

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	May 28, 1995 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE RAINMAKER, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$25.95.) A young man barely out of law school tries to expose a corporation's multibillion-dollar scam.	1	5
2	LET ME CALL YOU SWEETHEART, by Mary Higgins Clark. (Simon & Schuster, \$24.) Over the years, a prosecutor finds that an unusual murder case haunts her career and private life.	2	3
3	LADDER OF YEARS, by Anne Tyler. (Knopf, \$24.) At 40, a woman leaves her physician husband and children to start a new life in a strange town.	4	5
4	THE CELESTINE PROPHECY, by James Redfield. (Warner, \$17.95.) An ancient manuscript, found in Peru, provides insights into achieving a fulfilling life.	3	65
5	POLITICALLY CORRECT BEDTIME STORIES, by James Finn Garner. (Macmillan, \$8.95.) Classic tales respun to avoid offending current sensibilities.	5	49
6	THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$16.95.) A photographer and a farmer's lonely wife in Iowa.	8	146
7	MOO, by Jane Smiley. (Knopf, \$24.) Intrigues and machinations on the campus of a Midwestern state university.	6	8
8	BEAUTY FROM ASHES, by Eugenia Price. (Doubleday, \$23.50.) A Georgia family endures the divisive stresses of the Civil War.	7	3
9	MIND PREY, by John Sandford. (Putnam, \$23.95.) Lucas Davenport pursues the kidnapper of a psychiatrist and her two daughters.	--	1
10	BORDER MUSIC, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$17.95.) A Texas rancher, trying to erase his Vietnam trauma, takes to the road with an exotic dancer.	10	14
11	ONCE UPON A MORE ENLIGHTENED TIME, by James Finn Garner. (Macmillan, \$9.95.) Eight more "politically correct bedtime stories."	9	2
12	PHENOMENAL WOMAN, by Maya Angelou. (Random House, \$10.) Four poems celebrating women.	15	10
13	THE CAROUSEL, by Belva Plain. (Delacorte, \$23.95.) Compulsion and revenge threaten the survival of a family dynasty noted for its respectability.	12	3
14	A DOG'S LIFE, by Peter Mayle. (Knopf, \$20.) The memoirs of Boy, a shaggy canine in Provence; with drawings by Edward Koren.	11	8
15	THE GLASS LAKE, by Maeve Binchy. (Delacorte, \$23.95.) The unspoken ties that bind a woman and her mother in a small Irish town.	--	11

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1	THE HOT ZONE, by Richard Preston. (Random House, \$23.) The discovery of a lethal virus, more infectious than H.I.V., and the efforts to keep it from spreading.	2	33
2	IN RETROSPECT, by Robert S. McNamara with Brian VanDeMark. (Times Books/Random House, \$27.50.) The author recalls his role in the Vietnam War.	1	5
3	SISTERS, by Carol Saline. Photographs by Sharon J. Wohlmut. (Running Press, \$27.50.) The relationships of 36 sets of sisters, reported in words and pictures.	4	22
4	LISTEN TO MY HEART, by Kathie Lee Gifford and Cody Gifford. (Hyperion, \$12.95.) The television personality tells her 4 1/2-year-old son about matters like family relationships and good manners.	8	2
5	MIDNIGHT IN THE GARDEN OF GOOD AND EVIL, by John Berendt. (Random House, \$23.) The mysterious death of a young man in Savannah, Ga.	3	64
6	MY LUCKY STARS, by Shirley MacLaine. (Bantam, \$22.95.) The actress reminisces about her four decades in Hollywood.	7	4
7	FROM BEGINNING TO END, by Robert Fulghum. (Villard, \$20.) The rituals we practice and the spiritual journeys we take, from childhood to old age.	6	6
8	THE DEATH OF COMMON SENSE, by Philip K. Howard. (Random House, \$18.) How governmental rules and regulations are fettering the lives of all Americans.	5	15
9	NO ORDINARY TIME, by Doris Kearns Goodwin. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) The roles of Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt during World War II.	--	19
10	KATHARINE HEPBURN, by Barbara Leaming. (Crown, \$27.50.) A biography of the legendary actress.	--	1
11	THE BOOK OF VIRTUES, by William J. Bennett. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) Moral stories adapted from the Greeks, the Bible, folklore and elsewhere.	11	75
12	SLEEPING AT THE STARLITE MOTEL, by Bailey White. (Addison-Wesley, \$20.) A Georgia schoolteacher tells about her adventures while traveling and dealing with folks at home.	--	1
13	COUPLEHOOD, by Paul Reiser. (Bantam, \$19.95.) Essays on the ups and downs of marriage by the television star and stand-up comedian.	13	38
14	LIZ, by C. David Heymann. (Birch Lane/Carol, \$24.95.) A biography of Elizabeth Taylor.	14	3
15	PAULA, by Isabel Allende. (HarperCollins, \$24.) The novelist tells stories of her family's life as she tends her fatally ill daughter.	10	2