

Indie Bestsellers

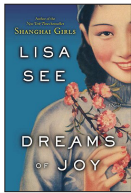
Hardcover

Week of 06.09.11

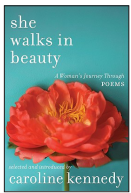
FICTION



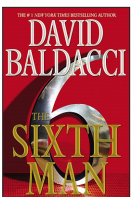
- 1. The Paris Wife**
Paula McLain, Ballantine, \$25
- 2. Caleb's Crossing**
Geraldine Brooks, Viking, \$26.95
- 3. The Snowman**
Jo Nesbø, Knopf, \$25.95



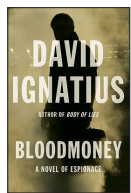
- ★ **4. Dreams of Joy**
Lisa See, Random House, \$26
- 5. The Tiger's Wife**
Téa Obreht, Random House, \$25
- 6. The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest**
Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$27.95



- 7. The Land of Painted Caves**
Jean M. Auel, Crown, \$30
- 8. She Walks in Beauty**
Caroline Kennedy (Ed.), Hyperion, \$24.99
- 9. Dead Reckoning**
Charlaine Harris, Ace, \$27.95

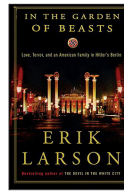


- 10. Doc**
Mary Doria Russell, Random House, \$26
- 11. Sixkill**
Robert B. Parker, Putnam, \$26.95
- 12. The Sixth Man**
David Baldacci, Grand Central, \$27.99

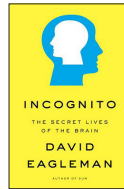


- 13. Buried Prey**
John Sandford, Putnam, \$27.95
- ★ **14. Bloodmoney**
David Ignatius, Norton, \$25.95
- 15. The Fifth Witness**
Michael Connelly, Little Brown, \$27.99

NONFICTION



- 1. In the Garden of Beasts**
Erik Larson, Crown, \$26
- 2. The Greater Journey**
David McCullough, S&S, \$37.50
- 3. Bossypants**
Tina Fey, Reagan Arthur Books, \$26.99
- 4. Unbroken**
Laura Hillenbrand, Random House, \$27
- 5. Lies That Chelsea Handler Told Me**
Chelsea Handler, et al., Grand Central, \$24.99
- 6. The Social Animal**
David Brooks, Random House, \$27
- ★ **7. Incognito: The Secret Lives of the Brain**
David Eagleman, Pantheon, \$26.95

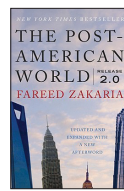


- 8. Seal Team Six**
Howard E. Wasdin, Stephen Templin, St. Martin's, \$26.99
- 9. Does the Noise in My Head Bother You?**
Steven Tyler, Ecco, \$27.99

- 10. Area 51**
Annie Jacobsen, Little Brown, \$27.99
- 11. On China**
Henry Kissinger, Penguin Press, \$36



- 12. Blood, Bones & Butter**
Gabrielle Hamilton, Random House, \$26
- ★ **13. Go the F**k to Sleep**
Adam Mansbach, Ricardo Cortes (Illus.), Akashic, \$14.95

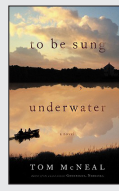


- 14. The Dukan Diet**
Pierre Dukan, Crown Archetype, \$26
- 15. Those Guys Have All the Fun**
James Andrew Miller, Tom Shales, Little Brown, \$27.99
- ↑ **26. The Post-American World: Release 2.0**
Fareed Zakaria, Norton, \$26.95

Other Indie Favorites



A Conflict of Interest: A Novel, by Adam Mitzner (Gallery, \$25) "Alex Miller is a young criminal defense attorney and recent partner in a powerful NYC law firm. At his father's funeral, Michael Ohlig introduces himself as a longtime family friend and asks Alex to represent him in a criminal investigation involving a brokerage scam that left his investors penniless. While investigating evidence being presented by the prosecution, Alex discovers facts that lead to old family secrets and lies. Desperation may lead to the truth, but deception can come at a high price. Twists in the final pages of this thriller will keep readers on the edge." —Carol Hicks, Bookshelf At Hooligan Rocks, Truckee, CA



