

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	February 9, 1997 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	HORNET'S NEST, by Patricia Cornwell. (Putnam, \$25.95.) The experiences of two policewomen and a reporter as they patrol the streets of Charlotte, N.C.	1	2
2	TOTAL CONTROL, by David Baldacci. (Warner, \$25.) A woman's effort to find her husband, who has disappeared, discloses many of big business's current ways.	8	2
3	AIRFRAME, by Michael Crichton. (Knopf, \$26.) A young woman investigates a near disaster that befell a plane on its way from Hong Kong to Denver.	2	8
4	THE CLINIC, by Jonathan Kellerman. (Bantam, \$24.95.) Alex Delaware investigates the murder of a woman who wrote a best-selling indictment of men.	4	4
5	DRUMS OF AUTUMN, by Diana Gabaldon. (Delacorte, \$24.95.) The travails of a Scottish couple cast ashore in North Carolina on the brink of the American Revolution.	3	4
6	SILENT WITNESS, by Richard North Patterson. (Knopf, \$25.95.) Two murder cases change the lives of men and women who grew up in a Midwestern town.	6	3
7	THE NOTEBOOK, by Nicholas Sparks. (Warner, \$16.95.) A World War II veteran meets an old flame who is about to be married.	5	16
8	THE DEEP END OF THE OCEAN, by Jacquelyn Mitchard. (Viking, \$23.95.) The disappearance of a 3-year-old brings a family anguish and redemption.	7	20
9	THE CELESTINE PROPHECY, by James Redfield. (Warner, \$17.95.) An ancient manuscript, found in Peru, provides insights into achieving a fulfilling life.	--	148
10	ALIAS GRACE, by Margaret Atwood. (Talese/Doubleday, \$24.95.) The enigmatic life of a 19th-century woman who was convicted of a double murder when she was 16.	12	4
11	BLOOD AND HONOR, by W. E. B. Griffin. (Putnam, \$24.95.) In Buenos Aires in 1943, three Americans cope with German efforts to provide for a postwar Reich.	11	4
12	DEEP WATERS, by Jayne Ann Krentz. (Pocket, \$23.) The crises encountered by a corporate couple in the Northwest as they try to find romance and a murderer.	15	2
13	THE FALLEN MAN, by Tony Hillerman. (HarperCollins, \$24.) Two Navajo policemen investigate the mysterious death of a man atop a sacred mountain.	13	10
14	THE UNLIKELY SPY, by Daniel Silva. (Villard, \$25.) An attractive widow and an absent-minded professor play the roles of spy and counterspy in London during World War II.	9	3
15	EXECUTIVE ORDERS, by Tom Clancy. (Putnam, \$27.95.) Vice President Jack Ryan has problems after the deaths of the President and most of the Cabinet, Congress, the Joint Chiefs and the Supreme Court.	10	24

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1	A REPORTER'S LIFE, by Walter Cronkite. (Knopf, \$26.95.) From Kansas City newsboy to newspaper reporter to television anchorman: a memoir.	1	8
2	ANGELA'S ASHES, by Frank McCourt. (Scribner, \$24.) An Irish-American writer recalls his childhood amid the miseries of Limerick.	2	21
3	CONVERSATIONS WITH GOD, by Neale Donald Walsch. (Putnam, \$19.95.) The author addresses questions of life and love, good and evil, guilt and sin.	3	8
4	THE MILLIONAIRE NEXT DOOR, by Thomas J. Stanley and William D. Danko. (Longstreet, \$22.) An analysis of the lives of wealthy Americans discloses that they have seven characteristics in common.	4	3
5	MY SERGEI, by Ekaterina Gordeeva with E. M. Swift. (Warner, \$18.95.) A memoir of the Russian ice skater Sergei Grinkov by his longtime partner and wife.	5	13
6	THE GIFT OF PEACE, by Joseph Cardinal Bernardin. (Loyola Press, \$17.95.) Reflections on the last three years of his life by the late Archbishop of Chicago.	--	1
7	THE SOUL'S CODE, by James Hillman. (Random House, \$23.) A psychologist analyzes the elements that make up each person's essence.	6	12
8	THE DILBERT PRINCIPLE, by Scott Adams. (Harper Business, \$22.) A satirical look, in words and cartoons, at the current foibles of business and management.	7	41
9	LIVING FAITH, by Jimmy Carter. (Times Books/Random House, \$23.) The former President looks back at his life through the lens of his religious beliefs.	8	10
10	DOGBERT'S TOP SECRET MANAGEMENT HANDBOOK, by Scott Adams. (Harper Business, \$16.) More observations on the foibles of the business world, reported in words and cartoons.	9	16
11	FOREVER, ERMA, by Erma Bombeck. (Andrews & McMeel, \$22.95.) More than 190 pieces written over 31 years by the syndicated columnist, who died last year.	11	13
12	BEHIND THE OVAL OFFICE, by Dick Morris. (Random House, \$25.95.) President Clinton's former chief political strategist reports on the 1996 campaign.	--	1
13	I'M NOT REALLY HERE, by Tim Allen. (Hyperion, \$21.95.) Discussions of the irritations and delights of middle-aged men by the star of "Home Improvement."	14	10
14	MIDNIGHT IN THE GARDEN OF GOOD AND EVIL, by John Berendt. (Random House, \$23.) The mysterious death of a young man in Savannah, Ga.	10	134
15	DOWN IN THE GARDEN, by Anne Geddes. (Cedco, \$49.95.) A collection of photographs of infants dressed up as flora and fauna, with brief comments.	12	12