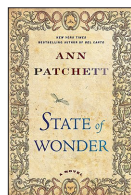


# Indie Bestsellers

## Hardcover

### Week of 06.16.11

#### FICTION



- ★ 1. **State of Wonder**  
Ann Patchett, Harper, \$26.99
- 2. **The Paris Wife**  
Paula McLain, Ballantine, \$25
- 3. **Caleb's Crossing**  
Geraldine Brooks, Viking, \$26.95
- 4. **The Tiger's Wife**  
Téa Obreht, Random House, \$25



- 5. **Dreams of Joy**  
Lisa See, Random House, \$26
- 6. **The Snowman**  
Jo Nesbø, Knopf, \$25.95
- 7. **The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest**  
Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$27.95
- 8. **The Land of Painted Caves**  
Jean M. Auel, Crown, \$30



- ★ 9. **Robopocalypse**  
Daniel Wilson, Doubleday, \$25
- 10. **Dead Reckoning**  
Charlaine Harris, Ace, \$27.95
- 11. **She Walks in Beauty**  
Caroline Kennedy (Ed.), Hyperion, \$24.99



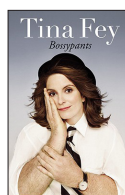
- ★ 12. **Hit List**  
Laurell K. Hamilton, Berkley, \$27.95
- 13. **The Fifth Witness**  
Michael Connelly, Little Brown, \$27.99



- 14. **The Sixth Man**  
David Baldacci, Grand Central, \$27.99
- 15. **Doc**  
Mary Doria Russell, Random House, \$26

- ↑ 17. **Sister: A Novel**  
Rosamund Lupton, Crown, \$24

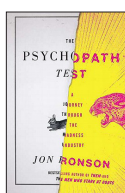
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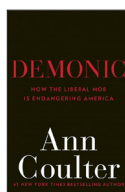
- 1. **The Greater Journey**  
David McCullough, S&S, \$37.50
- 2. **In the Garden of Beasts**  
Erik Larson, Crown, \$26
- 3. **Bossypants**  
Tina Fey, Reagan Arthur Books, \$26.99
- 4. **Unbroken**  
Laura Hillenbrand, Random House, \$27
- 5. **Go the F\*\*k to Sleep**  
Adam Mansbach, Ricardo Cortes (Illus.), Akashic, \$14.95
- 6. **Area 51**  
Annie Jacobsen, Little Brown, \$27.99



- 7. **Seal Team Six**  
Howard E. Wasdin, Stephen Templin, St. Martin's, \$26.99
- 8. **The Social Animal**  
David Brooks, Random House, \$27
- 9. **The Psychopath Test**  
Jon Ronson, Riverhead, \$25.95
- 10. **Lies That Chelsea Handler Told Me**  
Chelsea Handler, et al., Grand Central, \$24.99

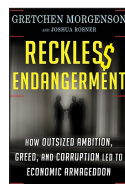


- ★ 11. **Demonic: How the Liberal Mob Is Endangering America**  
Ann Coulter, Crown Forum, \$28.99
- 12. **Incognito**  
David Eagleman, Pantheon, \$26.95
- 13. **Does the Noise in My Head Bother You?**  
Steven Tyler, Ecco, \$27.99

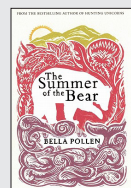


- 14. **Those Guys Have All the Fun**  
James Andrew Miller, Tom Shales, Little Brown, \$27.99

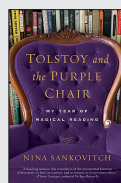
- ★ 15. **Reckless Endangerment: How Outsized Ambition, Greed, and Corruption Led to Economic Armageddon**  
Gretchen Morgenson, Joshua Rosner, Times Books, \$30



#### Other Indie Favorites



**The Summer of the Bear: A Novel, by Bella Pollen (Atlantic Monthly, \$24)** "Why do some people's lives work out while others do not? Leticia Fleming asks this question on the eve of her husband's fatal fall from the roof of his embassy office in Bonn, Germany. Accident or suicide? Political or personal? Now, she and her three children are on their way to a small island in Scotland's Outer Hebrides to try to recover. It takes more than quiet island life, however, for Letty to let go of the past and return her attention to her children. It takes a little magic and a young boy's unflagging belief in his father's word. A heartfelt story of love and redemption." —Karen Briggs, *Great Northern Books and Hobbies, Oscoda, MI*



