

The New York Times Best Seller List

| This Week | December 11, 1949 Fiction | Last Week | Weeks On List |
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| 1 | THE EGYPTIAN, by Mika Waltari. (Putnam.) | 1 | 14 |
| 2 | MARY, by Sholem Asch. (Putnam.) | 2 | 8 |
| 3 | A RAGE TO LIVE, by John O'Hara. (Random House.) | 3 | 15 |
| 4 | THE WAY WEST, by A.B. Guthrie, Jr. (Sloane.) | 4 | 7 |
| 5 | THE WOMAN OF ROME, by Alberto Moravia. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux.) | 8 | 3 |
| 6 | LOVING, by Henry Green. (Hogarth Press.) | 6 | 6 |
| 7 | LET LOVE COME LAST, by Taylor Caldwell. (Scribner.) | 5 | 17 |
| 8 | THE BIG FISHERMAN, by Lloyd C. Douglas. (Houghton Mifflin.) | 10 | 54 |
| 9 | THE MAN WITH THE GOLDEN ARM, by Nelson Algren. (Doubleday.) | 7 | 11 |
| 10 | THE MUDLARK, by Theodore Bonnet. (Doubleday.) | 11 | 15 |
| 11 | FATHER OF THE BRIDE, by Edward Streeter. (Simon & Schuster.) | 9 | 28 |
| 12 | ONE ON THE HOUSE, by Mary Lasswell. (Houghton Mifflin.) | -- | 1 |
| 13 | THE DREAM MERCHANTS, by Harold Robbins. (Knopf.) | 14 | 5 |
| 14 | THE EYE OF GOD, by Ludwig Bemelmans. (Viking.) | 15 | 2 |
| 15 | PRINCE OF EGYPT, by Dorothy Clarke Wilson. (Westminster Press.) | -- | 1 |
| 16 | GYPSY SIXPENCE, by Edison Marshall. (Farrar, Straus.) | -- | 5 |

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| This Week | December 11, 1949 Non-Fiction | Last Week | Weeks On List |
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| 1 | WHITE COLLAR ZOO, by Clare Barnes. (Doubleday.) | 1 | 21 |
| 2 | THIS I REMEMBER, by Eleanor Roosevelt. (Harper.) | 3 | 3 |
| 3 | THE MATURE MIND, by Harry Allen Overstreet. (W.W. Norton.) | 2 | 16 |
| 4 | THE WATERS OF SILOE, by Thomas Merton. (Garden City.) | 4 | 11 |
| 5 | THE SEVEN STOREY MOUNTAIN, by Thomas Merton. (Harcourt, Brace.) | 5 | 52 |
| 6 | THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF WILL ROGERS, by Will Rogers and Donald Day. (Houghton Mifflin.) | 7 | 7 |
| 7 | PEACE OF SOUL, by Fulton J. Sheen. (Whittlesey House.) | 6 | 34 |
| 8 | A GUIDE TO CONFIDENT LIVING, by Norman Vincent Peale. (Prentice-Hall.) | 11 | 62 |
| 9 | THE FRENCHMAN, by Philippe Halsman. (Simon & Schuster.) | 12 | 2 |
| 10 | AMERICAN FREEDOM AND CATHOLIC POWER, by Paul Blanshard. (Beacon Press.) | 8 | 19 |
| 11 | CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN, by Frank B. Gilbreth and Ernestine Gilbreth Carey. (Grosett & Dunlap.) | 9 | 46 |
| 12 | W.C. FIELDS, by Robert Lewis Taylor. (Doubleday.) | 10 | 8 |
| 13 | BAGHDAD-BY-THE-BAY, by Herb Caen. (Doubleday.) | 13 | 6 |
| 14 | THE ASPIRIN AGE, 1919-1941, by Isabel Leighton. (Simon & Schuster.) | 14 | 14 |
| 15 | THE ROAD AHEAD, by John T. Flynn. (Devin-Adair.) | -- | 2 |
| 16 | MODERN ARMS AND FREE MEN, by Vannevar Bush. (Simon & Schuster.) | -- | 1 |