The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	January 24, 1993 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	DRAGON TEARS, by Dean Koontz. (Putnam, \$22.95.) Two police detectives try to cope with a demonic serial killer at large in southern California.		1
2	THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$14.95.) A photographer and a lonely farmer's wife in Iowa.	7	24
3	DOLORES CLAIBORNE, by Stephen King. (Viking, \$23.50.) After being accused of murdering her employer, a woman tells of killing her husband almost 30 years earlier and of her life ever since.	1	8
4	GRIFFIN & SABINE, by Nick Bantock. (Chronicle Books, \$17.95.) The romance of an artist and a secret admirer, told through cards and letters.	3	21
5	THE PELICAN BRIEF, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$22.50.) A woman law student probes the murder of two Supreme Court justices.	2	46
6	MIXED BLESSINGS, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$23.50.) Three couples' lives are strained by the problems of having children.	5	10
7	THE GENERAL'S DAUGHTER, by Nelson DeMille. (Warner, \$21.95.) The investigation of the murder of an officer, a general's daughter, unearths scandals in the military.	6	10
8	TERMINAL, by Robin Cook. (Putnam, \$21.95.) A medical researcher's pursuit of a treatment for cancer and a nurse's pursuit of him have extraordinary consequences.	10	2
9	SABINE'S NOTEBOOK, by Nick Bantock. (Chronicle Books, \$17.95.) Continuing the epistolary romance begun in "Griffin & Sabine."	4	15
10	THE TALE OF THE BODY THIEF, by Anne Rice. (Knopf, \$24.) Lestat embarks on a dangerous enterprise; "The Vampire Chronicles," continued.	8	14
11	MEXICO, by James A. Michener. (Random House, \$25.) While researching the lives of his ancestors, an American journalist learns about the history of the land south of the border.	9	12
12	WAITING TO EXHALE, by Terry McMillan. (Viking, \$22.) The friendships and romances of four black women in Phoenix.	13	29
13	GERALD'S GAME, by Stephen King. (Viking, \$23.50.) Twenty-eight hours of horror suffered by a woman handcuffed to a bedpost.	14	28
14	THE STARS SHINE DOWN, by Sidney Sheldon. (Morrow, \$23.) The fortunes of a businesswoman are imperiled by secrets from her past.	12	15
15	ALL THE PRETTY HORSES, by Cormac McCarthy. (Knopf, \$21.) The adventures of a 16-year-old vaquero from Texas in the Mexico of 1950.		9

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1	THE WAY THINGS OUGHT TO BE, by Rush H. Limbaugh 3d. (Pocket, \$22.) Anecdotes and opinions offered by the talk show host.	1	19
2	WOMEN WHO RUN WITH THE WOLVES, by Clarissa Pinkola Estes. (Ballantine, \$20.) A Jungian analyst reinterprets myths and folk tales to enable women to understand their psyches.	2	24
3	IT DOESN'T TAKE A HERO, by H. Norman Schwarzkopf with Peter Petre. (Linda Grey/ Bantam, \$25.) The autobiography of the general who commanded the allied forces in the gulf war.	3	16
4	THE TE OF PIGLET, by Benjamin Hoff. (Dutton, \$16.) Aspects of Taoist philosophy explained through the actions of an A. A. Milne character.	4	18
5	TRUMAN, by David McCullough. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) A biography of the 33d President.	5	32
6	THE SILENT PASSAGE, by Gail Sheehy. (Random House, \$16.) The psychological and social significance of menopause for today's women.	12	32
7	BANKRUPTCY 1995, by Harry E. Figgie Jr. with Gerald J. Swanson. (Little, Brown, \$19.95.) The authors predict the collapse of America under Government debt and suggest ways to cope with it.	11	10
8	EVERY LIVING THING, by James Herriot. (St. Martin's, \$22.95.) Continuing the memoirs of the Yorkshire veterinarian.	6	21
9	NOBODY NOWHERE, by Donna Williams. (Times Books/Random House, \$21.) The autobiography of an autistic woman.		1
10	JFK: Reckless Youth, by Nigel Hamilton. (Random House, \$30.) The first 29 years of the 35th President.	7	7
11	I CAN'T BELIEVE I SAID THAT! by Kathie Lee Gifford with Jim Jerome. (Pocket, \$22.) The autobiography of the co-host of the television show "Live With Regis and Kathie Lee."	9	14
12	GENIUS, by James Gleick. (Pantheon, \$27.50.) The life and achievements of Richard Feynman, the Nobel Prize-winning physicist.	8	12
13	LIBERATION MANAGEMENT, by Tom Peters. (Knopf, \$27.50.) How American industry is reorganizing to deal with the problems wrought by changing times.		1
14	YOUNG MEN & FIRE, by Norman Maclean. (University of Chicago, \$19.95.) An account of a disastrous fire in a Montana forest in 1949.	10	21
15	MY LIFE, by Earvin (Magic) Johnson with William Novak. (Random House, \$22.) The autobiography of the retired Los Angeles Lakers basketball player.		9