The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	October 5, 2003 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	BLEACHERS, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$19.95.) A former star quarterback returns to his Southern hometown after he learns that his high school coach, a local legend, has a terminal illness.	1	2
2	THE DA VINCI CODE, by Dan Brown. (Doubleday, \$24.95.) The murder of a curator at the Louvre leads to a trail of clues found in the work of Leonardo and to the discovery of a centuries-old secret society.	3	27
3	THE WEDDING, by Nicholas Sparks. (Warner, \$23.95.) A man tries to regain his wife's love; a sequel to "The Notebook."	2	2
4	REMEMBER WHEN, by Nora Roberts and J. D. Robb. (Putnam, \$25.95.) Writing as herself and as J. D. Robb, Roberts combines a romance novel set in Maryland with a police procedural featuring Lt. Eve Dallas.		1
5	THE TEETH OF THE TIGER, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$27.95.) In the company of his cousins, the son of President Jack Ryan embarks on a career as a counterterrorist agent.	4	6
6	THE NAMESAKE, by Jhumpa Lahiri. (Houghton Mifflin, \$24.) Tracing the fortunes of a Bengali-American, Gogol Ganguli, whose parents settled in Cambridge, Mass., after immigrating from Calcutta.	6	3
7	DUNE: THE MACHINE CRUSADE, by Brian Herbert and Kevin J. Anderson. (Tor/Tom Doherty, \$27.95.) A prequel to Frank Herbert's science fiction series.		1
8	FATAL TIDE, by Iris Johansen. (Bantam, \$24.95.) A marine researcher who knows the truth about a deadly mystery finds herself the target of a killer.	5	2
9	THE TIME TRAVELER'S WIFE, by Audrey Niffenegger. (MacAdam/Cage, \$25.) A young woman marries a man who suffers from Chrono-Displacement Disorder, which sends him back and forth in time.		1
10	THE LOVELY BONES, by Alice Sebold. (Little, Brown, \$21.95.) A girl looks down from heaven as she describes the aftermath of her kidnapping and murder.	8	65
11	THE DEVIL WEARS PRADA, by Lauren Weisberger. (Doubleday, \$21.95.) A young woman acquires a job at a fashion magazine, along with the boss from hell.	11	23
12	THE CURIOUS INCIDENT OF THE DOG IN THE NIGHT-TIME, by Mark Haddon. (Doubleday, \$22.95.) A 15-year-old autistic savant sets out to solve the mystery of a neighbor's dead poodle.	10	8
13	HIGH DRUID OF SHANNARA: Jarka Ruus, by Terry Brooks. (Del Rey/Ballantine, \$27.95.) The first volume in a fantasy series.	9	4
14	DIARY, by Chuck Palahniuk. (Doubleday, \$24.95.) A painter keeps a journal of her bleak life as her husband lies in a coma after a failed suicide attempt.	7	4
15	THE FORTRESS OF SOLITUDE, by Jonathan Lethem. (Doubleday, \$26.) Two boys, one white, one black, the sons of artist fathers and missing mothers, grow up in the Brooklyn of the 1970's.		1

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1	LIES (AND THE LYING LIARS WHO TELL THEM), by Al Franken. (Dutton, \$24.95.) A satirical critique of the rhetoric of right-wing pundits and politicians.	1	5
2	MADAM SECRETARY, by Madeleine Albright with Bill Woodward. (Miramax, \$27.95.) A memoir by the former secretary of state and ambassador to the United Nations.		1
3	THE GREAT UNRAVELING, by Paul Krugman. (Norton, \$25.95.) A volume of essays, most from The New York Times, that are "mainly about economic disappointment, bad leadership and the lies of the powerful."	4	2
4	BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, by Walter Isaacson. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) A biography of the scientist, inventor, writer and Revolutionary statesman.	3	12
5	THREE WEEKS IN OCTOBER, by Charles A. Moose and Charles Fleming. (Dutton, \$23.95.) The former chief of police in Montgomery County, Md., relives the serial-sniper case.		1
6	SHUT UP & SING, by Laura Ingraham. (Regnery, \$27.95.) The political commentator attacks the "elites" of Hollywood, Washington and New York.		1
7	LIVING HISTORY, by Hillary Rodham Clinton. (Simon & Schuster, \$28.) A memoir by the junior senator from New York and former first lady.	6	15
8	WHY AMERICA SLEPT, by Gerald Posner. (Random House, \$24.95.) An examination of 9/11 and the United States' failure to prevent it.	2	3
9	THE BOUNTY, by Caroline Alexander. (Viking, \$27.95.) A new account of the 1789 mutiny, calling into question the supposed villainy of Captain Bligh and the vaunted heroism of Fletcher Christian.		1
10	AFTER LIFE, by John Edward with Natasha Stoynoff. (Princess, \$23.95.) The television personality and professed psychic offers "answers from the other side."	9	3
11	UNDER THE BANNER OF HEAVEN, by Jon Krakauer. (Doubleday, \$26.) The author of "Into Thin Air" explores the implications of the murder of a woman by two religious fundamentalists (her brothers-in-law).	5	10
12	TREASON, by Ann Coulter. (Crown Forum, \$26.95.) The lawyer and pundit dissects "liberal treachery from the cold war to the war on terrorism."	7	13
13	KATE REMEMBERED, by A. Scott Berg. (Putnam, \$25.95.) Memories from a writer who was a close friend of Katharine Hepburn's in her last 20 years.	8	11
14	MOUNTAINS BEYOND MOUNTAINS, by Tracy Kidder. (Random House, \$25.95.) A portrait of Dr. Paul Farmer, who divides his time between Harvard and Haiti, where he works to relieve the suffering of the poor.		1
15	A SHORT HISTORY OF NEARLY EVERYTHING, by Bill Bryson. (Broadway, \$27.50.) From the Big Bang to the 21st century: a guided tour of the sciences and what they tell us about the physical world.	11	20