

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	March 1, 1953 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE SILVER CHALICE, by Thomas B. Costain. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	1	31
2	DESIREE, by Annemarie Selinko. (William Morrow.)	3	5
3	EAST OF EDEN, by John Steinbeck. (Viking Press.)	2	22
4	STEAMBOAT GOTHIC, by Frances Parkinson Keyes. (Julian Messner, Inc.)	4	14
5	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk. (Doubleday.)	7	98
6	GIANT, by Edna Ferber. (Doubleday and Co Inc.)	5	21
7	THE SECOND HAPPIEST DAY, by John Phillips. (Harper and Brothers.)	8	3
8	THE SOJOURNER, by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings. (Charles Scribner's Sons.)	6	7
9	THE VELVET DOUBLET, by James Street. (Doubleday.)	9	6
10	THE GALILEANS, by Frank G. Slaughter. (Doubleday and Co.)	11	5
11	TO THE MOMENT OF TRIUMPH, by Pamela Frankau. (Harper and Brothers.)	12	3
12	EXECUTIVE SUITE, by Cameron Hawley. (Houghton Mifflin Company.)	10	9
13	THE WONDERFUL COUNTRY, by Tom Lea. (Little, Brown and Company.)	15	14
14	THE OLD MAN AND THE SEA, by Ernest Hemingway. (Charles Scribner's Sons.)	14	25
15	QUEEN'S GIFT, by Inglis Clark Fletcher. (Bobbs-Merrill Co.)	--	15
16	THE MAGIC LANTERN, by Robert Carson. (Henry Holt and Company.)	16	8

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1	ANNAPURNA, by Maurice Herzog. (E. P. Dutton and Company, Inc.)	1	6
2	THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING, by Norman Vincent Peale. (Prentice-Hall, Inc.)	2	17
3	ALWAYS THE YOUNG STRANGERS, by Carl Sandburg. (Harcourt, Brace and Co.)	4	6
4	HOLY BIBLE: REVISED STANDARD VERSION. (Thomas Nelson.)	6	20
5	THIS I BELIEVE, by Edward R. Murrow. (Simon and Schuster.)	3	11
6	THE SILENT WORLD, by Jacques Yves Cousteau and Frederic Dumas. (Harper Collins.)	8	2
7	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall. (McGraw-Hill Book Company.)	7	71
8	TALLULAH, by Tallulah Bankhead. (Harper and Borthers.)	5	20
9	ABRAHAM LINCOLN, by Benjamin P. Thomas. (Alfred A. Knopf.)	10	14
10	THE LAST RESORTS, by Cleveland Amory. (Harper and Brothers.)	9	14
11	THE SIGN OF JONAS, by Thomas Merton. (Harcourt, Brace and Company.)	--	1
12	THE BIG CHANGE, by Frederick Lewis Allen. (Harper and Brothers.)	11	15
13	A MANY-SPLENDORED THING, by Han Suyin. (Little, Brown and Company.)	12	9
14	THE HERBLOCK BOOK, by Herbert Block. (Beacon Press.)	16	16
15	HUNTER, by John A. Hunter. (Hamish Hamilton.)	15	8
16	MARY LINCOLN, by Ruth Randall. (Little, Brown and Company.)	--	1