

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	August 9, 1981 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	NOBLE HOUSE, by James Clavell. (Delacorte, \$19.95.) British and Chinese businessmen struggle for control of one of Hong Kong's oldest trading houses.	1	14
2	GORKY PARK, by Martin Cruz Smith. (Random House, \$13.95.) A triple murder in Moscow leads to a chase on two continents.	2	18
3	THE GLITTER DOME, by Joseph Wambaugh. (Morrow/Perigord, \$12.95.) Two veteran homicide detectives trapped by the seductive vices of Hollywood.	3	7
4	GOODBYE, JANETTE, by Harold Robbins. (Simon & Schuster, \$13.95.) Two randy sisters at large in the Parisian world of haute couture.	4	9
5	THE THIRD DEADLY SIN, by Lawrence Sanders. (Putnam's, \$13.95.) Chief of Detectives (ret.) Edward X. Delaney on the trail of the elusive killer of out-of-town businessmen visiting New York.	6	2
6	THE CLOWNS OF GOD, by Morris West. (Morrow, \$14.95.) What happens when the Pope has a revelation that the end of the world is near and the Cardinals force him to abdicate.	5	4
7	THE CARDINAL SINS, by Andrew M. Greeley. (Warner/Bernard Geis, \$12.95.) The triumphs and tragedies of two Chicago boys as priests in the Catholic Church.	13	7
8	GOD EMPEROR OF DUNE, by Frank Herbert. (Putnam's, \$12.95.) Leto continues as guardian and savior of the human race in the fourth novel about the planet Dune.	7	16
9	THE WHITE HOTEL, by D.M. Thomas. (Viking, \$12.95.) Sigmund Freud treats a young woman whose case epitomizes the neuroses of the 20th century.	9	15
10	LICENSE RENEWED, by John Gardner. (Richard Marek, \$9.95.) James Bond against a mad nuclear physicist.	11	9
11	TRADE WIND, by M.M. Kaye. (St. Martin's, \$15.) Love and death in exotic 19th-century Zanzibar.	10	3
12	FREE FALL IN CRIMSON, by John D. MacDonald. (Harper & Row, \$10.95.) Travis McGee investigates the murder of an ailing tycoon.	8	16
13	TAR BABY, by Toni Morrison. (Knopf, \$11.95.) A black fable of race and eroticism set on a Caribbean island.	15	16
14	MASQUERADE, by Kit Williams. (Schocken Books, \$9.95.) An illustrated fable about the Sun, the Moon and a hidden treasure.	12	30
15	XPD, by Len Deighton. (Knopf, \$12.95.) The British and the Russians race to get proof that Churchill once did business with Hitler.	14	13

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1	THE BEVERLY HILLS DIET, by Judy Mazel. (Macmillan, \$10.95.) A regimen devised by a Hollywood nutrition guru.	1	12
2	THE LORD GOD MADE THEM ALL, by James Herriot. (St. Martin's, \$13.95.) The further adventures of the Yorkshire vet at home and behind the Iron Curtain.	2	14
3	NEVER-SAY-DIET BOOK, by Richard Simmons. (Warner, \$14.95.) A regimen for exercise, diet and life style devised by a Hollywood television personality.	3	27
4	MISS PIGGY'S GUIDE TO LIFE, by Miss Piggy as told to Henry Beard. (Knopf/ Muppet Press, \$12.95.) Advice about everything from the superstar porcine personality.	4	7
5	THE EAGLE'S GIFT, by Carlos Castaneda. (Simon & Schuster, \$12.95.) Another journey into the land of sorcery, hallucinatory visions and Mexican Indian lore.	5	13
6	THE HITE REPORT ON MALE SEXUALITY, by Shere Hite. (Knopf, \$19.95.) The performances and practices of 7,239 men, ages 13 to 97.	8	3
7	THE CINDERELLA COMPLEX, by Colette Dowling. (Summit Books, \$12.95.) From her own experience, a writer argues that women have a hidden fear of independence.	7	3
8	COSMOS, by Carl Sagan. (Random House, \$19.95.) Thirteen billion years of the universe's evolution explained by the NASA medal-winning space scientist.	6	39
9	THEORY Z, by William G. Ouchi. (Addison-Wesley, \$12.95.) The reasons for Japanese business success.	11	7
10	YOU CAN NEGOTIATE ANYTHING, by Herb Cohen. (Lyle Stuart, \$12.) Ways to avoid conflict and get what you want.	10	23
11	JANE BRODY'S NUTRITION BOOK, by Jane Brody. (Norton, \$17.95.) Advice by The New York Times personal health columnist.	13	3
12	LIVING ALONE & LIKING IT! by Lynn Shahan. (Stratford Press, \$10.95.) How to enjoy the single life.	--	1
13	DR. ATKINS' NUTRITION BREAKTHROUGH, by Robert C. Atkins, M.D. (Morrow/Perigord, \$10.95.) How common illnesses can be treated without drugs, but with diets supplemented by vitamins and minerals.	14	15
14	PRISONER WITHOUT A NAME, CELL WITHOUT A NUMBER, by Jacobo Timerman. (Knopf, \$10.95.) Autobiographical reflections of an Argentine Jewish newspaperman who was imprisoned and tortured by the army.	9	3
15	WEALTH AND POVERTY, by George Gilder. (Basic Books, \$16.95.) The case for capitalism and for a reduction in the tax rate.	--	13