

# The New York Times Best Seller List

| This Week | January 15, 1995<br>Fiction   | Last Week | Weeks On List |
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| 1         | POLITICALLY CORRECT BEDTIME STORIES, by James Finn Garner. (Macmillan, \$8.95.) Classic tales respun to avoid offending current sensibilities.  | 1         | 30            |
| 2         | THE CELESTINE PROPHECY, by James Redfield. (Warner, \$17.95.) An ancient manuscript, found in Peru, provides insights into achieving a fulfilling life.   | 2         | 46            |
| 3         | DEBT OF HONOR, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$25.95.) Jack Ryan and C.I.A. agents vs. a Japanese plot to strike America's territory and economy.   | 3         | 20            |
| 4         | INSOMNIA, by Stephen King. (Viking, \$27.95.) A widower and a widow, victims of sleeplessness, behold sinister forces at work in their small Maine town.  | 4         | 13            |
| 5         | WINGS, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$23.95.) A woman pursues her ambition to become a record-setting aviator in pre-World War II America.  | 5         | 7             |
| 6         | THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$16.95.) A photographer and a farmer's lonely wife in Iowa.  | 7         | 127           |
| 7         | THE LOTTERY WINNER, by Mary Higgins Clark. (Simon & Schuster, \$22.) Stories about a couple who win a lottery and devote themselves to solving crimes.  | 8         | 10            |
| 8         | DARK RIVERS OF THE HEART, by Dean Koontz. (Knopf, \$24.) A man and a woman, who meet by chance, must flee a powerful Government agency.   | 9         | 8             |
| 9         | TALTOS, by Anne Rice. (Knopf, \$25.) The survivor of a species of witches copes with his heritage; a sequel to "The Witching Hour" and "Lasher."  | 11        | 15            |
| 10        | THE CHAMBER, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$24.95.) A lawyer represents a racist who is on death row for his part in a 1967 bombing in Mississippi.   | 6         | 27            |
| 11        | THE GIFT, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$15.) A woman's visit to a small town changes many lives.   | 10        | 25            |
| 12        | MUTANT MESSAGE DOWN UNDER, by Marlo Morgan. (HarperCollins, \$18.) In Australia's outback, an American woman learns about aboriginal philosophy.  | 14        | 15            |
| 13        | NOTHING LASTS FOREVER, by Sidney Sheldon. (Morrow, \$23.) Three women doctors in San Francisco contend with lovers, betrayers and killers.  | 12        | 17            |
| 14        | SELF-DEFENSE, by Jonathan Kellerman. (Bantam, \$22.95.) The psychologist-detective Alex Delaware undertakes to discover whether a woman's fear that she is being stalked by a killer is imagined or real. | --        | 1             |
| 15        | A CUP OF CHRISTMAS TEA, by Tom Hegg. (Waldman House, \$10.95.) A book of verses, illustrated by Warren Hanson.  | 15        | 6             |

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| 1         | CROSSING THE THRESHOLD OF HOPE, by John Paul II. Edited by Vittorio Messori. (Knopf, \$20.) The Pope discusses matters of belief, suffering and hope.  | 1         | 11            |
| 2         | DON'T STAND TOO CLOSE TO A NAKED MAN, by Tim Allen. (Hyperion, \$19.95.) Anecdotes and meditations on life by the star of "Home Improvement."  | 2         | 15            |
| 3         | COUPLEHOOD, by Paul Reiser. (Bantam, \$19.95.) Essays on the ups and downs of marriage by the television star and stand-up comedian.   | 3         | 19            |
| 4         | THE BOOK OF VIRTUES, by William J. Bennett. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) Moral stories adapted from the Greeks, the Bible, folklore and elsewhere.  | 4         | 56            |
| 5         | THE HOT ZONE, by Richard Preston. (Random House, \$23.) The discovery of a lethal virus, more infectious than H.I.V., and the efforts to keep it from spreading.                                   | 7         | 14            |
| 6         | JAMES HERRIOT'S CAT STORIES, by James Herriot. (St. Martin's, \$16.95.) A collection of tales by the Yorkshire veterinarian.   | 5         | 16            |
| 7         | THE WARREN BUFFETT WAY, by Robert G. Hagstrom Jr. (Wiley, \$24.95.) An account of the career of the man said to be the world's most successful investor.   | 10        | 7             |
| 8         | THE BELL CURVE, by Richard J. Herrnstein and Charles Murray. (Free Press, \$30.) Ways in which differences in intelligence affect American life.   | 9         | 11            |
| 9         | BARBARA BUSH: A Memoir, by Barbara Bush. (Drew/Scribners, \$25.) The former First Lady recalls her life, from childhood to the present.  | 6         | 18            |
| 10        | DOLLY, by Dolly Parton. (HarperCollins, \$25.) The autobiography of the country singer.  | 8         | 14            |
| 11        | MIDNIGHT IN THE GARDEN OF GOOD AND EVIL, by John Berendt. (Random House, \$23.) The mysterious death of a young man in Savannah, Ga.   | 12        | 45            |
| 12        | NO ORDINARY TIME, by Doris Kearns Goodwin. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) The roles of Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt during World War II.  | 15        | 13            |
| 13        | SISTERS, by Carol Saline. Photographs by Sharon J. Wohlmuth. (Running Press, \$27.50.) The relationships of 36 sets of sisters of varied callings and backgrounds, reported in words and pictures. | --        | 3             |
| 14        | ALL THE TROUBLE IN THE WORLD, by P.J. O'Rourke. (Atlantic Monthly, \$22.) A humorist considers problems like overpopulation, famine and plague.  | 14        | 10            |
| 15        | IT WASN'T ALWAYS EASY, BUT I SURE HAD FUN, by Lewis Grizzard. (Villard, \$20.) A collection of essays by the late Southern humorist.   | 13        | 5             |