

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	February 18, 2001 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	A DAY LATE AND A DOLLAR SHORT, by Terry McMillan. (Viking, \$25.95.) The complicated lives of Viola Price and her estranged husband, who live in Las Vegas, and their four grown children.	1	3
2	THE CAT WHO SMELLED A RAT, by Lilian Jackson Braun. (Putnam, \$23.95.) Jim Qwilleran and his two cats probe a string of deadly catastrophes.	--	1
3	A DARKNESS MORE THAN NIGHT, by Michael Connelly. (Little, Brown, \$25.95.) While investigating the murder of a movie actress, Detective Harry Bosch becomes the chief suspect in another homicide case.	2	2
4	THE FIRST COUNSEL, by Brad Meltzer. (Warner, \$25.95.) A young White House lawyer who is dating the president's daughter becomes ensnared in a scheme involving betrayal and murder.	4	4
5	HIDDEN PASSIONS: Secrets From the Diaries of Tabitha Lenox. (Harper Entertainment, \$25.) A tell-all about the characters on the soap opera "Passions."	8	2
6	THE MARK, by Tim LaHaye and Jerry B. Jenkins. (Tyndale, \$22.99.) The eighth volume of the "Left Behind" series, in which the forces of good battle the forces of evil after the rapture of the saved.	6	12
7	SPECIAL OPS, by W. E. B. Griffin. (Putnam, \$25.95.) The "Brotherhood of War" series continues with a novel about the United States Army and Che Guevara.	5	3
8	FROM THE CORNER OF HIS EYE, by Dean Koontz. (Bantam, \$26.95.) A ruthless man, convinced he has a mortal enemy named Bartholomew, stalks a prodigy named Barty who has lost and then regained his sight.	3	6
9	DARTH MAUL: Shadow Hunter, by Michael Reaves. (Lucas/Del Rey/Ballantine, \$26.) A new "Star Wars" novel whose events take place just before those of "Episode 1 -- The Phantom Menace."	--	1
10	MYSTIC RIVER, by Dennis Lehane. (Morrow, \$25.) Three former friends, torn apart long ago by a childhood trauma, are forced to reunite when the daughter of one of them is found murdered.	--	1
11	PRODIGAL SUMMER, by Barbara Kingsolver. (HarperCollins, \$26.) The lives of men and women, flora and fauna, in the mountains of southern Appalachia.	11	16
12	LOST AND FOUND, by Jayne Ann Krentz. (Putnam, \$23.95.) The head of a prestigious gallery and the man she is strongly attracted to hunt for a killer.	7	3
13	ROSES ARE RED, by James Patterson. (Little, Brown, \$26.95.) Detective Alex Cross pursues a diabolical bank robber known as the Mastermind.	10	11
14	BLOOD LURE, by Nevada Barr. (Putnam, \$24.95.) The ranger Anna Pigeon investigates a life-or-death mystery among the grizzlies of Glacier National Park.	--	1
15	THE CONSTANT GARDENER, by John le Carre. (Scribner, \$28.) As he searches Kenya for his wife's killers, a British diplomat becomes a target himself.	12	8

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1	ICE BOUND, by Jerri Nielsen with Maryanne Vollers. (Talk Miramax/Hyperion, \$23.95.) A memoir by the doctor who was at the South Pole when she discovered that she had breast cancer.	2	2
2	AN HOUR BEFORE DAYLIGHT, by Jimmy Carter. (Simon & Schuster, \$26.) The former president recalls his Depression-era childhood on a Georgia farm.	1	4
3	CHYNA: If They Only Knew, by Joanie Laurer with Michael Angeli. (ReganBooks/HarperCollins, \$26.) A memoir by a professional wrestler.	--	1
4	THE O'REILLY FACTOR, by Bill O'Reilly. (Broadway, \$23.95.) The host of a cable news program offers opinions on what's right with America and what's wrong with it.	3	21
5	TUESDAYS WITH MORRIE, by Mitch Albom. (Doubleday, \$19.95.) The author tells of his weekly visits to his old college mentor, who was near death's door.	4	174
6	THE DARWIN AWARDS, by Wendy Northcutt. (Dutton, \$16.95.) Commemorating those people whose spectacularly stupid behavior served to "improve our gene pool" by removing them from it.	5	13
7	MAESTRO, by Bob Woodward. (Simon & Schuster, \$25.) Behind the scenes at Alan Greenspan's Federal Reserve Board.	6	12
8	FAST FOOD NATION, by Eric Schlosser. (Houghton Mifflin, \$25.) From California subdivisions to the New Jersey Turnpike: a survey of "the dark side of the all-American meal."	13	2
9	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.	8	23
10	CONSTANTINE'S SWORD, by James Carroll. (Houghton Mifflin, \$28.) A history of the relations between the church and the Jews.	11	3
11	FOUNDING BROTHERS, by Joseph J. Ellis. (Knopf, \$26.) A historian's study of the intertwined lives of the nation's founders.	9	10
12	ABANDON SHIP! by Richard F. Newcomb. (HarperCollins, \$25.) The tale of the U.S.S. Indianapolis, which was sunk by a Japanese torpedo in World War II.	12	4
13	THE GREATEST GENERATION, by Tom Brokaw. (Random House, \$24.95.) The lives of men and women who came of age during the Depression and World War II.	15	107
14	IT'S NOT ABOUT THE BIKE, by Lance Armstrong with Sally Jenkins. (Putnam, \$24.95.) A memoir by the Tour de France champion and cancer survivor.	10	38
15	THE ART OF HAPPINESS, by the Dalai Lama and Howard C. Cutler. (Riverhead, \$22.95.) What Buddhism and common sense tell us about everyday problems.	--	91