

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	May 6, 1984 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE AQUITAINE PROGRESSION, by Robert Ludlum. (Random House, \$17.95.) A lawyer is caught in a conspiracy to seize the Western world.	1	9
2	THE HAJ, by Leon Uris. (Doubleday, \$17.95.) One man's experience in the bloody wars of the Holy Land.	2	4
3	THE BUTTER BATTLE BOOK, by Dr. Seuss. (Random House, \$6.95.) A warning about the nuclear arms race in words and pictures.	4	8
4	HERETICS OF DUNE, by Frank Herbert. (Putnam, \$16.95.) Life on a faraway planet.	3	5
5	THE DANGER, by Dick Francis. (Putnam, \$15.95.) A kidnapper at large in the horse racing world.	5	6
6	PET SEMATARY, by Stephen King. (Doubleday, \$15.95.) The new family in town discovers the horrors that lie in a neighboring cemetery.	9	27
7	ONE MORE SUNDAY, by John D. MacDonald. (Knopf, \$15.95.) Behind the scenes with a charismatic television preacher.	6	6
8	LORD OF THE DANCE, by Andrew M. Greeley. (Bernard Geis/Warner, \$17.50.) A teen-ager probes the mysteries of life and death.	7	9
9	SMART WOMEN, by Judy Blume. (Putnam, \$15.95.) Three divorcees, their love affairs and their kids in trendy Boulder, Colo.	8	13
10	ALMOST PARADISE, by Susan Isaacs. (Harper & Row, \$16.95.) Three generations of show-biz people play out their destinies on two continents.	10	13
11	POLAND, by James A. Michener. (Random House, \$17.95.) Seven centuries of history in fictional form.	11	36
12	FLOODGATE, by Alistair MacLean. (Doubleday, \$15.95.) Terrorists threaten to flood the Netherlands unless Britain leaves Northern Ireland.	--	2
13	THE NAME OF THE ROSE, by Umberto Eco. (Helen & Kurt Wolff/Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$15.95.) Murder in an Italian monastery.	12	46
14	WARDAY, by Whitley Strieber and James W. Kunetka. (Holt, \$15.95.) What follows the first nuclear war in 1988.	15	2
15	NIGHT SKY, by Clare Francis. (Morrow, \$16.95.) Three intertwined lives in occupied France during World War II.	--	10
16	UNTO THIS HOUR, by Tom Wicker. (Viking, \$19.95.) Three days in August, 1862, when a battle was fought at Manassas, Va.	--	6
17	WHO KILLED THE ROBINS FAMILY?, created by Bill Adler and written by Thomas Chastain. (Morrow, \$9.95.) The publisher offers a \$10,000 prize to the reader who submits the best answer.	14	36

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1	MOTHERHOOD: The Second Oldest Profession, by Erma Bombeck. (McGraw-Hill, \$12.95.) A humorous look at the biggest on-the-job training program ever.	1	33
2	THE MARCH OF FOLLY, by Barbara W. Tuchman. (Knopf, \$18.95.) The blunders of government in four periods, from Troy to Vietnam.	3	8
3	MAYOR, by Edward I. Koch with William Rauch. (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) New York's mayor's opinions about his job, his city and the world.	2	12
4	ONE WRITER'S BEGINNINGS, by Eudora Welty. (Harvard University Press, \$10.) The novelist recalls her childhood in Mississippi.	4	9
5	TOUGH TIMES NEVER LAST, BUT TOUGH PEOPLE DO! by Robert H. Schuller. (Thomas Nelson, \$12.95.) Inspiration from a California preacher.	5	28
6	TOUGH-MINDED FAITH FOR TENDERHEARTED PEOPLE, by Robert H. Schuller. (Thomas Nelson, \$14.95.) More inspiration from a California preacher.	8	12
7	BALLS, by Graig Nettles and Peter Golenbock. (Putnam, \$14.95.) The San Diego third baseman tells about his life with the New York Yankees.	--	1
8	MAFIA PRINCESS, by Antoinette Giancana and Thomas C. Renner. (Morrow, \$15.95.) Growing up in the family of the mobster Sam Giancana.	6	6
9	LINES AND SHADOWS, by Joseph Wambaugh. (Perigord/Morrow, \$15.95.) Adventures of the San Diego police force along the Mexican border.	7	11
10	PAST IMPERFECT, by Joan Collins. (Simon & Schuster, \$16.95.) The autobiography of the star of the "Dynasty" TV series.	9	2
11	THE DISCOVERERS, by Daniel J. Boorstin. (Random House, \$25.) Man's search to know himself and the world over the centuries.	10	18
12	CAVEAT, by Alexander M. Haig Jr. (Macmillan, \$17.95.) President Reagan's first Secretary of State gives his views on foreign policy.	--	1
13	FURTHER UP THE ORGANIZATION, by Robert Townsend. (Knopf, \$15.95.) Business strategies for the 1980's.	11	4
14	KNOCK WOOD, by Candice Bergen. (Linden Press/Simon & Schuster, \$15.95.) The autobiography of the actress.	15	2
15	ON WINGS OF EAGLES, by Ken Follett. (Morrow, \$17.95.) The rescue of two Americans from an Iranian prison.	13	36
16	PEOPLE OF THE LIE, by M. Scott Peck. (Simon & Schuster, \$15.95.) A psychiatrist's prescription for "healing human evil."	14	13