

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	November 11, 2001 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE KISS, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$26.95.) The wife of a coldhearted Parisian banker conducts a long-distance platonic relationship with a Washington power broker who is also trapped in an empty marriage.	--	1
2	ISLE OF DOGS, by Patricia Cornwell. (Putnam, \$26.95.) When the governor of Virginia installs speed traps on all streets and highways, an island in Chesapeake Bay declares war on its own state.	2	3
3	MIDNIGHT BAYOU, by Nora Roberts. (Putnam, \$25.95.) A Boston lawyer abandons his practice and moves to the outskirts of New Orleans, where the house he is renovating seems to hold terrible secrets.	1	2
4	THE CORRECTIONS, by Jonathan Franzen. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$26.) A multigenerational saga in which a mother tries to bring her dysfunctional family together for a final Christmas at home.	4	8
5	BLOOD AND GOLD, by Anne Rice. (Knopf, \$26.95.) Marius returns as the embittered protector of Enkil and Akasha, the king and queen of the vampires.	5	2
6	A BEND IN THE ROAD, by Nicholas Sparks. (Warner, \$23.95.) A widower and his son's second-grade teacher discover that they are linked by a secret.	3	6
7	BLACK HOUSE, by Stephen King and Peter Straub. (Random House, \$28.95.) After a retired homicide detective living in Wisconsin tries to help the police solve brutal murders, he winds up in a parallel universe.	6	7
8	THE BEST-LOVED POEMS OF JACQUELINE KENNEDY ONASSIS, selected by Caroline Kennedy. (Hyperion, \$21.95.) The former first lady's favorite poems.	7	4
9	THE MITFORD SNOWMEN, by Jan Karon. (Viking, \$10.95.) A Christmas story by the author of the "Mitford Years" books.	11	4
10	JOURNEY THROUGH HEARTSONGS, written and illustrated by Mattie J.T. Stepanek. (VSP Books, \$14.95.) A collection of poems by an 11-year-old boy who suffers from muscular dystrophy.	--	1
11	NARCISSUS IN CHAINS, by Laurell K. Hamilton. (Berkley, \$22.95.) A vampire hunter confronts an evil kidnapper who threatens innocents.	8	3
12	SEPARATION OF POWER, by Vince Flynn. (Pocket Books, \$25.) A top C.I.A. operative must stop Saddam Hussein from acquiring nuclear weapons.	9	4
13	FALLING ANGELS, by Tracy Chevalier. (Dutton, \$24.95.) The fortunes of two young girls and their families in early-20th-century London.	10	2
14	PORTRAIT IN SEPIA, by Isabel Allende. (HarperCollins, \$26.) A family saga set in Chile at the end of the 19th century; continuing the story begun in "Daughter of Fortune."	--	1
15	DUNE: House Corrino, by Brian Herbert and Kevin J. Anderson. (Bantam, \$27.95.) A prequel to the "Dune" chronicles, Frank Herbert's science fiction series.	12	4

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1	THE NO SPIN ZONE, by Bill O'Reilly. (Broadway, \$24.95.) More political opinions from the host of the cable news program "The O'Reilly Factor."	3	2
2	THE FINAL DAYS, by Barbara Olsen. (Regnery, \$27.95.) The conservative commentator, who died aboard the hijacked jetliner on Sept. 11 discusses "the last, desperate abuses of power" in the Clinton White House.	2	2
3	JACK: Straight From the Gut, by Jack Welch with John A. Byrne. (Warner Business, \$29.95.) The recently retired chairman and chief executive of General Electric tells his story as well as G.E.'s.	4	7
4	GERMS, by Judith Miller, Stephen Engelberg and William Broad. (Simon & Schuster, \$27.) A report on biological weapons and America's response to them.	1	6
5	JOHN ADAMS, by David McCullough. (Simon & Schuster, \$35.) A biography of the country's first vice president and second president.	5	23
6	CROSSING OVER, by John Edward. (Jodere, \$23.95.) A "psychic television host" discusses his work and describes conversations he says he's had with those who have crossed the bar.	6	10
7	ISLAM, by Karen Armstrong. (Modern Library, \$19.95.) A history of the Islamic faith by the author of "The Battle for God" and "Buddha."	8	3
8	GOOD TO GREAT, by Jim Collins. (HarperBusiness, \$27.50.) Why some companies thrive and others do not.	--	1
9	WAR IN A TIME OF PEACE, by David Halberstam. (Scribner, \$28.) From Bosnia to Somalia to Kosovo: the dynamics of American foreign policy during the 1990's.	9	7
10	FIRE, by Sebastian Junger. (Norton, \$24.95.) A collection of pieces about firefighters and other people who confront "situations that could easily destroy them," by the author of "The Perfect Storm."	7	5
11	THE WILD BLUE, by Stephen E. Ambrose. (Simon & Schuster, \$26.) A history of the young Americans who flew B-24's over Germany in World War II.	12	11
12	TWIN TOWERS, by Angus Kress Gillespie. (Rutgers University, \$26.) A history of the World Trade Center, first published in 1999.	--	3
13	Q, by Quincy Jones. (Doubleday, \$26.) The autobiography of the musician, composer, producer and arranger.	10	2
14	ROOSEVELT'S SECRET WAR, by Joseph E. Persico. (Random House, \$35.) An account of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's involvement in World War II intelligence.	--	1
15	THE CHRISTMAS BOX MIRACLE, by Richard Paul Evans. (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) A spiritual journey of "destiny, healing and hope" as experienced by the author of "The Christmas Box."	11	3