

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	May 23, 1976 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	1876, by Gore Vidal. (Random House, \$10.) Sequel to "Burr," revolving around the disputed Presidential election.	1	10
2	TRINITY, by Leon Uris. (Doubleday, \$10.95.) One family's meander through a century of modern Irish history.	2	9
3	A STRANGER IN THE MIRROR, by Sidney Sheldon. (Morrow, \$8.95.) Famous comedian falls for a sensual Hollywood beauty.	5	4
4	THE GEMINI CONTENDERS, by Robert Ludlum. (Dial Press, \$8.95.) Energetic thriller involving top-secret Church document.	4	10
5	THE R DOCUMENT, by Irving Wallace. (Simon & Schuster, \$8.95.) Wallace working on the liberal side of Drury's Lane.	3	7
6	THE CHOIRBOYS, by Joseph Wambaugh. (Delacorte, \$8.95.) Tough and scatological portrait of off-duty cops.	6	26
7	THE BOYS FROM BRAZIL, by Ira Levin. (Random House, \$8.95.) Familiar Potok theme, plumbed at greater depth.	7	10
8	KINFLICKS by Lisa Alther. (Knopf, \$8.95.) Genuinely funny novel about a young woman's coming-of-age.	8	6
9	AGENT IN PLACE, by Helen MacInnes. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$8.95.) Soviet agent seeking NATO document vs. reporter; typical MacInnes.	9	2
10	SAVING THE QUEEN, by William F. Buckley, Jr. (Doubleday, \$7.95.) Blackford Oakes 50's C.I.A. man, goes to London to see the Queen: witty suspense.	--	15

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1	THE FINAL DAYS, by Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein. (Simon & Schuster, \$11.95.) Spectacular reporting on Nixon's fall by the dogged team.	1	5
2	WORLD OF OUR FATHERS, by Irving Howe, with Kenneth Libo. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$14.95.) Jewish immigrant life.	2	13
3	THE RUSSIANS, by Hedrick Smith. (Quadrangle/The New York Times Book Co., \$12.50.) A survey of Soviet life today, strong on the human side.	3	14
4	SCOUNDREL TIME, by Lillian Hellman. (Little, Brown, \$7.95.) Memoir of the witch hunt days, written with grave simplicity.	7	2
5	A MAN CALLED INTREPID, by William Stevenson. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$12.95.) Story of a shadowier-than-life World War II superspy.	6	9
6	THE ROCKEFELLERS, by Peter Collier and David Horowitz. (Holt, Rinehart and Winston, \$15.) History of the family fortune and its ambivalent legacy.	9	4
7	A YEAR OF BEAUTY AND HEALTH, by Vidal and Beverly Sasso with Camile Duhe. (Simon & Schuster, \$9.95.) Another how-to exercise, diet, etc., book.	8	5
8	SPANDAU, by Albert Speer. (Macmillan, \$13.95.) Reflections on prison, crime, and punishment by the Nazi war criminal.	5	11
9	ANGELS, by Billy Graham. (Doubleday, \$4.95.) Fundamentalist interpretation of angels' role in heaven and on earth.	--	25
10	DORIS DAY Her Own Story, by A. E. Hotchner. (William Morrow, \$8.95.) Hollywood's virgin queen tells of the unsunny side of her life.	4	15