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This Week	October 25, 1987 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	KALEIDOSCOPE, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$18.95.) Three sisters, separated by fate, and the lawyer whose mission is to find and reunite them.		1
2	PRESUMED INNOCENT, by Scott Turow. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$18.95.) A brutal murder creates a crisis among a big city's politicians and lawyers.	1	18
3	HEAVEN AND HELL, by John Jakes. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$19.95.) A tale of two families, the Mains of South Carolina and the Hazards of Pennsylvania, in the aftermath of the Civil War.	2	4
4	LEAVING HOME, by Garrison Keillor. (Viking, \$18.95.) A collection of Lake Wobegon monologues, from the radio program "A Prairie Home Companion."	4	4
5	PATRIOT GAMES, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$19.95.) The C.I.A's Jack Ryan battles international terrorists in England, Ireland and America.	3	13
6	BELOVED, by Toni Morrison. (Knopf, \$18.95.) Memories of her past haunt an escaped slave in post-Civil War Ohio.	5	6
7	SARUM, by Edward Rutherfurd. (Crown, \$19.95.) Ten thousand years of English history, seen through the experiences of five families.	6	10
8	HOT FLASHES, by Barbara Raskin. (St. Martin's, \$18.95.) At a friend's funeral, three women who had it made in the 60's reflect on their past and future.	8	5
9	LEGACY, by James A. Michener. (Random House, \$16.95.) The ordeal of a military officer, charged with high crimes, whose family heritage covers 200 years of constitutional history.	7	8
10	MISERY, by Stephen King. (Viking, \$18.95.) Injured and drugged, an author is held captive by a psychotic fan.	9	21
11	FREEDOM, by William Safire. (Doubleday, \$24.95.) The early years of the Civil War and Lincoln's developing commitment to emancipation.	10	7
12	A SOUTHERN FAMILY, by Gail Godwin. (Morrow, \$18.95.) The effect of a violent death on the Quicks, an eccentric North Carolina clan.	13	2
13	THE PRINCE OF TIDES, by Pat Conroy. (Houghton Mifflin, \$19.95.) Complex family relationships in South Carolina and New York City.	14	49
14	THE NEW BREED, by W. E. B. Griffin. (Putnam, \$16.95.) American military men involved in a rebellion in Congo during the 1960's.	11	5
15	WEEP NO MORE, MY LADY, by Mary Higgins Clark. (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) Love and murder at a swank California health spa.	15	17

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1	VEIL, by Bob Woodward. (Simon & Schuster, \$21.95.) The inside story of William Casey's years at the helm of the C.I.A., 1981 to 1987.	1	2
2	TIME FLIES, by Bill Cosby. (Dolphin/Doubleday, \$15.95.) Counting his blessings and his losses, the television star muses on life at 50.	3	4
3	SPYCATCHER, by Peter Wright with Paul Greengrass. (Viking, \$19.95.) The autobiography of a former member of the British secret service.	2	13
4	MAN OF THE HOUSE: The Life and Political Memoirs of Speaker Tip O'Neill, with William Novak. (Random House, \$19.95.) The former Speaker of the House tells his story.	4	7
5	FAMILY: The Ties That Bind and Gag! by Erma Bombeck. (McGraw-Hill, \$15.95.) Anecdotes about a reunion of the humorist's grown children.	5	7
6	THE CLOSING OF THE AMERICAN MIND, by Allan Bloom. (Simon & Schuster, \$18.95.) A critique of liberal arts education during the past 25 years.	6	26
7	THE GREAT DEPRESSION OF 1990, by Ravi Batra. (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) An economist's dire predictions about the coming decade.	8	16
8	THE MAKING OF "THE AFRICAN QUEEN," by Katharine Hepburn. (Knopf, \$15.95.) The actress's experiences with Humphrey Bogart, Lauren Bacall and John Huston while filming the classic movie.	9	6
9	IT'S ALL IN THE PLAYING, by Shirley MacLaine. (Bantam, \$18.95.) Behind the scenes during the filming of the television series "Out on a Limb."	7	7
10	CULTURAL LITERACY, by E. D. Hirsch Jr. (Houghton Mifflin, \$16.95.) The information geography, history, literature, politics that you need to read with.	12	21
11	STRAIGHT ON TILL MORNING, by Mary S. Lovell. (St. Martin's, \$16.95.) The life of Beryl Markham, pioneer aviator and author of "West With the Night."	10	7
12	LOVE, MEDICINE & MIRACLES, by Bernie S. Siegel. (Harper & Row, \$17.95.) A surgeon stresses the importance of the patient's mind and emotions.	11	29
13	THE RENEWAL FACTOR, by Robert H. Waterman Jr. (Bantam, \$19.95.) The co-author of "In Search of Excellence" discusses the importance of innovation in American business.	15	2
14	THRIVING ON CHAOS, by Tom Peters. (Knopf, \$19.95.) The co-author of "In Search of Excellence" discusses ways for companies to survive in today's and tomorrow's turbulent world.		1
15	AN AMERICAN CHILDHOOD, by Annie Dillard. (Harper & Row, \$17.95.) An introspective account of the author's youth, set mainly in Pittsburgh.	14	4