

# Indie Bestsellers

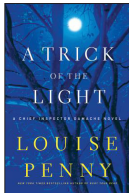
# Hardcover

## Week of 09.08.11

### FICTION



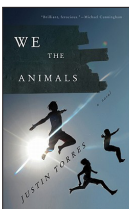
1. **State of Wonder**  
Ann Patchett, Harper, \$26.99
2. **The Paris Wife**  
Paula McLain, Ballantine, \$25
- ★ 3. **The Leftovers**  
Tom Perrotta, St. Martin's, \$25.99



4. **A Dance With Dragons**  
George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$35
5. **Rules of Civility**  
Amor Towles, Viking, \$26.95
6. **The Language of Flowers**  
Vanessa Diffenbaugh, Ballantine, \$25



7. **The Magician King**  
Lev Grossman, Viking, \$26.95
8. **The Keeper of Lost Causes**  
Jussi Adler-Olsen, Dutton, \$25.95
- ★ 9. **A Trick of the Light**  
Louise Penny, Minotaur, \$25.99



10. **Maine**  
J. Courtney Sullivan, Knopf, \$25.95
11. **The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest**  
Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$27.95

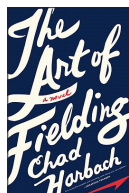
- ★ 12. **The Buddha in the Attic**  
Julie Otsuka, Knopf, \$22

13. **Caleb's Crossing**  
Geraldine Brooks, Viking, \$26.95

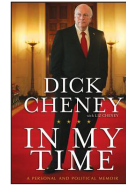
- ★ 14. **We the Animals**  
Justin Torres, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, \$18

- ★ 15. **The Art of Fielding**  
Chad Harbach, Little Brown, \$25.99

- ↑ 21. **The Cut**  
George Pelecanos, Reagan Arthur, \$25.99



### NONFICTION



- ★ 1. **In My Time: A Personal and Political Memoir**  
Dick Cheney, Threshold Editions, \$35

2. **In the Garden of Beasts**  
Erik Larson, Crown, \$26

3. **Unbroken**  
Laura Hillenbrand, Random House, \$27

4. **Go the F\*\*k to Sleep**  
Adam Mansbach, Ricardo Cortes (Illus.), Akashic, \$14.95

5. **1493**  
Charles C. Mann, Knopf, \$30.50

6. **Bossypants**  
Tina Fey, Reagan Arthur Books, \$26.99

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

8. **A Stolen Life**  
Jaycee Dugard, S&S, \$24.99

9. **The Greater Journey**  
David McCullough, S&S, \$37.50

10. **The Eighty-Dollar Champion**  
Elizabeth Letts, Ballantine, \$26

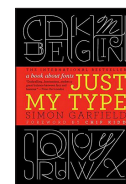
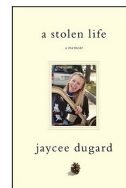
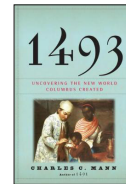
11. **Turn Right at Machu Picchu**  
Mark Adams, Dutton, \$26.95

12. **Prime Time**  
Jane Fonda, Random House, \$27

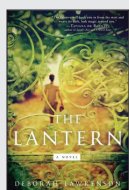
- ★ 13. **Arguably: Essays by Christopher Hitchens**  
Christopher Hitchens, Twelve, \$30

14. **Plenty**  
Yotam Ottolenghi, Chronicle, \$35

- ★ 15. **Just My Type: A Book About Fonts**  
Simon Garfield, Gotham, \$27.50



### Other Indie Favorites



**The Lantern: A Novel, by Deborah Lawrenson (Harper, \$25.99)** "This mysterious tale will remind you of the Daphne du Maurier classic *Rebecca*. *The Lantern* is a tale of suspense and intrigue that takes place both in the present and in the 1940s in the south of France. The beautifully described scenery and chilling situations will keep your eyes glued to the page. I was in suspense until the very end. A fantastic read!" —**Summer Moser, Summer's Stories, Kendallville, IN**



