

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	April 19, 2009 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	LONG LOST, by Harlan Coben. (Dutton, \$27.95.) As Myron Bolitar helps an ex-lover who has become a suspect in her husband's death, they search for her daughter.	--	1
2	THE HOST, by Stephenie Meyer. (Little, Brown, \$25.99.) One woman won't surrender to the aliens who have taken control.	5	47
3	HANDLE WITH CARE, by Jodi Picoult. (Atria, \$27.95.) A woman whose daughter has a dangerous birth defect must decide whether to sue her obstetrician, an old friend.	2	5
4	THE ASSOCIATE, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$27.95.) An idealistic law-school graduate is forced to take a job at a large, brutalizing law firm.	4	10
5	TRUE DETECTIVES, by Jonathan Kellerman. (Ballantine, \$27.) In the 24th Alex Delaware novel, the interracial half-brothers from "Bones" investigate a young woman's death.	1	2
6	CORSAIR, by Clive Cussler and Jack Du Brul. (Putnam, \$27.95.) Juan Cabrillo and the crew of the Oregon search for a missing secretary of state whose plane has been shot down.	6	4
7	LAVENDER MORNING, by Jude Deveraux. (Atria, \$25.95.) A woman inherits a house and a mystery in a Virginia town; the first book in the new Edilean series.	--	1
8	MALICE, by Lisa Jackson. (Kensington, \$24.) A New Orleans detective is stalked by his dead first wife.	--	1
9	SMOOTH TALKING STRANGER, by Lisa Kleypas. (St. Martin's, \$24.95.) When her sister abandons her baby, a woman finds herself falling in love both with the child and with his putative father, a Texas millionaire.	--	1
10	THE LOST QUILTER, by Jennifer Chiaverini. (Simon & Schuster, \$24.) The life of a fugitive slave after she is sent to a South Carolina plantation; an Elm Creek Quilts novel.	--	1
11	OUTCAST, by Aaron Allston. (Del Rey/Ballantine, \$27.) The start of a new series about the extended Skywalker family; a "Star Wars" novel.	3	2
12	RUN FOR YOUR LIFE, by James Patterson and Michael Ledwidge. (Little, Brown, \$27.99.) A New York detective raising 10 children alone must stop a killer.	7	9
13	THE GUERNSEY LITERARY AND POTATO PEEL PIE SOCIETY, by Mary Ann Shaffer and Annie Barrows. (Dial, \$22.) Residents of Guernsey who resisted the Nazis.	9	29
14	PURSUIT, by Karen Robards. (Putnam, \$24.95.) A lawyer survives a suspicious car crash that killed the first lady.	8	2
15	THE HELP, by Kathryn Stockett. (Putnam, \$24.95.) A young white woman and two black maids in 1960s Mississippi.	--	3
16	RIDES A DREAD REGION, by Raymond E. Feist. (Eos/HarperCollins, \$26.99.) Enemies unite against a demon horde; Book 1 of the Demonwar Saga.	--	1

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1	LIBERTY AND TYRANNY, by Mark R. Levin. (Threshold Editions, \$25.) A conservative manifesto from a talk-show host and president of Landmark Legal Foundation.	1	2
2	ALWAYS LOOKING UP, by Michael J. Fox. (Hyperion, \$25.99.) Fox's last 10 years, since he retired from "Spin City;" his struggles with Parkinson's disease and his work as an activist through his foundation.	--	1
3	OUTLIERS, by Malcolm Gladwell. (Little, Brown, \$27.99.) Why some people succeed, from the author of "Blink."	2	20
4	HOUSE OF CARDS, by William D. Cohan. (Doubleday, \$27.95.) The fall of Bear Stearns and the beginning of the Wall Street collapse.	3	4
5	THE YANKEE YEARS, by Joe Torre and Tom Verducci. (Doubleday, \$26.95.) The former Yankee manager (1996-2007) on his years with the team.	5	9
6	A LION CALLED CHRISTIAN, by Anthony Bourke and John Rendall. (Broadway, \$21.95.) Two men buy a pet lion cub in London, bring him to Africa when he is grown, and later have a heartwarming reunion; update of a 1971 book.	4	4
7	THE LOST CITY OF Z, by David Grann. (Doubleday, \$27.50.) A New Yorker writer searches for a British explorer who disappeared 80 years ago in the Amazon.	6	6
8	A BOLD FRESH PIECE OF HUMANITY, by Bill O'Reilly. (Broadway, \$26.) The Fox News commentator on his upbringing and career.	7	25
9	GROWING UP AGAIN, by Mary Tyler Moore. (St. Martin's, \$24.95.) The actress's life with Type 1 diabetes.	--	1
10	DEWEY, by Vicki Myron with Bret Witter. (Grand Central, \$19.99.) The kitten left freezing in the returned-book slot of an Iowa public library and his rise to fame.	9	29
11	JESUS, INTERRUPTED, by Bart D. Ehrman. (HarperOne, \$25.99.) Scholars' discoveries about the New Testament.	11	5
12	MY BOOKY WOOK, by Russell Brand. (Collins, \$25.99.) A memoir of sex, drugs and stand-up from a British comedian.	10	4
13	ARE YOU THERE, VODKA? IT'S ME, CHELSEA, by Chelsea Handler. (Simon Spotlight Entertainment, \$24.95.) Humorous personal essays from the stand-up comedian.	13	35
14	CRAZY LOVE, by Leslie Morgan Steiner. (St. Martin's, \$24.95.) A columnist's memoir of an abusive relationship.	--	1
15	HAPPENS EVERY DAY, by Isabel Gillies. (Scribner, \$25.) A woman's husband leaves her without warning.	8	2
16	MIGHT AS WELL LAUGH ABOUT IT NOW, by Marie Osmond with Marcia Wilkie. (New American Library, \$24.95.) The actress and singer shares her perspective on life's experiences, among them being the mother of eight.	--	1