

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	May 18, 1980 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE BOURNE IDENTITY, by Robert Ludlum. (Richard Marek, \$12.95.) The melodramatic adventures of an amnesiac trying to find out who he really is.	1	11
2	PRINCESS DAISY, by Judith Krantz. (Crown, \$12.95.) The fight for survival in the world of glitter, from St. Petersburg to Big Sur.	2	16
3	NO LOVE LOST, by Helen Van Slyke. (Lippincott, \$11.95.) Three New York society women learn to cope with marriage and men.	5	4
4	THE DEVIL'S ALTERNATIVE, by Frederick Forsyth. (Viking, \$12.95.) Countdown to global doom in 1982.	3	16
5	RANDOM WINDS, by Belva Plain. (Delacorte, \$11.95.) Three generations of doctors and their families.	14	2
6	KANE & ABEL, by Jeffrey Archer. (Simon & Schuster, \$13.95.) Battles in a corporation boardroom between new money and old.	6	5
7	THE BLEEDING HEART, by Marilyn French. (Summit Books, \$12.95.) An American feminist's romance in England.	4	8
8	PORTRAITS, by Cynthia Freeman. (Arbor House, \$9.95.) The Sansonitskys of "A World Full of Strangers" reach the 1920's and 30's.	7	20
9	SMILEY'S PEOPLE, by John le Carré. (Knopf, \$10.95.) The great British spy has a final confrontation with his Russian counterpart.	8	22
10	THE NINJA, by Eric Van Lustbader. (M. Evans, \$12.95.) The erotic side of the Japanese samurai tradition.	12	2
11	CREEK MARY'S BLOOD, by Dee Brown. (Holt, Rinehart & Winston, \$12.95.) Four generations of American Indian family life on the Great Plains.	10	7
12	WHO'S ON FIRST, by William F. Buckley Jr. (Doubleday, \$9.95.) Blackford Oakes plays his part in the race with the Russians to get a satellite into orbit.	9	9
13	BACK BAY, by William Martin. (Crown, \$12.95.) Through 200 years of Boston's history with the Pratt family and a priceless tea set.	11	4
14	HUNGRY AS THE SEA, by Wilbur Smith. (Doubleday, \$9.95.) Heroism and dirty business on the high seas.	13	9
15	THE EXECUTIONER'S SONG, by Norman Mailer. (Little, Brown, \$16.95.) The life and death of Gary Gilmore.	--	25

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1	MEN IN LOVE, by Nancy Friday. (Delacorte, \$12.95.) Men's fantasies about women and sex.	3	3
2	FREE TO CHOOSE, by Milton Friedman and Rose Friedman. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$9.95.) The Nobel laureate economist and his wife discuss the relationship of government and the economy: tie-in to the current PBS series.	1	15
3	THE THIRD WAVE, by Alvin Toffler. (Morrow, \$14.95.) The changes our society is about to undergo: a pop prognosticator's analysis.	2	7
4	WILL, by G. Gordon Liddy. (St. Martin's, \$13.95.) A Watergate principal tells his story.	5	2
5	DONAHUE, by Phil Donahue. (Simon & Schuster, \$9.95.) The host of the popular television talk show tells his life story.	4	14
6	THY NEIGHBOR'S WIFE, by Gay Talese. (Doubleday, \$14.95.) How American sexuality has changed in our time.	12	2
7	THE BRETHREN, by Bob Woodward and Scott Armstrong. (Simon & Schuster, \$13.95.) Inside the Supreme Court.	7	21
8	ANATOMY OF AN ILLNESS, by Norman Cousins. (Norton, \$9.95.) A patient's account of his successful fight against a serious disease.	8	26
9	NOTHING DOWN, by Robert G. Allen. (Simon & Schuster, \$9.95.) How to buy real estate with little or no money down.	14	4
10	AUNT ERMA'S COPE BOOK, by Erma Bombeck. (McGraw-Hill, \$8.95.) How to get from Monday to Friday... in 12 days.	15	32
11	HOW YOU CAN BECOME FINANCIALLY INDEPENDENT BY INVESTING IN REAL ESTATE, by Albert J. Lowry. (Simon & Schuster, \$10.95.) How-to.	11	27
12	THE PRITIKIN PROGRAM, by Nathan Pritikin with Patrick M. McGrady, Jr. (Grosset & Dunlap, \$12.95.) A prescription for health and long life.	13	52
13	JIM FIXX'S SECOND BOOK OF RUNNING, by James F. Fixx. (Random House, \$10.) More advice for both beginners and marathoners.	10	4
14	THE BOOK OF LISTS #2, by Irving Wallace, David Wallechinsky, Amy Wallace and Sylvia Wallace. (Morrow, \$12.95) More facts that entertain.	9	9
15	ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE IRS, by Paul N. Strassels with Robert Wool. (Random House, \$10.95.) A former tax law specialist at the IRS offers advice and insight.	6	11