

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	December 30, 1956 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	PEYTON PLACE, by Grace Metalious.	1	14
2	DON'T GO NEAR THE WATER, by William Brinkley.	2	24
3	THE TRIBE THAT LOST ITS HEAD, by Nicholas Monsarrat.	3	8
4	THE FOUNTAIN OVERFLOWS, by Rebecca West.	12	2
5	AUNTIE MAME, by Patrick Dennis.	4	94
6	COMPULSION, by Meyer Levin.	5	7
7	KING OF PARIS, by Guy Endore.	7	11
8	THE LAST HURRAH, by Edwin O'Connor.	6	45
9	MERRY CHRISTMAS, MR. BAXTER, by Edward Streeter.	9	5
10	JERICO'S DAUGHTERS, by Paul Wellman.	8	10
11	THE WRECK OF THE MARY DEARE, by Hammond Innes.	13	3
12	THE LOVING COUPLE, by Virginia Rowans.	10	14
13	THESE THOUSAND HILLS, by A.B. Guthrie Jr.	14	3
14	ANGLO-SAXON ATTITUDES, by Angus Wilson.	15	10
15	THE SUCCESS, by Helen Howe.	--	11
16	THE LAST OF THE WINE, by Mary Renault.	--	1

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This Week	December 30, 1956 Non-Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE NUN'S STORY, by Kathryn Hulme.	1	14
2	THIS HALLOWED GROUND, by Bruce Catton.	2	7
3	MEN TO MATCH MY MOUNTAINS, by Irving Stone.	3	11
4	MUCH ADO ABOUT ME, by Fred Allen.	7	4
5	THE FBI STORY, by Don Whitehead.	6	3
6	PROFILES IN COURAGE, by John F. Kennedy.	5	50
7	THE NEW WORLD, by Winston S. Churchill.	4	5
8	AUTUMN ACROSS AMERICA, by Edwin Way Teale.	9	8
9	THREE SAINTS AND A SINNER, by Louise Hall Tharp.	8	10
10	THE OUTSIDER, by Colin Wilson.	10	13
11	THE BIBLE AS HISTORY, by Werner Keller.	13	4
12	THE LIFE OF THE PARTY, by Bennett Cerf.	12	4
13	ARTHRITIS AND COMMON SENSE, by Dale Alexander.	11	38
14	WATER, WATER EVERYWHERE, by Emily Kimbrough.	16	3
15	AN HISTORIAN'S APPROACH TO RELIGION, by Arnold Joseph Toynbee.	--	11
16	SEVEN WONDERS OF THE WORLD, by Lowell Thomas.	--	1