## The New York Times Best Seller List

| This<br>Week | March 19, 2000<br>Fiction   | Last<br>Week | Weeks<br>On List |
|--------------|---|--------------|------------------|
| 1            | THE BRETHREN, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$27.95.) Three former judges, doing time at a federal prison in Florida, concoct a mail scam that goes awry.                | 1            | 5                |
| 2            | HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS, by J. K. Rowling. (Levine/Scholastic, \$17.95.) A British boy finds trouble when he returns to a witchcraft school.            | 2            | 40               |
| 3            | HARRY POTTER AND THE PRISONER OF AZKABAN, by J. K. Rowling. (Levine/Scholastic, \$19.95.) A British boy's life at a school for witchcraft is threatened.                | 3            | 26               |
| 4            | DAUGHTER OF FORTUNE, by Isabel Allende. (HarperCollins, \$26.) A young woman joins the 1849 gold rush.  | 4            | 4                |
| 5            | GAP CREEK, by Robert Morgan. (Algonquin, \$22.95.) The fortunes of a struggling young couple in Appalachia.   | 5            | 7                |
| 6            | HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE, by J. K. Rowling. (Levine/Scholastic, \$16.95.) A British boy finds his fortune attending a school for witchcraft.               | 6            | 65               |
| 7            | BRIDGET JONES: The Edge of Reason, by Helen Fielding. (Viking, \$24.95.) Another year in the life of a single woman in London.  |              | 1                |
| 8            | THE LION'S GAME, by Nelson DeMille. (Warner, \$26.95.) A former detective pursues a Libyan terrorist.   | 7            | 9                |
| 9            | TOUGH COOKIE, by Diane Mott Davidson. (Bantam, \$23.95.) A chef investigates the suspicious death of her ex-boyfriend, chairman of the Colorado parole board.           |              | 1                |
| 10           | DAY OF RECKONING, by Jack Higgins. (Putnam, \$25.95.) The head of a secret White House department sets out to destroy an international crime boss.                      |              | 1                |
| 11           | MOMENT OF TRUTH, by Lisa Scottoline. (HarperCollins, \$25.) An innocent man insists he is guilty of murder.   | 10           | 2                |
| 12           | ASHES OF VICTORY, by David Weber. (Baen, \$25.) Honor Harrington escapes from a prison planet called Hell in time for the climax of an all-out war in space.            |              | 1                |
| 13           | CITY OF GOD, by E. L. Doctorow. (Random House, \$25.) A cross stolen from a New York church mysteriously appears on the roof of a synagogue.                            | 11           | 3                |
| 14           | SICK PUPPY, by Carl Hiaasen. (Knopf, \$25.) Depraved people (corrupt politicians, eco-terrorists, a hooker who caters only to Republicans) are on the loose in Florida. | 8            | 9                |
| 15           | TIMELINE, by Michael Crichton. (Knopf, \$26.95.) Historians travel back to 14th-century feudal France.  | 9            | 16               |
| 16           | A WALK TO REMEMBER, by Nicholas Sparks. (Warner, \$19.95.) In 1958, a high school senior in North Carolina finds love with the daughter of a Baptist minister.          | 14           | 22               |
| 17           | BEOWULF, translated by Seamus Heaney. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$25.) A new rendering of the Anglo-Saxon epic by a Nobel Prize-winning Irish poet.                     |              | 1                |

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| 1            | TUESDAYS WITH MORRIE, by Mitch Albom. (Doubleday, \$19.95.) The author tells of his weekly visits to his old college mentor, who was near death's door.       | 1            | 126              |
| 2            | THE ROCK SAYS, by the Rock with Joe Layden. (ReganBooks/HarperCollins, \$26.) A memoir by a professional wrestler.  | 3            | 9                |
| 3            | THE MILLIONAIRE MIND, by Thomas J. Stanley. (Andrews McMeel, \$26.95.) An analysis of the people who make up America's financial elite.                       | 2            | 4                |
| 4            | 'TIS, by Frank McCourt. (Scribner, \$26.) An Irish immigrant gets used to life in America: the second volume of a memoir.                                     | 4            | 24               |
| 5            | FAITH OF MY FATHERS, by John McCain with Mark Salter. (Random House, \$25.) A family memoir by the United States senator and former P.O.W.                    | 5            | 23               |
| 6            | HAVE A NICE DAY! by Mick Foley. (ReganBooks/ HarperCollins, \$25.) A prowrestler's autobiography.   | 7            | 20               |
| 7            | A HEARTBREAKING WORK OF STAGGERING GENIUS, by Dave Eggers. (Simon & Schuster, \$23.) A young man's account of raising his 8-year-old brother.                 | 6            | 4                |
| 8            | PEANUTS: A Golden Celebration, by Charles M. Schulz; edited by David Larkin. (HarperCollins, \$45.) A history of the comic, with more than 1,000 strips.      | 12           | 3                |
| 9            | THE GREATEST GENERATION, by Tom Brokaw. (Random House, \$24.95.) The lives of men and women who came of age during the Depression and World War II.           | 9            | 66               |
| 10           | THE ART OF HAPPINESS, by the Dalai Lama and Howard C. Cutler. (Riverhead, \$22.95.) What Buddhism and common sense tell us about everyday problems.           | 10           | 60               |
| 11           | SHRUB, by Molly Ivins and Lou Dubose. (Random House, \$19.95.) A critical account of the career of Gov. George W. Bush of Texas.                              | 8            | 2                |
| 12           | FROM THIS DAY FORWARD, by Cokie Roberts and Steve Roberts. (Morrow, \$24.) Two journalists reflect on their life together and on the institution of marriage. | 11           | 5                |
| 13           | THE GREATEST GENERATION SPEAKS, by Tom Brokaw. (Random House, \$19.95.) What the people who fought in World War II confided in letters to the author.         | 14           | 14               |
| 14           | GEORGIANA, by Amanda Foreman. (Random House, \$29.95.) The life of an 18th-century English duchess.   | 13           | 4                |
| 15           | AS NATURE MADE HIM, by John Colapinto. (HarperCollins, \$26.) A journalist tells the story of a mutilated boy who was raised as a girl.                       |              | 1                |
| 16           | CONVERSATIONS WITH GOD: Book 1, by Neale Donald Walsch. (Putnam, \$19.95.) The author addresses questions of good and evil, guilt and sin.                    |              | 132              |