

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	November 19, 2000 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE LAST PRECINCT, by Patricia Cornwell. (Putnam, \$26.95.) Kay Scarpetta, the chief medical examiner for the State of Virginia, comes under suspicion of murder.	1	3
2	JOURNEY, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$26.95.) A television anchorwoman in Washington begins to question her marriage to a powerful man.	--	1
3	DECK THE HALLS, by Mary Higgins Clark and Carol Higgins Clark. (Scribner/Simon & Schuster, \$18.) A private detective's father is kidnapped three days before Christmas.	9	2
4	MERRICK, by Anne Rice. (Knopf, \$26.95.) An almost-mortal vampire recounts the story of a descendant of the Mayfair Witches.	2	3
5	WISH YOU WELL, by David Baldacci. (Warner, \$24.95.) In 1940, a 12-year-old girl living in New York City is forced to move to rural Virginia.	8	2
6	PRODIGAL SUMMER, by Barbara Kingsolver. (HarperCollins, \$26.) The lives of men and women, flora and fauna, in the mountains of southern Appalachia.	3	3
7	DROWNING RUTH, by Christina Schwarz. (Doubleday, \$23.95.) In 1919, after the mysterious death of her sister, a Wisconsin woman takes control of the family farm and her niece.	4	6
8	THE RESCUE, by Nicholas Sparks. (Warner, \$22.95.) A volunteer fireman helps a young single mother search for her missing son, a 4-year-old with severe learning disabilities.	5	7
9	THE BEAR AND THE DRAGON, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$28.95.) Aided by the antiterrorism specialist John Clark, President Jack Ryan contends with sinister forces afoot in Russia and China.	7	11
10	THE PROMETHEUS DECEPTION, by Robert Ludlum. (St. Martin's, \$27.95.) The C.I.A. recruits a former deep-cover operative to infiltrate a secret intelligence group known as the Directorate.	--	1
11	THE CAROUSEL, by Richard Paul Evans. (Simon & Schuster, \$18.95.) The love between a man and a woman is tested by the demands of friends, family and work.	10	4
12	A STORM OF SWORDS, by George R. R. Martin. (Spectra/Bantam, \$26.95.) The third volume of the "Song of Ice and Fire" fantasy saga.	--	1
13	THE NEW JEDI ORDER: Balance Point, by Kathy Tyers. (Lucas/Del Rey/Ballantine, \$25.95.) A "Star Wars" novel.	--	1
14	SERVANT OF THE SHARD, by R. A. Salvatore. (Wizards of the Coast, \$24.95.) The 18th novel in the "Forgotten Realms" fantasy series.	--	1
15	SHOPGIRL, by Steve Martin. (Hyperion, \$17.95.) A young California woman captures the attention of an older millionaire from Seattle.	6	4

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1	THE O'REILLY FACTOR, by Bill O'Reilly. (Broadway, \$23.) The host of a cable news program offers opinions on what's right with America and what's wrong with it.	1	8
2	THE BEATLES ANTHOLOGY, by The Beatles. (Chronicle, \$60.) A profusely illustrated volume in which John Lennon, Paul McCartney, George Harrison and Ringo Starr tell their own story.	2	5
3	JOE DIMAGGIO: The Hero's Life, by Richard Ben Cramer. (Simon & Schuster, \$28.) From San Francisco to the South Bronx: a biography of the Yankee Clipper.	7	3
4	ON WRITING, by Stephen King. (Scribner, \$25.) The novelist looks back on his career and offers guidance for would-be authors.	3	5
5	TUESDAYS WITH MORRIE, by Mitch Albom. (Doubleday, \$19.95.) The author, a sportswriter, tells of his weekly visits to his old college mentor, who was near death's door.	5	161
6	NOTHING LIKE IT IN THE WORLD, by Stephen E. Ambrose. (Simon & Schuster, \$28.) The story of the men who built the transcontinental railroad in the 1860's.	6	10
7	AMERICA'S QUEEN, by Sarah Bradford. (Viking, \$29.95.) A biography of Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis (1929-94).	4	2
8	MY FATHER'S DAUGHTER, by Tina Sinatra with Jeff Coplon. (Simon & Schuster, \$26.) A memoir of Frank Sinatra by his younger daughter.	9	4
9	COMMUNION WITH GOD, by Neale Donald Walsch. (Putnam, \$23.95.) The author discusses moments of "open contact with the Divine."	11	3
10	SHADOWS OF A PRINCESS, by P. D. Jephson. (HarperCollins, \$26.) An account of the life of Diana, Princess of Wales, by her former private secretary.	8	4
11	IT'S NOT ABOUT THE BIKE, by Lance Armstrong with Sally Jenkins. (Putnam, \$24.95.) A memoir by the two-time Tour de France champion and cancer survivor.	10	25
12	THE GREATEST GENERATION, by Tom Brokaw. (Random House, \$24.95.) The lives of people who came of age during the Depression and World War II.	--	94
13	THE UNEXPECTED LEGACY OF DIVORCE, by Judith Wallerstein, Julia Lewis and Sandra Blakeslee. (Hyperion, \$24.95.) A 25-year study of the toll divorce takes on children.	--	2
14	BLACKBIRD, by Jennifer Lauck. (Pocket Books, \$23.95.) A memoir by a woman who, as a young girl in California, lost her mother to a mysterious illness.	15	2
15	HOOKING UP, by Tom Wolfe. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$25.) A collection of pieces in which the author, ranging from coast to coast, reports on American culture.	--	1