

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	October 17, 1993 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$16.95.) A photographer and a lonely farmer's wife in Iowa.	1	62
2	LASHER, by Anne Rice. (Knopf, \$25.) The demon Lasher pursues the witch Rowan and their child; a sequel to "The Witching Hour."	2	3
3	NIGHTMARES & DREAMSCAPES, by Stephen King. (Viking, \$27.50.) Twenty stories (mostly about the macabre), a teleplay, an essay and a poem.	--	1
4	SACRED CLOWNS, by Tony Hillerman. (HarperCollins, \$23.) Two Navajo tribal policemen undertake to unravel a web of politics and murder.	3	3
5	WITHOUT REMORSE, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$24.95.) John Kelly becomes involved in a Pentagon project to rescue prisoners held in North Vietnam.	4	8
6	THE GOLDEN MEAN, by Nick Bantock. (Chronicle Books, \$17.95.) A sequel to "Griffin & Sabine."	5	6
7	LIKE WATER FOR CHOCOLATE, by Laura Esquivel. (Doubleday, \$17.50.) Frustration, love, hope -- and recipes -- sampled by a woman on a Mexican ranch.	6	27
8	THE CLIENT, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$23.50.) A deadly secret, revealed by a lawyer just before he kills himself, presents problems for an 11-year-old boy.	7	31
9	STRIP TEASE, by Carl Hiaasen. (Knopf, \$21.) The problems, political and sexual, of a Florida Congressman.	9	6
10	POT OF GOLD, by Judith Michael. (Poseidon, \$23.) A single mother and her teenage daughter go on a spree after winning \$60 million in a lottery.	13	3
11	VANISHED, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$23.95.) The abduction of their young son creates a crisis for a New York man and woman and for the woman's first lover.	8	10
12	STREETS OF LAREDO, by Larry McMurtry. (Simon & Schuster, \$25.) A Texas bounty hunter goes south of the border in pursuit of a train robber and killer.	10	11
13	GRIFFIN & SABINE, by Nick Bantock. (Chronicle Books, \$17.95.) The romance of an artist and a secret admirer, told through illustrated cards and letters.	11	39
14	PIGS IN HEAVEN, by Barbara Kingsolver. (HarperCollins, \$22.) The stresses and strains that befall a mother and her adopted Cherokee daughter.	12	17
15	SMILLA'S SENSE OF SNOW, by Peter Hoeg. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$21.) A woman's effort to solve the mystery of a child's death takes her from Copenhagen to Greenland.	--	1

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1	SEINLANGUAGE, by Jerry Seinfeld. (Bantam, \$19.95.) Observations on life's pleasures and ordeals by the star of the television show "Seinfeld."	1	6
2	EMBRACED BY THE LIGHT, by Betty J. Eadie with Curtis Taylor. (Gold Leaf Press, \$14.95.) A woman's near-death experience.	2	23
3	THE HIDDEN LIFE OF DOGS, by Elizabeth Marshall Thomas. (Davison/Houghton Mifflin, \$18.95.) An analysis of canine behavior by a novelist and anthropologist.	3	8
4	WOULDN'T TAKE NOTHING FOR MY JOURNEY NOW, by Maya Angelou. (Random House, \$17.) Essays about life and death, good and evil.	7	2
5	WOMEN WHO RUN WITH THE WOLVES, by Clarissa Pinkola Estes. (Ballantine, \$23.) How myths and folk tales can enable women to understand their psyches.	4	62
6	LISTENING TO PROZAC, by Peter D. Kramer. (Viking, \$23.) A psychiatrist discusses mood-changing medications and their effects on a person's self.	6	14
7	MAYBE (MAYBE NOT), by Robert Fulghum. (Villard, \$19.) Essays suggesting that inspiration can be found in most unexpected ways and places.	5	9
8	REENGINEERING THE CORPORATION, by Michael Hammer and James Champy. (Harper Business, \$25.) A manifesto for business innovation.	8	19
9	THE FOUNTAIN OF AGE, by Betty Friedan. (Simon & Schuster, \$25.) A call for men and women to regard life after age 60 as an exciting adventure.	11	3
10	A MARRIAGE MADE IN HEAVEN ... OR TOO TIRED FOR AN AFFAIR, by Erma Bombeck. (HarperCollins, \$20.) Reflections on 43 years of marriage.	14	2
11	MORE MEMORIES, by Ralph Emery with Tom Carter. (Putnam, \$21.95.) Stories about country music stars from the host of the "Nashville Now" television show.	10	3
12	CARE OF THE SOUL, by Thomas Moore. (HarperCollins, \$22.50.) A psychotherapist's discussion of spirituality and everyday life.	9	44
13	CASE CLOSED, by Gerald Posner. (Random House, \$25.) A reassessment of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.	13	5
14	FURTHER ALONG THE ROAD LESS TRAVELED, by M. Scott Peck. (Simon & Schuster, \$21.) Discussions of love, self-esteem, relationships and spiritual growth.	12	2
15	OLD FRIENDS, by Tracy Kidder. (Todd/Houghton Mifflin, \$22.95.) Life in a Massachusetts nursing home.	--	1