Rules Our Lives*, by Leonard Mlodinow. (Pantheon, \$24.95.) This breezy crash course intersperses probabilistic mind-benders with profiles of theorists.

DRAWING THE LINE AT THE BIG DITCH: *The Panama Canal Treaties and the Rise of the Right*, by Adam Clymer. (University Press of Kansas, \$29.95.) A case study of how one issue played out during the scorched-earth political campaigns of 1976-80.

A WRITER'S PEOPLE. *Ways of Looking and Feeling: An Essay in Five Parts*, by V.S. Naipaul. (Knopf, \$24.95.) Naipaul looks at some of the writers who have influenced him in his bracing new memoir.

THE ENCHANTRESS OF FLORENCE, by Salman Rushdie. (Random House, \$26.) In Rushdie's novel of marvels, a traveler from the city of the Medicis claims a blood relationship with the Mughal ruler Akbar.

MORALITY TALE, by Sylvia Brownrigg. (Counter-

point, \$24.) The protagonist of this deadpan novel, a put-upon second wife in an undernourished marriage, conducts a love affair of the unconsummated kind.

THE BOAT, by Nam Le. (Knopf, \$22.95.) In the opening story of Le's first collection, a blocked writer succumbs to the easy temptations of "ethnic lit."

BREATH, by Tim Winton. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$23.) Surfing offers this darkly exhilarating novel's protagonist an escape from a drab Australian town.

The full reviews of these and other recent books are on the Web: nytimes.com/books.

Paperback Row

DIVISADERO, by Michael Ondaatje. (Vintage International, \$13.95.) This novel by the author of "The English Patient" braids together three stories full of parallels and resonances. On a Northern California farm, two girls grow up with their father and an adopted farmhand whose love for one of the sisters leads to an act of violence with lasting consequences. She becomes a literary historian obsessed by a French poet who vanished mysteriously. And she moves to the French countryside, where she falls in love with a guitar-playing Gypsy who turns out to be the poet's more-or-less adopted son. Our reviewer, Erica Wagner, found the book initially hard to follow, but concluded, "Give in to Ondaatje and his language will seduce you."

INVENTING HUMAN RIGHTS: A History, by Lynn Hunt. (Norton, \$14.95.) We know that our concept of human rights has its roots in the 18th-century Enlightenment, but how did those "truths" come to appear "self-evident"? And "how did these men, living in societies built on slavery, subordination and seemingly natural subservience, ever come to imagine men not at all like them and, in some cases, women too, as equals?" Hunt asks. Writing in the Book Review, Gordon S. Wood marveled at "this remarkable little book" that "covers so much ground ... with such clarity."

THE SEA LADY: A Late Romance, by Margaret Drabble. (Harvest/Harcourt, \$14.) In Drabble's 17th novel, a couple — he a marine biologist, she a feminist scholar of gender — come back together, after shunning each other for 30 years, when they both receive honorary degrees from the same university.

SHADES OF DIFFERENCE: Mac Maharaj and the Struggle for South Africa, by Padraig

O'Malley. (Penguin, \$18.) This biography of Maharaj — an anti-apartheid activist for nearly 40 years who served in Nelson Mandela's government — is also a portrait of South Africa, with special attention to recent developments. Another perspective on the future of Africa comes from John Ghazvinian. In **UNTAPPED: The Scramble for Africa's Oil** (Harvest/Harcourt, \$15), he describes his travels through 12 countries where the United States is competing with China for access to the continent's resources; for most Africans, however, "the curse of oil is a hydra-headed monster."

THE YEARS OF EXTERMINATION: Nazi Germany and the Jews, 1939-1945, by Saul Friedländer. (Harper Perennial, \$19.95.) The second volume of Friedländer's history skillfully interweaves individual testimony with a broad depiction of events, treating historical controversies fairly and examining virtually every printed source in English, German and French. The book "establishes itself as the standard historical work on Nazi Germany's mass murder of Europe's Jews," our reviewer, Richard J. Evans, wrote, calling it "an account of unparalleled vividness and power that reads like a novel" and "a masterpiece." "The Years of Extermination" won this year's Pulitzer Prize for general nonfiction.

THE BIG GIRLS, by Susanna Moore. (Vintage, \$14.95.) A women's prison north of New York City is the setting for this novel by Moore, who has often written about desire and danger. A woman who has murdered her two small children and a prison psychiatrist who battles her own demons are the main characters, as Moore focuses on the brutality that goes on in the prison and the brutality that has shaped the women's lives.

NEGRO LEAGUE BASEBALL: The Rise and Ruin of a Black Institution, by Neil Lanctot. (University of Pennsylvania, \$19.95.) Lanctot's "prodigiously researched and thoroughly unsentimental" history of black baseball, as Warren Goldstein described it in the Book Review, offers "an enormously important" corrective to the "feel-good version of baseball integration." Negro League baseball owed its existence to white racism, and pressure for integration after World War II had complex and ironic effects on owners, players and fans. **OPENING DAY: The Story of Jackie Robinson's First Season**, by Jonathan Eig (Simon & Schuster, \$15), is an accessible account, full of local color and period details.

IN THE DRIVER'S SEAT, by Helen Simpson. (Vintage Contemporaries, \$13.95.) The stories in Simpson's fourth collection focus with tenderness and mordant wit on the childhood grief and adult desperation of middle-class family life.

RETHINKING THIN: The New Science of Weight Loss — and the Myths and Realities of Dieting, by Gina Kolata. (Picador, \$15.) Kolata, a science reporter for The Times, reviews a host of studies showing that people who follow diets manage to keep off very little weight, and that genetics play a large role in determining body size. Perhaps, she concludes, the current alarm about obesity is less a legitimate public health concern than a "moral panic."

CONSEQUENCES, by Penelope Lively. (Penguin, \$14.) Personal and historical events weave together as Lively's 17th work of fiction follows three generations of women from the 1930s to the 21st century, with meetings and exchanges and consequences for all.

Elsa Dixler