

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	February 21, 1988 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE BONFIRE OF THE VANITIES, by Tom Wolfe. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$19.95.) A bond trader caught in the jungles of New York.	1	16
2	THE TOMMYKNOCKERS, by Stephen King. (Putnam, \$19.95.) Two writers' zealous attempt to unearth mysterious artifacts creates nightmares in a Maine village.	2	13
3	PRESUMED INNOCENT, by Scott Turow. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$18.95.) A brutal murder creates a crisis among a big city's politicians.	3	35
4	WINTERS' TALES, by Jonathan Winters. (Random House, \$13.95.) Unusual short stories by the comedian and television personality.	5	8
5	KALEIDOSCOPE, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$18.95.) Three sisters, separated by fate, and the lawyer whose mission is to find and reunite them.	4	18
6	LIGHTNING, by Dean R. Koontz. (Putnam, \$18.95.) A mysterious stranger saves a woman from a series of dangers and disasters.	6	5
7	THE TENANTS OF TIME, by Thomas Flanagan. (Abrahams/Dutton, \$21.95.) Turmoil and rebellion in 19th-century Ireland, observed through the eyes and voices of many witnesses.	11	5
8	2061: Odyssey Three, by Arthur C. Clarke. (Del Rey/Ballantine, \$17.95.) Continuing the space saga begun in "2001" and "2010."	7	12
9	PATRIOT GAMES, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$19.95.) The C.I.A.'s Jack Ryan battles international terrorists in England, Ireland and America.	8	30
10	MORTAL FEAR, by Robin Cook. (Putnam, \$17.95.) The death of a distinguished biologist leads to discoveries about medical science's mysteries and Boston's nether world.	13	4
11	MONGOOSE R.I.P., by William F. Buckley Jr. (Random House, \$17.95.) Blackford Oakes in charge of a secret operation involving Fidel Castro, Soviet missiles and President Kennedy's death.	9	5
12	BELOVED, by Toni Morrison. (Knopf, \$18.95.) Memories of her past haunt an escaped slave in post-Civil War Ohio.	12	23
13	WINTER, by Len Deighton. (Knopf, \$19.95.) The experiences of a Berlin family, from Kaiser Wilhelm to Adolf Hitler.	10	8
14	THAI HORSE, by William Diehl. (Villard, \$18.95.) The pursuit of a man who disappeared in Vietnam 15 years ago.	--	1
15	THE SHELL SEEKERS, by Rosamunde Pilcher. (St. Martin's, \$19.95.) A woman and a painting tie together three generations of an English family.	--	1

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1	TRUMP: The Art of the Deal, by Donald J. Trump with Tony Schwartz. (Random House, \$19.95.) The career and business style of the New York entrepreneur.	1	10
2	THE PRIZE PULITZER, by Roxanne Pulitzer with Kathleen Maxa. (Villard, \$17.95.) Life in Palm Beach's steamy rich society recalled by a woman who married into it.	10	2
3	THRIVING ON CHAOS, by Tom Peters. (Knopf, \$19.95.) The author discusses how companies can survive in today's and tomorrow's turbulent world.	2	15
4	LOVE, MEDICINE & MIRACLES, by Bernie S. Siegel. (Harper & Row, \$17.95.) A surgeon stresses the importance of the patient's mind and emotions.	5	41
5	THE CAT WHO CAME FOR CHRISTMAS, by Cleveland Amory. (Little, Brown, \$15.95.) A self-styled curmudgeon's memoir of a cat.	3	13
6	THE GREAT DEPRESSION OF 1990, by Ravi Batra. (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) An economist's dire predictions about the coming decade.	6	30
7	SPYCATCHER, by Peter Wright with Paul Greengrass. (Viking, \$19.95.) The autobiography of a former senior member of the British secret service.	4	30
8	DETOUR, by Cheryl Crane with Cliff Jahr. (Arbor House/Morrow, \$18.95.) Lana Turner's daughter recalls the circumstances under which she killed her mother's gangster boyfriend 30 years ago.	14	4
9	THE RISE AND FALL OF THE GREAT POWERS, by Paul Kennedy. (Random House, \$24.95.) How economic and military forces affected the fortunes of great nations in the past 500 years.	11	3
10	KEEPING SECRETS, by Suzanne Somers. (Warner, \$17.95.) The actress recalls her experience as the daughter of an alcoholic.	--	1
11	THE CLOSING OF THE AMERICAN MIND, by Allan Bloom. (Simon & Schuster, \$18.95.) A critique of liberal arts education during the past 25 years.	8	37
12	CHAOS, by James Gleick. (Viking, \$19.95.) An account of a fast-developing new science that involves disorder, arrhythmia and the bizarre and the random in nature.	7	5
13	TIME FLIES, by Bill Cosby. (Dolphin/Doubleday, \$15.95.) Counting his blessings and his losses, the television star muses on life at 50.	9	21
14	FAMILY: The Ties That Bind . . . and Gag! by Erma Bombeck. (McGraw-Hill, \$15.95.) Anecdotes about a reunion of the humorist's grown children.	13	24
15	OSCAR WILDE, by Richard Ellmann. (Knopf, \$24.95.) The life of the dramatist, essayist, poet and wit.	--	1