**Tolstoy and the Purple Chair: My Year of Magical Reading, by Nina Sankovitch (Harper, \$23.99)** "This graceful memoir describes a true love affair with books. After losing her 46-year-old sister to cancer, Sankovitch embarks on a year of reading: one book every day for a full year. Her project, complete with daily book reviews, becomes an ongoing conversation with her sister and provides insight into her own past and contact with bibliophiles across the world. This is the best description of the power of books that I have ever encountered!" —Caitlin Daggart, *Where the Sidewalk Ends, Chatham, MA*

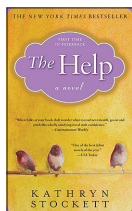
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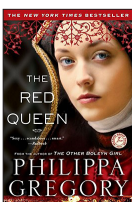
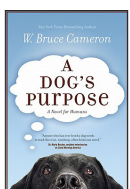
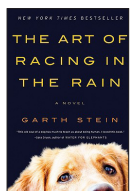
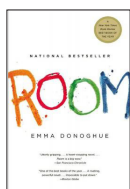
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### FICTION

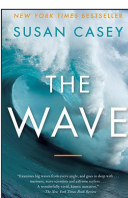
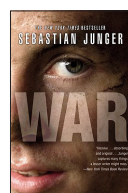
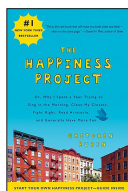
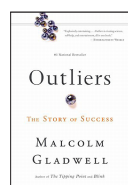


- The Help**  
Kathryn Stockett, Berkley, \$16
- A Visit From the Goon Squad**  
Jennifer Egan, Anchor, \$14.95
- Room**  
Emma Donoghue, Back Bay, \$14.99
- Cutting for Stone**  
Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95
- Water for Elephants**  
Sara Gruen, Algonquin, \$14.95
- Major Pettigrew's Last Stand**  
Helen Simonson, Random House, \$15
- The Postmistress**  
Sarah Blake, Berkley, \$15
- 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



- A Dog's Purpose**  
W. Bruce Cameron, Forge, \$12.99
- Super Sad True Love Story**  
Gary Shteyngart, Random House, \$15
- The Red Queen**  
Philippa Gregory, Touchstone, \$16

### NONFICTION

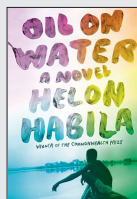


- The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks**  
Rebecca Skloot, Broadway Books, \$16
- Heaven Is for Real**  
Todd Burpo, Thomas Nelson, \$16.99
- Born to Run**  
Christopher McDougall, Vintage, \$15.95
- Outliers: The Story of Success**  
Malcolm Gladwell, Back Bay, \$16.99
- F in Exams**  
Richard Benson, Chronicle, \$9.95
- Just Kids**  
Patti Smith, Ecco Press, \$16
- Empire of the Summer Moon**  
S.C. Gwynne, Scribner, \$16
- Life**  
Keith Richards, James Fox, Back Bay, \$16.99
- Inside of a Dog**  
Alexandra Horowitz, Scribner, \$16
- The Happiness Project**  
Gretchen Rubin, Harper, \$14.99
- The Devil in the White City**  
Erik Larson, Vintage, \$15.95
- Zeitoun**  
Dave Eggers, Vintage, \$15.95
- War**  
Sebastian Junger, Twelve, \$15.99
- Four Fish**  
Paul Greenberg, Penguin, \$16
- The Wave: In Pursuit of the Rogues, Freaks, and Giants of the Ocean**  
Susan Casey, Anchor, \$15.95

### 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 Catcher in the Rye** J.D. Salinger, Warner, \$6.99
- To Kill a Mockingbird** Harper Lee, Warner, \$7.99
- Worth Dying For** Lee Child, Dell, \$9.99
- The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99
- 1984** George Orwell, Signet, \$9.99
- Burn** Nevada Barr, Minotaur, \$9.99

### Another Indie Favorite



**Oil on Water: A Novel, by Helon Habila (Norton, \$14.95)** "In this beautiful, truth-seeking novel, journalists Rufus and Zaq make their way through the fetid, oil-choked waters of the Nigerian Delta in search of the kidnapped wife of an oil executive. Rufus, young and eager to prove himself, is thrilled at the prospect of a big story and to be working with his hero, Zaq. But their journey into the dense wilderness takes on a much different form than either expected, and they are thrust into events beyond their control. *Oil on Water* is a suspenseful story about globalization, ambition, and the unwieldy nature of truth."  
—Amanda Hurley, Inkwood Books, Tampa, FL