To Be Sung Underwater: A Novel, by Tom McNeal (Little Brown, \$24.99) "As a young girl, Judith believed in the kind of love that 'picks you up in Akron and sets you down in Rio.' When she gives up her first love, Willy, she assumes that love like that is not to be had. Instead, she marries the kind of man whose love 'picks her up on Main Street and sets her down at the edge of town.' Now 20 years later, Judith is restless. Her marriage is stagnant, her husband is wandering, and she finds herself staring at a piece of paper with a phone number scribbled on it, a number that might very well take her back to that early dream. You will not want to put this book down!" —Nancy Simpson, The Book Vault, Oskaloosa, IA



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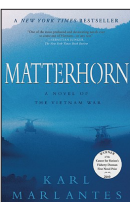
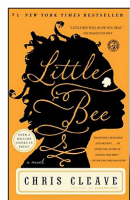
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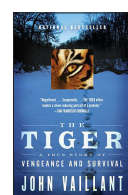
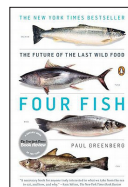
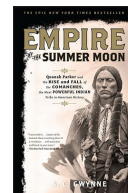
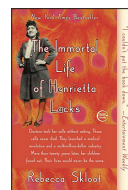
FICTION



- The Help**
Kathryn Stockett, Berkley, \$16
- A Visit From the Goon Squad**
Jennifer Egan, Anchor, \$14.95
- Room**
Emma Donoghue, Back Bay, \$14.99
- Cutting for Stone**
Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95
- Water for Elephants**
Sara Gruen, Algonquin, \$14.95
- Major Pettigrew's Last Stand**
Helen Simonson, Random House, \$15
- The Postmistress**
Sarah Blake, Berkley, \$15
- Our Kind of Traitor**
John le Carré, Penguin, \$15
- The Art of Racing in the Rain**
Garth Stein, Harper, \$14.99
- Little Bee**
Chris Cleave, S&S, \$15
- The Imperfectionists**
Tom Rachman, Dial, \$15
- The Passage**
Justin Cronin, Ballantine, \$16
- Island Beneath the Sea**
Isabel Allende, Harper Perennial
- Matterhorn**
Karl Marlantes, Grove Press, \$15.95
- Super Sad True Love Story**
Gary Shteyngart, Random House, \$15



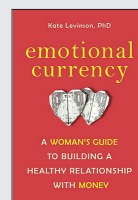
NONFICTION



- The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks**
Rebecca Skloot, Broadway Books, \$16
- Heaven Is for Real**
Todd Burpo, Thomas Nelson, \$16.99
- Life**
Keith Richards, James Fox, Back Bay, \$16.99
- Born to Run**
Christopher McDougall, Vintage, \$15.95
- Just Kids**
Patti Smith, Ecco Press, \$16
- Empire of the Summer Moon**
S.C. Gwynne, Scribner, \$16
- F in Exams**
Richard Benson, Chronicle, \$9.95
- Inside of a Dog**
Alexandra Horowitz, Scribner, \$16
- The Happiness Project**
Gretchen Rubin, Harper, \$14.99
- Zeitoun**
Dave Eggers, Vintage, \$15.95
- Medium Raw**
Anthony Bourdain, Ecco, \$15.99
- The Big Short**
Michael Lewis, Norton, \$15.95
- War**
Sebastian Junger, Twelve, \$15.99
- ★ **Four Fish: The Future of the Last Wild Food**
Paul Greenberg, Penguin, \$16
- ★ **The Tiger: A True Story of Vengeance and Survival**
John Vaillant, Vintage, \$15
- 📈 **The Disappearing Spoon: And Other Tales of Madness, Love, and the History of the World From the Periodic Table of Elements**
Sam Kean, Back Bay, \$14.99

MASS MARKET

- A Game of Thrones** George R.R. Martin, Spectra, \$8.99
- A Clash of Kings** George R.R. Martin, Spectra, \$8.99
- A Storm of Swords** George R.R. Martin, Spectra, \$8.99
- A Feast for Crows** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99
- Worth Dying For** Lee Child, Dell, \$9.99
- The Name of the Wind** Patrick Rothfuss, DAW, \$8.99
- To Kill a Mockingbird** Harper Lee, Warner, \$7.99
- The Catcher in the Rye** J.D. Salinger, Warner, \$6.99
- Burn** Nevada Barr, Minotaur, \$9.99



