

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	July 12, 1992 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE PELICAN BRIEF, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$22.50.) A woman law student seeks to discover the truth about the murder of two Supreme Court justices.	1	18
2	SCRUPLES TWO, by Judith Krantz. (Crown, \$22.) Continuing the story of the crowd that frequents an ultrachic Beverly Hills store.	4	3
3	WAITING TO EXHALE, by Terry McMillan. (Viking, \$22.) The friendships and romances of four black women in Phoenix.	3	7
4	DARK FORCE RISING, by Timothy Zahn. (Spectra/Bantam, \$18.50.) An insane Jedi threatens Luke Skywalker in the second volume of a "Star Wars" trilogy.	5	6
5	JEWELS, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$23.) The life of a woman who becomes rich by dealing in precious stones.	7	9
6	POSSESSING THE SECRET OF JOY, by Alice Walker. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$19.95.) The struggles of an African woman to come to terms with the consequences of female circumcision.	10	4
7	SAHARA, by Clive Cussler. (Simon & Schuster, \$23.) On a mission to Africa, Dirk Pitt uncovers a plot that may extinguish all life in the world's seas.	2	8
8	ALL AROUND THE TOWN, by Mary Higgins Clark. (Simon & Schuster, \$22.) The plight of a college student accused of killing her professor.	8	12
9	OH, THE PLACES YOU'LL GO! by Dr. Seuss. (Random House, \$12.95.) The problems of finding your way through life; in verse and pictures.	6	116
10	DOUBLE DEUCE, by Robert B. Parker. (Putnam, \$19.95.) Spenser joins his old friend Hawk to investigate murders in a Boston housing project.	9	4
11	THE ROAD TO OMAHA, by Robert Ludlum. (Random House, \$23.95.) A retired general and a lawyer scheme to take possession of Nebraska on behalf of an obscure Indian tribe.	11	19
12	JAZZ, by Toni Morrison. (Knopf, \$21.) A couple in the Harlem of the 1920's learn again and again that life does not keep its promises.	--	12
13	ALL THE PRETTY HORSES, by Cormac McCarthy. (Knopf, \$21.) The adventures of a 16-year-old vaquero from Texas in the Mexico of 1950.	12	5
14	RISING SUN, by Michael Crichton. (Knopf, \$22.) The mysterious death of a young woman leads to an investigation in which technology and the American-Japanese rivalry play major roles.	13	21
15	"I" IS FOR INNOCENT, by Sue Grafton. (Holt, \$18.95.) Kinsey Millhone investigates the case of a man once charged with murdering his rich wife.	--	11

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1	DIANA: HER TRUE STORY, by Andrew Morton. (Simon & Schuster, \$22.) A biography of the Princess of Wales.	1	2
2	THE SILENT PASSAGE, by Gail Sheehy. (Random House, \$16.) The psychological and social significance of menopause for today's women.	2	7
3	TRUMAN, by David McCullough. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) A biography of the 33d President.	3	4
4	SAM WALTON: MADE IN AMERICA, by Sam Walton with John Huey. (Doubleday, \$22.50.) The autobiography of the man who became the richest American by creating the Wal-Mart store chain.	4	3
5	PEROT, by Todd Mason. (Business One Irwin, \$16.95.) An unauthorized biography of Ross Perot, by a reporter for The Wall Street Journal.	6	6
6	DIANA IN PRIVATE, by Lady Colin Campbell. (St. Martin's, \$19.95.) A biography of the Princess of Wales.	5	7
7	HEAD TO HEAD, by Lester Thurow. (Morrow, \$25.) An economist considers the upcoming economic battle among Japan, Europe and the United States.	7	10
8	A BRILLIANT MADNESS, by Patty Duke and Gloria Hochman. (Bantam, \$22.50.) The actress tells how she learned to live with manic-depressive illness.	--	2
9	GIVE WAR A CHANCE, by P. J. O'Rourke. (Atlantic Monthly, \$20.95.) Satirical essays on recent social and political developments.	11	12
10	ACQUIRED TASTES, by Peter Mayle. (Bantam, \$20.) Essays on the pleasures of living extravagantly during the high-flying 1980's.	12	4
11	REVOLUTION FROM WITHIN, by Gloria Steinem. (Little, Brown, \$22.95.) The reflections of a feminist on the struggle to achieve self-esteem.	14	24
12	BACKLASH, by Susan Faludi. (Crown, \$24.) A journalist contends that the media and political groups are staging a war against women's rights.	--	33
13	ELEANOR ROOSEVELT, by Blanche Wiesen Cook. (Viking, \$27.50.) From childhood in New York to the White House: the first 49 years of a pre-eminent First Lady.	15	8
14	WHO WILL TELL THE PEOPLE, by William Greider. (Simon & Schuster, \$25.) A journalist's account of how powerful monied interests and elite groups dominate the Federal Government.	13	10
15	CHIEF, by Daryl F. Gates with Diane K. Shah. (Bantam, \$22.50.) The autobiography of the man who headed the Los Angeles Police Department for 14 years.	8	6