

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	August 26, 2007 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	A THOUSAND SPLENDID SUNS, by Khaled Hosseini. (Riverhead, \$25.95.) A friendship between two women in Afghanistan against the backdrop of 30 years of war.	1	12
2	DEVIL MAY CRY, by Sherrilyn Kenyon. (St. Martin's, \$19.95.) A former Sumerian god, now a casino owner, must cooperate with the servant of the goddess who stole his powers; the 11th Dark-Hunter novel.	--	1
3	THE QUICKIE, by James Patterson and Michael Ledwidge. (Little, Brown, \$27.99.) A police officer's attempt to get back at her husband goes dangerously awry.	2	6
4	SANDWORMS OF DUNE, by Brian Herbert and Kevin J. Anderson. (Tor/Tom Doherty, \$27.95.) The resolution of the war between man and machine; the concluding novel of the Dune series, based on Frank Herbert's final outline.	--	1
5	THE SECRET SERVANT, by Daniel Silva. (Putnam, \$25.95.) Gabriel Allon, an art restorer and an occasional spy for the Israeli secret service, joins the search for the kidnapped daughter of an American ambassador.	3	3
6	SPOOK COUNTRY, by William Gibson. (Putnam, \$25.95.) A musician/journalist, a spy and an addict/cryptographer push back against bureaucracy, history and technology.	--	1
7	HIGH NOON, by Nora Roberts. (Putnam, \$26.95.) A hostage negotiator must face down her unknown stalker.	4	5
8	THE TIN ROOF BLOWDOWN, by James Lee Burke. (Simon & Schuster, \$26.) The Louisiana detective Dave Robicheaux copes with the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina.	5	4
9	WAKING WITH ENEMIES, by Eric Jerome Dickey. (Dutton, \$24.95.) In London, Gideon struggles to outsmart an assassin; a sequel to "Sleeping With Strangers."	--	1
10	LEAN MEAN THIRTEEN, by Janet Evanovich. (St. Martin's, \$27.95.) The New Jersey bounty hunter Stephanie Plum becomes a suspect when her ex-husband disappears.	7	8
11	CRITICAL, by Robin Cook. (Putnam, \$25.95.) A pair of New York City medical examiners investigating a rash of hospital deaths uncover corporate intrigue.	--	1
12	THE BURNT HOUSE, by Faye Kellerman. (Morrow, \$25.95.) Lt. Peter Decker of the L.A.P.D. and his wife, Rina Lazarus, investigate a mysterious plane crash.	--	1
13	THE BOURNE BETRAYAL, by Eric Van Lustbader. (Warner, \$25.99.) Robert Ludlum's character Jason Bourne tangles with a group of diabolical Islamic terrorists.	9	10
14	BEYOND REACH, by Karin Slaughter. (Delacorte, \$25.) In defending herself from murder charges, a police officer must confront her past.	6	2
15	THE FIRST COMMANDMENT, by Brad Thor. (Atria, \$25.95.) Scot Harvath, a Homeland Security superagent, is stalked by a terrorist released from Guantánamo.	8	4
16	FOURTH COMINGS, by Megan McCafferty. (Crown, \$21.) After graduation, Jessica Darling moves to New York.	--	1

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1	YOU CAN RUN BUT YOU CAN'T HIDE, by Duane Chapman with Laura Morton. (Hyperion, \$25.95.) The star of A & E's "Dog the Bounty Hunter" recalls his past of abuse and addiction and describes his bounty hunts.	--	1
2	QUIET STRENGTH, by Tony Dungy with Nathan Whitaker. (Tyndale, \$26.99.) A memoir by the first black coach to win a Super Bowl (he did it with the Indianapolis Colts in February 2007).	3	5
3	LONE SURVIVOR, by Marcus Luttrell with Patrick Robinson. (Little, Brown, \$24.99.) The only survivor of a Navy Seal operation in northern Afghanistan describes the battle, his comrades and his courageous escape.	2	9
4	IT'S ALL ABOUT HIM, by Denise Jackson with Ellen Vaughn. (Thomas Nelson, \$24.99.) The wife of the country music star Alan Jackson describes how religious faith restored her marriage.	1	2
5	GOD IS NOT GREAT, by Christopher Hitchens. (Twelve, \$24.99.) Religion as a malignant force in the world.	4	15
6	A LONG WAY GONE, by Ishmael Beah. (Sarah Crichton/Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$22.) A former child soldier from Sierra Leone describes his drug-crazed killing spree and his return to humanity.	5	26
7	THE WORLD WITHOUT US, by Alan Weisman. (Thomas Dunne/St. Martin's, \$24.95.) What Earth would be like if humans disappeared.	7	5
8	LEGACY OF ASHES, by Tim Weiner. (Doubleday, \$27.95.) A history of the Central Intelligence Agency by a New York Times reporter, focusing on the agency's failures and delusions of grandeur.	6	5
9	ANIMAL, VEGETABLE, MIRACLE, by Barbara Kingsolver with Steven L. Hopp and Camille Kingsolver. (HarperCollins, \$26.95.) The novelist and her family spend a year eating homegrown or local food.	8	15
10	MERLE'S DOOR, by Ted Kerasote. (Harcourt, \$25.) Lessons from a freethinking dog: a nature writer's tribute to the quirky Labrador mutt he adopted.	12	4
11	THE BLACK SWAN, by Nassim Nicholas Taleb. (Random House, \$26.95.) The role of the unexpected.	11	13
12	THE DIANA CHRONICLES, by Tina Brown. (Doubleday, \$27.50.) The Princess of Wales's relationship with the royal family and her romance with the media.	10	9
13	FREAKONOMICS, by Steven D. Levitt and Stephen J. Dubner. (Morrow, \$27.95.) A maverick scholar and a journalist apply economic theory to nearly everything.	14	106
14	HERE IF YOU NEED ME, by Kate Braestrup. (Little Brown, \$23.99.) The widow of a state trooper becomes a chaplain on search and rescue missions in the Maine woods.	--	1
15	THE PRINCE OF DARKNESS, by Robert D. Novak. (Crown Forum, \$29.95.) Reflections on 50 years as a Washington journalist.	9	4