

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	May 18, 2025 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	GREAT BIG BEAUTIFUL LIFE, by Emily Henry. (Berkley.) A writer looking for her big break competes against a Pulitzer winner to tell the story of an octogenarian with a storied past.	1	2
2	25 ALIVE, by James Patterson and Maxine Paetro. (Little, Brown.) The 25th book in the Women's Murder Club series. Lindsay Boxer's former partner is the victim at a crime scene.	--	1
3	ENIGMA, by RuNyx, (Bramble.) Salem Salazar, a student at Mortimer University, where girls go missing, has a relationship with a teaching assistant who is her opposite.	--	1
4	A MIND OF HER OWN, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte.) Alexandra Bouvier, who experiences losses due to war and the Spanish flu, connects with a reporter covering gang wars caused by Prohibition.	--	1
5	THE PERFECT DIVORCE, by Jeneva Rose. (Blackstone.) Around the time of the disappearance of a woman who had a one-night stand with the attorney Sarah Morgan's new husband, police reopen the investigation into the murder of her first husband's mistress.	2	3
6	ONYX STORM, by Rebecca Yarros. (Red Tower.) The third book in the Emyrean series. As enemies gain traction, Violet Sorrengail goes beyond the Aretian wards in search of allies.	5	15
7	STRANGERS IN TIME, by David Baldacci. (Grand Central.) In London in 1944, two teenagers dealing with the dangers of World War II form an alliance with a bookshop owner.	3	3
8	THE AMALFI CURSE, by Sarah Penner. (Park Row.) When a nautical archaeologist investigates shipwrecks and seeks her late father's sunken treasure, she learns of a centuries-old tale involving magic.	--	1
9	SAY YOU'LL REMEMBER ME, by Abby Jimenez. (Forever.) Despite having a great date, Samantha asks a veterinarian to forget about her because her family is in crisis.	4	5
10	BROKEN COUNTRY, by Clare Leslie Hall. (Simon & Schuster.) Beth must confront her past when the man she once loved as a teenager returns to the village with his son.	7	9
11	IRON FLAME, by Rebecca Yarros. (Red Tower.) The second book in the Emyrean series. Violet Sorrengail's next round of training under the new vice commandant might require her to betray the man she loves.	6	78
12	THE WEDDING PEOPLE, by Alison Espach. (Holt.) A woman who is down on her luck forms an unexpected bond with the bride at a wedding in Rhode Island.	8	27
13	THE WOMEN, by Kristin Hannah. (St. Martin's.) A nurse follows her brother to serve during the Vietnam War and returns to a divided America.	9	65
14	JAMES, by Percival Everett. (Doubleday.) A reimagining of "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" shines a different light on Mark Twain's classic, revealing new facets of the character of Jim.	10	44
15	THE GOD OF THE WOODS, by Liz Moore. (Riverhead.) When a 13-year-old girl disappears from an Adirondack summer camp in 1975, secrets kept by the Van Laar family emerge.	11	42

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1	THE FATE OF THE DAY, by Rick Atkinson. (Crown.) The author of "The British Are Coming" portrays the middle years of the American Revolution.	--	1
2	MY NEXT BREATH, by Jeremy Renner. (Flatiron.) The Academy Award-nominated actor tells the story of the accident he had with a snowplow and his efforts to recover from it.	--	1
3	MATRIARCH, by Tina Knowles with Kevin Carr O'Leary. (One World.) The businesswoman, who is the mother of Beyoncé Knowles-Carter and Solange Knowles, traces her life's journey.	1	2
4	UPTOWN GIRL, by Christie Brinkley with Sarah Toland. (Harper Influence.) The model and actress reveals moments from her life, relationships and work.	--	1
5	ABUNDANCE, by Ezra Klein and Derek Thompson. (Avid Reader.) A New York Times opinion columnist and a staff writer at The Atlantic evaluate obstacles to American progress.	2	7
6	THE ANXIOUS GENERATION, by Jonathan Haidt. (Penguin Press.) A co-author of "The Coddling of the American Mind" looks at the mental health impacts that a phone-based life has on children.	5	58
7	THE BIBLE SAYS SO, by Daniel McClellan. (St. Martin's Essentials.) A Bible scholar with a social media presence articulates what the Bible does and does not state on a variety of issues.	--	1
8	THE GREATEST COMEBACK EVER, by Joe Concha. (Broadside.) The Fox News contributor gives his take on the 2024 presidential election.	--	1
9	EVERYTHING IS TUBERCULOSIS, by John Green. (Crash Course.) The author of "The Anthropocene Reviewed" chronicles the fight against the deadly infectious disease tuberculosis.	3	7
10	SNAFU, by Ed Helms. (Grand Central.) The actor and host of the "Snafu" podcast surveys an array of mishaps and blunders from the 1950s into the 21st century.	--	1
11	POETS SQUARE, by Courtney Gustafson. (Crown.) The creator of the Poets Square Cats social media accounts recalls the time when she moved into a rental house during a pandemic and cared for 30 feral cats.	--	1
12	THIS AMERICAN WOMAN, by Zarna Garg. (Ballantine.) The comedian recounts escaping India to avoid an arranged marriage and her experiences with work and life in America.	--	1
13	HOPE, by Pope Francis with Carlo Musso. (Random House.) The late Pope Francis recounts details of his life from his childhood through to key moments of his papacy; translated by Richard Dixon.	4	4
14	THE SERVICEBERRY, by Robin Wall Kimmerer. (Scribner.) The author of "Braiding Sweetgrass" illuminates how the gift economy in the natural world works and draws lessons for our economy; with illustrations by John Burgoyne.	9	22
15	THE GOLDEN ROAD, by William Dalrymple. (Bloomsbury.) The author of "Return of a King" describes how India impacted and transformed culture and technology past and present.	--	1