

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	March 22, 1953 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	DESIREE, by Annemarie Selinko. (William Morrow.)	1	8
2	THE SILVER CHALICE, by Thomas B. Costain. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	2	34
3	STEAMBOAT GOTHIC, by Frances Parkinson Keyes. (Julian Messner, Inc.)	4	17
4	EAST OF EDEN, by John Steinbeck. (Viking Press.)	3	25
5	THE SECOND HAPPIEST DAY, by John Phillips. (Harper and Brothers.)	5	6
6	GOLDEN ADMIRAL, by Francis Van Wyck Mason. (Doubleday.)	9	3
7	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk. (Doubleday.)	6	101
8	THE SOJOURNER, by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings. (Charles Scribner's Sons.)	7	10
9	I AND MY TRUE LOVE, by Helen MacInnes. (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.)	13	3
10	GIANT, by Edna Ferber. (Doubleday and Co Inc.)	8	24
11	THE VELVET DOUBLET, by James Street. (Doubleday.)	10	9
12	EXECUTIVE SUITE, by Cameron Hawley. (Houghton Mifflin Company.)	12	12
13	TO THE MOMENT OF TRIUMPH, by Pamela Frankau. (Harper and Brothers.)	15	6
14	THE GALILEANS, by Frank G. Slaughter. (Doubleday and Co.)	11	8
15	THE STONES OF THE HOUSE, by Theodore Morrison. (Viking.)	--	1
16	THE PLANTATION, by Ovid Williams Pierce. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	--	1

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1	ANNAPURNA, by Maurice Herzog. (E. P. Dutton and Company, Inc.)	1	9
2	THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING, by Norman Vincent Peale. (Prentice-Hall, Inc.)	2	20
3	THIS I BELIEVE, by Edward R. Murrow. (Simon and Schuster.)	3	14
4	THE SILENT WORLD, by Jacques Yves Cousteau and Frederic Dumas. (Harper Collins.)	5	5
5	HOLY BIBLE: REVISED STANDARD VERSION. (Thomas Nelson.)	4	23
6	ALWAYS THE YOUNG STRANGERS, by Carl Sandburg. (Harcourt, Brace and Co.)	6	9
7	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall. (McGraw-Hill Book Company.)	7	74
8	TALLULAH, by Tallulah Bankhead. (Harper and Borthers.)	8	23
9	THE SECOND SEX, by Simone de Beauvoir. (Jonathan Cape.)	15	2
10	THE SIGN OF JONAS, by Thomas Merton. (Harcourt, Brace and Company.)	12	4
11	THE LAST RESORTS, by Cleveland Amory. (Harper and Brothers.)	9	17
12	THE FABULOUS FANNY, by Norman Katkov. (Alfred A. Knopf.)	10	2
13	THE WHITE RABBIT, by Bruce Marshall. (Houghton Mifflin.)	14	2
14	PRINCE OF PLAYERS, by Eleanor Ruggles. (W.W. Norton.)	--	1
15	ABRAHAM LINCOLN, by Benjamin P. Thomas. (Alfred A. Knopf.)	13	17
16	MARY LINCOLN, by Ruth Randall. (Little, Brown and Company.)	16	4