## Ohe New York ©imes Best Seller Gist

| This Week | October 13, 1985 Fiction | Last Week | Weeks On List |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | TEXAS, by James A. Michener. (Random House, \$21.95.) Four hundred fifty years of history in fictional form. | -- | 1 |
| 2 | LAKE WOBEGON DAYS, by Garrison Keillor. (Viking, \$17.95.) Recollections of a small American town. | 1 | 7 |
| 3 | LUCKY, by Jackie Collins. (Simon \& Schuster, \$17.95.) The heiress of a crime lord takes on the heiress of a shipping tycoon. | 2 | 8 |
| 4 | THE ACCIDENTAL TOURIST, by Anne Tyler. (Knopf, \$16.95.) Family and female friends impose order of a kind on the errant life of a male travel writer. | 4 | 4 |
| 5 | SKELETON CREW, by Stephen King. (Putnam, \$18.95.) Twenty-two tales of horror set in contemporary America. | 3 | 17 |
| 6 | THE TWO MRS. GRENVILLES, by Dominick Dunne. (Crown, \$14.95.) Romance, scandal and murder in New York's high society. | 5 | 9 |
| 7 | CONTACT, by Carl Sagan. (Simon \& Schuster, \$18.95.) The commotion that follows the reception of a signal from intelligent life beyond Earth. | -- | 1 |
| 8 | A MAGGOT, by John Fowles. (Little, Brown, \$19.95.) Five travelers in 18thcentury England have mysterious, wonderful and eerie adventures. | 6 | 5 |
| 9 | THE SECRETS OF HARRY BRIGHT, by Joseph Wambaugh. (Morrow, \$17.95.) A detective searches for the meaning of his son's death and of his own life. | 15 | 2 |
| 10 | LONESOME DOVE, by Larry McMurtry. (Simon \& Schuster, \$18.95.) The Old West larger than life. | 7 | 16 |
| 11 | THE FOURTH DEADLY SIN, by Lawrence Sanders. (Putnam, \$17.95.) Which of six suspects murdered a saintly New York psychiatrist? | 9 | 13 |
| 12 | AFTER THE REUNION, by Rona Jaffe. (Delacorte, \$17.95.) The surprises and betrayals that befell four Radcliffe women in the five years after their 20th reunion. | 11 | 4 |
| 13 | THE IMMIGRANT'S DAUGHTER, by Howard Fast. (Houghton Mifflin, \$17.95.) The concluding volume of the Lavelle saga tells of a woman involved in today's politics. | 12 | 2 |
| 14 | THE CIDER HOUSE RULES, by John Irving. (Morrow, \$18.95.) Life in a Maine orphanage earlier in this century. | 13 | 21 |
| 15 | THE RED FOX, by Anthony Hyde. (Knopf, \$17.95.) A thriller about an idealistic Westerner who rejects democratic society in favor of the Soviet Union. | 10 | 3 |

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| This <br> Week | October 13, 1985 Non-Fiction | Last <br> Week | Weeks On List |
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| 1 | ELVIS AND ME, by Priscilla Beaulieu Presley with Sandra Harmon. (Putnam, $\$ 16.95$.) The rock legend as friend, mentor, lover, husband and father of a daughter, by his former wife. | 1 | 4 |
| 2 | DANCING IN THE LIGHT, by Shirley MacLaine. (Bantam, \$17.95.) In her 51st year, the entertainer wins an Oscar, survives a stormy romance and has new visions of the past and future. | 2 | 3 |
| 3 | YEAGER: An Autobiography, by Chuck Yeager and Leo Janos. (Bantam, \$17.95.) From West Virginia hillbilly to World War II fighter pilot to the first man to fly faster than sound. | 3 | 14 |
| 4 | IACOCCA: An Autobiography, by Lee lacocca with William Novak. (Bantam, $\$ 19.95$.) The rise of an immigrants' son to top jobs at Ford and Chrysler. | 4 | 50 |
| 5 | LAST WISH, by Betty Rollin. (Linden/Simon \& Schuster, \$14.95.) The ordeal of a woman whose mother, dying of cancer, wishes to commit suicide. | 5 | 3 |
| 6 | A PASSION FOR EXCELLENCE, by Tom Peters and Nancy Austin. (Random House, \$19.95.) Ways to achieve distinction in management. | 7 | 23 |
| 7 | RE-INVENTING THE CORPORATION, by John Naisbitt and Patricia Aburdene. (Warner, \$17.50.) A description of "the new information society" and its opportunities for employees and employers. | 8 | 4 |
| 8 | COMMON GROUND, by J. Anthony Lukas. (Knopf, \$19.95.) How school desegregation affected three Boston families from 1968 to 1978. | 9 | 3 |
| 9 | SMART WOMEN, FOOLISH CHOICES, by Connell Cowan and Melvyn Kinder. (Clarkson N. Potter, \$13.95.) Two clinical psychologists analyze the successes and failures of modern women in looking for acceptable men. | 6 | 28 |
| 10 | ON THE ROAD WITH CHARLES KURALT, by Charles Kuralt. (Putnam, \$16.95.) The television reporter tells of people he's encountered while journeying around America. | -- | 1 |
| 11 | LIVING WITH THE KENNEDYS, by Marcia Chellis. (Simon \& Schuster, \$17.95.) The experiences of Joan Kennedy, the former wife of Sen. Edward Kennedy, with his family. | 14 | 2 |
| 12 | GODDESS, by Anthony Summers. (Macmillan, \$18.95.) The "secret lives" of Marilyn Monroe. | 16 | 2 |
| 13 | THE MICK, by Mickey Mantle with Herb Gluck. (Doubleday, \$15.95.) The former Yankee's story. | 10 | 12 |
| 14 | THE AMATEURS, by David Halberstam. (Morrow, \$14.95.) Four American men seek the 1984 Olympic gold medal for single sculling. | 12 | 9 |
| 15 | CONFESSIONS OF A HOOKER, by Bob Hope with Dwayne Netland. (Doubleday, $\$ 17.95$.) Memories of more than 50 years of golfing, by the comedian. | 13 | 21 |

