

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	January 28, 2007 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	PLUM LOVIN', by Janet Evanovich. (St. Martin's Press, \$16.95.) A mysterious man in Stephanie Plum's life helps her track down a matchmaker who skipped bail.	--	1
2	CROSS, by James Patterson. (Little, Brown, \$27.99.) Alex Cross, retired from the F.B.I., has a chance to track a rapist who may have murdered his wife.	3	9
3	FOR ONE MORE DAY, by Mitch Albom. (Hyperion, \$21.95.) A troubled man gets a last chance to reconnect and restore his relationship with his dead mother.	1	16
4	THE HUNTERS, by W. E. B. Griffin. (Putnam, \$26.95.) An Army officer seeks the killers of a shady American diplomat murdered in Uruguay.	2	2
5	SHADOW DANCE, by Julie Garwood. (Ballantine, \$25.95.) A businesswoman encounters danger and romance while investigating an ancient Scottish feud.	5	3
6	EXILE, by Richard North Patterson. (Holt, \$26.) A San Francisco lawyer defends a Palestinian woman accused of assassinating the Israeli prime minister.	--	1
7	NEXT, by Michael Crichton. (HarperCollins, \$27.95.) The author of "Jurassic Park" describes a not-too-distant future when genetic engineering runs amok.	4	7
8	STALEMATE, by Iris Johansen. (Bantam, \$26.) The forensic sculptor Eve Duncan travels to Colombia to identify a skull for a shady arms dealer.	8	3
9	DEAR JOHN, by Nicholas Sparks. (Warner, \$24.99.) An unlikely romance between a soldier and an idealistic young woman is tested in the aftermath of 9/11.	6	11
10	HANNIBAL RISING, by Thomas Harris. (Delacorte, \$27.95.) The childhood and adolescence of Hannibal Lecter shed light on how he became "death's prodigy."	7	6
11	THE BOLEYN INHERITANCE, by Philippa Gregory. (Touchstone/Simon & Schuster, \$25.95.) Politics and treachery in the court of Henry VIII, narrated by three women, two of them his sometime wives.	11	6
12	THE CAT WHO HAD 60 WHISKERS, by Lilian Jackson Braun. (Putnam, \$23.95.) The columnist Jim Qwilleran and his cats probe a mysterious death.	10	2
13	TREASURE OF KHAN, by Clive Cussler and Dirk Cussler. (Putnam, \$27.95.) In his 19th adventure, Dirk Pitt confronts a murderous Mongolian tycoon who manipulates the oil market and knows Genghis Khan's secret.	9	7
14	BROTHER ODD, by Dean Koontz. (Bantam, \$27.) With his ability to see the spirits of the dead, Odd Thomas, a character in two previous novels by Koontz, heads off a catastrophe at a monastery.	12	7
15	WEB OF EVIL, by J. A. Jance. (Touchstone/Simon & Schuster, \$25.95.) Alison Reynolds, a former Los Angeles news anchor, comes under suspicion when her about-to-be-ex husband is murdered.	--	1
16	WILD FIRE, by Nelson DeMille. (Warner, \$26.99.) Detective John Corey and his wife, an F.B.I. agent, help to foil a nuclear plot against the United States.	13	10

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1	THE AUDACITY OF HOPE, by Barack Obama. (Crown, \$25.) The Illinois junior senator proposes that Americans move beyond their political divisions.	1	13
2	THE INNOCENT MAN, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$28.95.) Grisham's first nonfiction book concerns a man sentenced to death for a crime he did not commit.	2	14
3	MARLEY & ME, by John Grogan. (Morrow, \$29.95 and \$21.95.) A newspaper columnist and his wife learn some life lessons from their neurotic dog.	3	65
4	ABOUT ALICE, by Calvin Trillin. (Random House, \$14.95.) The New Yorker writer's recollections of his deceased wife.	11	2
5	PALESTINE PEACE NOT APARTHEID, by Jimmy Carter. (Simon & Schuster, \$27.) The former president calls for revitalizing the peace process.	6	8
6	THE GOD DELUSION, by Richard Dawkins. (Houghton Mifflin, \$27.) An Oxford scientist asserts that belief in God is irrational.	4	17
7	I FEEL BAD ABOUT MY NECK, by Nora Ephron. (Knopf, \$19.95.) A witty look at aging from a novelist and screenwriter ("When Harry Met Sally").	5	24
8	CULTURE WARRIOR, by Bill O'Reilly. (Broadway, \$26.) The host of "The O'Reilly Factor" describes a culture war between traditionalists and secular-progressives.	7	16
9	THE WORLD IS FLAT, by Thomas L. Friedman. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$30.) A columnist for The New York Times analyzes 21st-century economics and foreign policy.	9	93
10	FREAKONOMICS, by Steven D. Levitt and Stephen J. Dubner. (Morrow, \$27.95.) A maverick scholar and a journalist apply economic theory to everything from cheating sumo wrestlers to abortion and the falling birth rate.	8	88
11	THE SECRET LIVES OF MEN AND WOMEN, by Frank Warren. (Regan, \$21.95.) More postcard confessions from the PostSecret Project.	--	1
12	BLOOD AND THUNDER, by Hampton Sides. (Doubleday, \$26.95.) A history of the American conquest of the West, focused on Kit Carson's defeat of the Navajo.	--	3
13	ON "THE WEALTH OF NATIONS," by P. J. O'Rourke. (Atlantic Monthly, \$21.95.) The author of "Give War a Chance" reads (and praises) Adam Smith.	--	1
14	SEA OF THUNDER, by Evan Thomas. (Simon & Schuster, \$27.) The naval war in the South Pacific, 1941-45.	--	2
15	I LIKE YOU, by Amy Sedaris. (Warner, \$27.99.) A wacky approach to entertaining from the actress and playwright.	10	13
16	PRIME GREEN, by Robert Stone. (Ecco/HarperCollins, \$25.95.) A memoir of the '60s from the author of "Dog Soldiers."	--	1