The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	August 31, 1986 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	RED STORM RISING, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$19.95.) Without using nuclear weapons, the West staves off the Russians in World War III.	1	5
2	WANDERLUST, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$17.95.) A rich orphan comes of age while she travels the world.	2	7
3	A MATTER OF HONOR, by Jeffrey Archer. (Linden/Simon & Schuster, \$18.95.) Nazi intrigue and a family secret that could change the course of the cold war.	3	9
4	LAST OF THE BREED, by Louis L'Amour. (Bantam, \$17.95.) The adventures of a United States Air Force major in Siberia.	4	12
5	REGRETS ONLY, by Sally Quinn. (Simon & Schuster, \$18.95.) Two women, two men, passion and power brokering in Washington.	14	2
6	THE BOURNE SUPREMACY, by Robert Ludlum. (Random House, \$19.95.) The hero of "The Bourne Identity" foils a plot to seize Hong Kong and bring China into conflict with the West.	8	26
7	A PERFECT SPY, by John le Carré. (Knopf, \$18.95.) The tale of Magnus Pym, a British secret agent, and his father, Rick, a flamboyant con man.	11	19
8	ACT OF WILL, by Barbara Taylor Bradford. (Doubleday, \$17.95.) Three generations of talented, ambitious women in England and New York.	6	11
9	THE GOOD MOTHER, by Sue Miller. (Harper & Row, \$17.95.) A woman's attachment to her daughter presents her with a dilemma.	7	16
10	I'LL TAKE MANHATTAN, by Judith Krantz. (Crown, \$18.95.) Rich and beautiful Maxi Amberville conquers the world of magazine publishing.	5	19
11	THE GARDEN OF EDEN, by Ernest Hemingway. (Scribners, \$18.95.) A writer and his wife have affairs with the same woman on their European honeymoon; Hemingway's last unpublished novel.	9	14
12	SUSPECTS, by William J. Caunitz. (Crown, \$17.95.) Intrigue, murder and revenge in the world New York City police call home.	12	3
13	THE MAMMOTH HUNTERS, by Jean M. Auel. (Crown, \$19.95.) Ayla continues her adventures in the prehistoric world.	13	41
14	THE EIGHTH COMMANDMENT, by Lawrence Sanders. (Putnam, \$18.95.) The theft of a priceless Greek coin brings a New York dynasty's scandals to light.	10	13
15	SLAVES OF NEW YORK, by Tama Janowitz. (Crown, \$15.95.) Stories about young women taking and being taken in Manhattan.	15	2

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1	FATHERHOOD, by Bill Cosby. (Dolphin/ Doubleday, \$14.95.) Anecdotes and ruminations from the television star and father of five.	1	17
2	YOU'RE ONLY OLD ONCE! by Dr. Seuss. (Random House, \$9.95.) A checkup at the Golden Years Clinic in pictures and rhyme; the first Dr. Seuss book for adults.	2	25
3	JAMES HERRIOT'S DOG STORIES, by James Herriot. (St. Martin's, \$19.95.) Fifty tales by a Yorkshire veterinarian about his favorite animal.	3	16
4	"AND SO IT GOES," by Linda Ellerbee. (Putnam, \$16.95.) Television journalism as experienced by a former NBC correspondent.	5	12
5	ROCK HUDSON: His Story, by Rock Hudson and Sara Davidson. (Morrow, \$16.95.) An account of the actor's public and private life written with his cooperation.	4	10
6	NECESSARY LOSSES, by Judith Viorst. (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) Life is a series of losses, the author argues, and we must confront them to grow.	7	19
7	FORD: The Men and the Machine, by Robert Lacey. (Little, Brown, \$24.95.) A history of the automobile company and the dynasty founded by Henry Ford.	6	11
8	A CAST OF KILLERS, by Sidney D. Kirkpatrick. (Dutton, \$17.95.) The investigation by the film director King Vidor of a celebrated Hollywood murder case.	8	7
9	WHEN ALL YOU'VE EVER WANTED ISN'T ENOUGH, by Harold S. Kushner. (Summit, \$16.95.) A rabbi on "the search for a life that matters."	10	20
10	THE MAN WHO MISTOOK HIS WIFE FOR A HAT, by Oliver Sacks. (Summit, \$15.95.) Strange neurological disabilities.	11	22
11	MURROW: His Life and Times, by A. M. Sperber. (Freundlich/Kampmann, \$25.) The career of the CBS newscaster.	9	7
12	IN SEARCH OF THE TROJAN WAR, by Michael Wood. (Facts on File, \$22.95.) Archeologists' search for the truth behind the Homeric legend; tie-in to a PBS series.	15	9
13	THE PASSION OF AYN RAND, by Barbara Branden. (Doubleday, \$19.95.) The life of the author of "The Fountainhead" and founder of a cult.	13	3
14	THE UNDERGROUND EMPIRE, by James Mills. (Doubleday, \$22.95.) How the global war on the drug trade is being waged - and is being stymied by diplomats and bureaucrats.	12	7
15	A LIGHT IN THE ATTIC, by Shel Silverstein. (Harper & Row, \$13.50.) Light verse, with drawings by the author.	14	172