

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	December 14, 1952 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	EAST OF EDEN, by John Steinbeck. (Viking Press.)	1	11
2	THE SILVER CHALICE, by Thomas B. Costain. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	3	20
3	GIANT, by Edna Ferber. (Doubleday and Co Inc.)	2	10
4	STEAMBOAT GOTHIC, by Frances Parkinson Keyes. (Julian Messner, Inc.)	5	3
5	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk. (Doubleday.)	4	87
6	THE OLD MAN AND THE SEA, by Ernest Hemingway. (Charles Scribner's Sons.)	6	14
7	THE WONDERFUL COUNTRY, by Tom Lea. (Little, Brown and Company.)	7	3
8	SIRONIA, TEXAS, by Madison Cooper. (Houghton Mifflin Company.)	11	4
9	MEN AT ARMS, by Evelyn Waugh. ( Little, Brown and Company.)	10	7
10	THE HOUSES IN BETWEEN, by Howard Spring. (Harper and Brothers.)	8	31
11	QUEEN'S GIFT, by Inglis Clark Fletcher. (Bobbs-Merrill Co.)	9	6
12	DON CAMILLO AND HIS FLOCK, by Giovannino Guareschi. (Amereon Limited.)	13	16
13	THE MAN ON A DONKEY, by H.F.M. Prescott. (Macmillan.)	16	6
14	PRISONER OF GRACE, by Joyce Cary. (Harper.)	--	6
15	KISS ME, DEADLY, by Mickey Spillane. (E.P. Dutton.)	12	6
16	A SHOWER OF SUMMER DAYS, by May Sarton. (Rinehart.)	--	1

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1	TALLULAH, by Tallulah Bankhead. (Harper and Borthers.)	1	9
2	HOLY BIBLE: REVISED STANDARD VERSION. (Thomas Nelson.)	3	9
3	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall. (McGraw-Hill Book Company.)	2	60
4	THE LAST RESORTS, by Cleveland Amory. (Harper and Brothers.)	5	3
5	ABRAHAM LINCOLN, by Benjamin P. Thomas. (Alfred A. Knopf.)	7	3
6	THE GLITTER AND THE GOLD, by Consuelo Vanderbilt Balsan. (Harper and Brothers.)	6	11
7	THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING, by Norman Vincent Peale. (Prentice-Hall, Inc.)	4	6
8	THE SEA AROUND US, by Rachel Carson. (Oxford University Press.)	8	74
9	THE GREAT ENTERPRISE, by H.A. Overstreet. (W.W. Norton and Company, Inc.)	9	16
10	BEYOND THE HIMALAYAS, by William O. Douglas. (Doubleday.)	10	8
11	THE HERBLOCK BOOK, by Herbert Block. (Beacon Press.)	12	7
12	THE DEVILS OF LOUDUN, by Aldous Huxley. (Harper and Brothers.)	11	8
13	THE BIG CHANGE, by Frederick Lewis Allen. (Harper and Brothers.)	15	4
14	HUNTER, by John A. Hunter. (Hamish Hamilton.)	--	1
15	THIS I BELIEVE, by Edward R. Murrow. (Simon and Schuster.)	--	1
16	FIRESIDE BOOK OF FAVORITE AMERICAN SONGS, by Margaret Bradford Boni. (Simon and Schuster.)	--	1