Another Indie Favorite

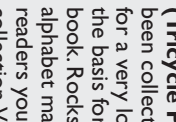
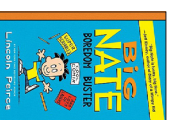
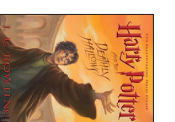
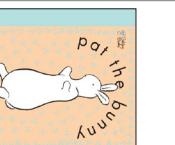
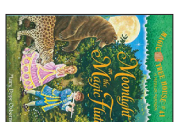
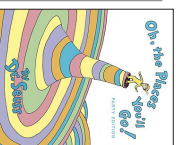
Emotional Currency, by Kate Levinson (Celestial Arts, \$14.99) "It is interesting—and very telling—to note one's constantly fluctuating emotions surrounding money. Levinson's book is an excellent aid to not only clear the confusion, but also wisely and gently to walk one through all of the options to discover the best possible personal choices. This is a terrific and useful book!" —Sheryl Cotleur, Book Passage, Corte Madera, CA

Indie Bestsellers Children's Books

CHILDREN'S INTEREST

ILLUSTRATED

FICTION SERIES



1. **The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book**

Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$12.95

2. **The Book Thief**

Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$11.99

3. **What Happened to Goodbye**

Sarah Dessen, Viking, \$19.99

4. **Divergent**

Veronica Roth, Katherine Tegen Books, \$17.99

5. **Mr. Popper's Penguins**

Richard Atwater, Florence Atwater, Little Brown, \$6.99

6. **The Lost Hero**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$18.99

7. **LEGO Harry Potter: Building the Magical World**

DK Publishing, \$21.99

8. **I Am Number Four**

Pittacus Lore, Harper, \$17.99

9. **The Emerald Atlas**

John Stephens, Knopf, \$17.99

10. **Hooray for Amanda & Her Alligator!**

Mo Willems, Balzer & Bray, \$17.99

11. **Big Nate Boredom Buster**

Lincoln Peirce, Harper, \$10.99

12. **Where the Mountain Meets the Moon**

Grace Lin, Little Brown, \$7.99

13. **Along for the Ride**

Sarah Dessen, Speak, \$8.99

14. **The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian**

Sherman Alexie, Ellen Forney (illus.), Little Brown, \$9.99

15. **Beauty Queens**

Libba Bray, Scholastic, \$18.99

1. **Oh, the Places You'll Go!**

Dr. Seuss, Random House, \$17.99

2. **Goodnight Moon**

Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (illus.), Harper, \$8.99

3. **Pat the Bunny**

Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden, \$9.99

4. **Press Here**

Herve Tuller, Chronicle, \$14.99

5. **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**

Eric Carle, Putnam, \$10.99

6. **A Sick Day for Amos McGee**

Philip Christian Stead, Erin E. Stead (illus.), Roaring Brook, \$16.99

7. **Happy Hippo, Angry Duck**

Sandra Boynton, Little Simon, \$5.99

8. **Fancy Nancy: Stellar Stargazer!**

Jane O'Connor, Robn Press Glasser (illus.), Harper, \$12.99

9. **Where the Wild Things Are**

Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95

10. **Good Night, Gorilla**

Peggy Rathmann, Putnam, \$7.99

11. **Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site**

Sherri Duskey Rinker, Tom Lichtenheld (illus.), Chronicle, \$16.99

12. **Ladybug Girl and the Bug Squad**

David Soman, Jacky Davis, Dial, \$16.99

13. **Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?**

Bill Martin, Eric Carle (illus.), Holt, \$7.95

14. **Me...Jane**

Jane Patrick McDonnell, Little Brown, \$15.99

15. **Make Way for Ducklings**

Robert McCloskey, Puffin, \$7.99

1. **The Hunger Games**

Suzanne Collins, Scholastic

2. **The Kane Chronicles**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion

3. **Magic Tree House**

Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House

4. **Secrets of the Immortal Nicholas Flamel**

Michael Scott, Delacorte

5. **Percy Jackson and the Olympians**

Rick Riordan, Miramax

6. **Harry Potter J.K. Rowling,**

Scholastic/Arthur A. Levine Books

7. **Ivy & Bean**

Annie Barrows, Sophie Blackall (illus.), Chronicle

8. **Diary of a Wimpy Kid**

Jeff Kinney, Amulet (hardcover)

9. **The Ranger's Apprentice**

John Flanagan, Puffin

10. **Alex Rider Adventures**

Anthony Horowitz, Puffin

All Fiction Series titles are hardcover and paperback, unless noted.

Another Indie Favorite for Ages 4 to 8

If Rocks Could Sing: A Discovered Alphabet, by Leslie McGurik (Tricycle Press, \$17.99) "McGurik has been collecting rocks from the shore for a very long time. Her collection is the basis for this most unusual alphabet book. Rocks that look like letters of the alphabet matched with corresponding objects will inspire readers young and old to go for a walk and start their own collection. Very clever and fun!" —Margaret Brennan