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# Indie Bestsellers Children's Books

## CHILDREN'S INTEREST

1. **The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book**  
Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$12.95
2. **The Book Thief**  
Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$11.99
3. **Mr. Popper's Penguins**  
Richard Atwater, Florence Atwater, Little Brown, \$6.99
4. **What Happened to Goodbye**  
Sarah Dessen, Viking, \$19.99
- ★ 5. **Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children**  
Ransom Riggs, Quirk Books, \$17.99
6. **Divergent**  
Veronica Roth, Katherine Tegen Books, \$17.99
7. **LEGO Harry Potter: Building the Magical World**  
DK Publishing, \$21.99
8. **The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian**  
Sherman Alexie, Ellen Forney (illus.), Little Brown, \$9.99
9. **Along for the Ride**  
Sarah Dessen, Speak, \$8.99
10. **The Emerald Atlas**  
John Stephens, Knopf, \$17.99
11. **Where the Mountain Meets the Moon**  
Grace Lin, Little Brown, \$7.99
12. **The Lost Hero**  
Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$18.99
13. **Beauty Queens**  
Libba Bray, Scholastic, \$18.99
14. **Big Nate Boredom Buster**  
Lincoln Peirce, Harper, \$10.99
15. **The Phantom Tollbooth**  
Norton Juster, Jules Feiffer (illus.), Yearling, \$6.99

## ILLUSTRATED

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. **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**  
Eric Carle, Putnam, \$10.99
4. **Press Here** Hervé Tullet, Chronicle, \$14.99
5. **Fancy Nancy: Stellar Stargazer!**  
Jane O'Connor, Robin Press Glasser (illus.), Harper, \$12.99
6. **Pat the Bunny**  
Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden, \$9.99
7. **A Sick Day for Amos McGee**  
Philip Christian Stead, Erin E. Stead (illus.), Roaring Brook, \$16.99
8. **Happy Hippo, Angry Duck**  
Sandra Boynton, Little Simon, \$5.99
9. **Make Way for Ducklings**  
Robert McCloskey, Puffin, \$7.99
10. **Where the Wild Things Are**  
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95
11. **Me...Jane** Patrick McDonnell, Little Brown, \$15.99
12. **Good Night, Gorilla**  
Peggy Rathmann, Putnam, \$7.99
13. **Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site**  
Sherri Duskey Rinker, Tom Lichtenheld (illus.), Chronicle, \$16.99
14. **Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?**  
Bill Martin, Eric Carle (illus.), Holt, \$7.95
15. **Of Thee I Sing: A Letter to My Daughters**  
Barack Obama, Loren Long (illus.), Knopf, \$17.99

## FICTION SERIES

1. **The Hunger Games**  
Suzanne Collins, Scholastic
2. **Magic Tree House**  
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House
3. **The Kane Chronicles**  
Rick Riordan, Hyperion
4. **Percy Jackson and the Olympians**  
Rick Riordan, Miramax
5. **Harry Potter** J.K. Rowling, Scholastic/Arthur A. Levine Books
6. **Secrets of the Immortal Nicholas Flamel**  
Michael Scott, Delacorte
7. **Diary of a Wimpy Kid**  
Jeff Kinney, Amulet (hardcover)
8. **The Ranger's Apprentice**  
John Flanagan, Puffin
- ★ 9. **Theodore Boone**  
John Grisham, Dutton
10. **Alex Rider Adventures**  
Anthony Horowitz, Puffin

All Fiction Series titles are hardcover and paperback unless noted.

## Another Indie Favorite for Teen Readers

**Blink & Caution**, by Tim Wynne-Jones (Candlewick, \$16.99,) "Blink & Caution begins with two separate storylines, both involving teenagers living on their own in the runaway world of Toronto. Having each left their homes due to traumatic circumstances, they live in dangerous places without the normal structure and limits imposed by a caretaking adult. This unregulated world is the antithesis of true liberty. They are stifled by their freedom and live in a suspended state. *Blink & Caution* is the story of how their lives become intertwined, and how they provide each other with the fulcrum to climb back into life." —Kenny Brechner, **DeVaney, Doak & Garrett Booksellers**, Farmington, ME

