

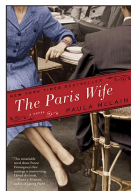
Indie Bestsellers



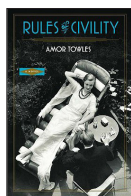
Hardcover

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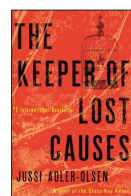
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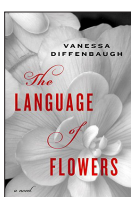
1. **State of Wonder**
Ann Patchett, Harper, \$26.99
2. **The Paris Wife**
Paula McLain, Ballantine, \$25
3. **A Dance With Dragons**
George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$35



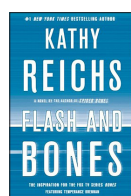
4. **Rules of Civility**
Amor Towles, Viking, \$26.95
5. **The Magician King**
Lev Grossman, Viking, \$26.95
6. **Maine**
J. Courtney Sullivan, Knopf, \$25.95



7. **The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest**
Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$27.95
8. **Caleb's Crossing**
Geraldine Brooks, Viking, \$26.95
- ★ 9. **The Keeper of Lost Causes**
Jussi Adler-Olsen, Dutton, \$25.95



10. **Portrait of a Spy**
Daniel Silva, Harper, \$26.99
- ★ 11. **The Language of Flowers**
Vanessa Diffenbaugh, Ballantine, \$25
12. **Ready Player One**
Ernest Cline, Crown, \$24



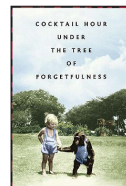
13. **The Tiger's Wife**
Téa Obreht, Random House, \$25
14. **The Family Fang**
Kevin Wilson, Ecco, \$23.99
15. **House of Holes**
Nicholson Baker, S&S, \$25

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Kathy Reichs, Scribner, \$26.99

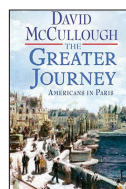
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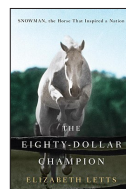
1. **In the Garden of Beasts**
Erik Larson, Crown, \$26
2. **Unbroken**
Laura Hillenbrand, Random House, \$27
3. **Go the F**k to Sleep**
Adam Mansbach, Ricardo Cortes (Illus.), Akashic, \$14.95



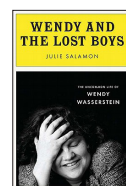
- ★ 4. **Cocktail Hour Under the Tree of Forgetfulness**
Alexandra Fuller, Penguin Press, \$25.95



5. **1493**
Charles C. Mann, Knopf, \$30.50
6. **Bossypants**
Tina Fey, Reagan Arthur Books, \$26.99
7. **A Stolen Life**
Jaycee Dugard, S&S, \$24.99

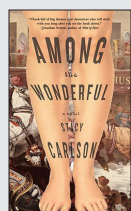


8. **The Greater Journey**
David McCullough, S&S, \$37.50
9. **Prime Time**
Jane Fonda, Random House, \$27
10. **Turn Right at Machu Picchu**
Mark Adams, Dutton, \$26.95
- ★ 11. **The Eighty-Dollar Champion: Snowman, the Horse That Inspired a Nation**
Elizabeth Letts, Ballantine, \$26



- ★ 12. **Wendy and the Lost Boys: The Uncommon Life of Wendy Wasserstein**
Julie Salamon, Penguin Press, \$29.95
13. **Nothing Daunted**
Dorothy Wickenden, Scribner, \$26
14. **The Social Animal**
David Brooks, Random House, \$27
15. **Lost in Shangri-La**
Mitchell Zuckoff, Harper, \$26.99

Other Indie Favorites



Among the Wonderful, by Stacy Carlson (Steerforth, \$27) "Among the Wonderful is an historical novel rich with images of 1840s Manhattan and the exhibits—both living and preserved—that populated P.T. Barnum's American Museum. Outwardly freakish but inwardly just like you and me, the characters Stacy Carlson has created remind us of our common humanity. Ana Swift, one of Barnum's human exhibits, draws us into this world of hawkers and gawkers and voyeurs with uncommon intelligence, heart, and grace. Ana's story is universal: it is not what you see on the outside that truly counts."—Susan Morgan, The Yankee Bookshop, Woodstock, VT



Girls in White Dresses, by Jennifer Close (Knopf, \$24.95) "This book is smart, hilarious, and sincere, a combination both rare and, here, perfectly balanced. The series of interconnected short stories features Isabelle, her family, and her group of close friends as Isabelle grows up and moves from being a reluctant member of her older sister's wedding party to attending numerous friends' weddings. But this is not just a book about getting married. It is a book about growing up, being a girl, being both a friend and a girlfriend, and trying to find one's place in the world. It is also incredibly funny—laugh out loud, spot-on funny!" —Sarah Baline, Politics & Prose, Washington, DC