**Remembering the Music, Forgetting the Words: Travels With Mom in the Land of Dementia, by Kate Whouley (Beacon Press, \$24.95)** "Kate Whouley recounts her mother's journey into Alzheimer's with heart-wrenching honesty and heart-warming compassion. The book explores the complex relationship of mother and child, the nature of friendship, and the world of aging and dementia. Ultimately, it is about what it means to be a caring human being. It made me laugh. It made me cry. It touched me deeply. I loved this book." —**Chuck Robinson, Village Books, Bellingham, WA**



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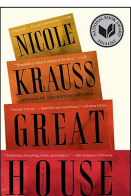
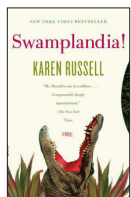
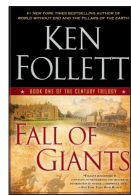
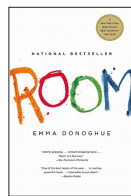
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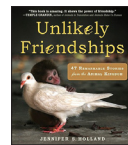
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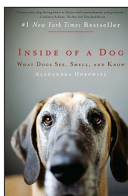
- The Help**  
Kathryn Stockett, Berkley, \$16
- Sarah's Key**  
Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's Griffin, \$13.99
- Cutting for Stone**  
Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95
- A Visit From the Goon Squad**  
Jennifer Egan, Anchor, \$14.95
- Room**  
Emma Donoghue, Back Bay, \$14.99
- One Day**  
David Nicholls, Vintage, \$14.95
- Major Pettigrew's Last Stand**  
Helen Simonson, Random House, \$15
- The Art of Racing in the Rain**  
Garth Stein, Harper, \$14.99
- ★ **Fall of Giants**  
Ken Follett, NAL, \$25
- The Postmistress**  
Sarah Blake, Berkley, \$15
- Water for Elephants**  
Sara Gruen, Algonquin, \$14.95
- The Imperfectionists**  
Tom Rachman, Dial, \$15
- Swamplandia!**  
Karen Russell, Vintage, \$14.95
- Little Bee**  
Chris Cleave, S&S, \$15
- The Cookbook Collector**  
Allegra Goodman, Dial, \$15
- ↑ **Great House**  
Nicole Krauss, Norton, \$14.95



NONFICTION



- The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks**  
Rebecca Skloot, Broadway Books, \$16
- Heaven Is for Real**  
Todd Burpo, Thomas Nelson, \$16.99
- Unlikely Friendships**  
Jennifer S. Holland, Workman, \$13.95
- Empire of the Summer Moon**  
S.C. Gwynne, Scribner, \$16
- Born to Run**  
Christopher McDougall, Vintage, \$15.95
- Just Kids**  
Patti Smith, Ecco Press, \$16
- Outliers**  
Malcolm Gladwell, Back Bay, \$16.99
- Let's Take the Long Way Home**  
Gail Caldwell, Random House, \$14
- The Emperor of All Maladies**  
Siddhartha Mukherjee, Scribner, \$18
- F in Exams**  
Richard Benson, Chronicle, \$9.95
- The Happiness Project**  
Gretchen Rubin, Harper, \$14.99
- The Devil in the White City**  
Erik Larson, Vintage, \$15.95
- Life**  
Keith Richards, James Fox, Back Bay, \$16.99
- The Hare With Amber Eyes**  
Edmund de Waal, Picador, \$16
- Inside of a Dog**  
Alexandra Horowitz, Scribner, \$16



### MASS MARKET

- A Game of Thrones** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- A Clash of Kings** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- A Storm of Swords** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- A Feast for Crows** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- The Reversal** Michael Connelly, Vision, \$9.99
- The Confession** John Grisham, Dell, \$9.99
- To Kill a Mockingbird** Harper Lee, Warner, \$7.99
- ★ **American Assassin** Vince Flynn, Pocket, \$9.99
- The Catcher in the Rye** J.D. Salinger, Warner, \$6.99
- Fahrenheit 451** Ray Bradbury, Ballantine, \$6.99

### Another Indie Favorite



**This Is Us: The New All-American Family, by David Marin (Exterminating Angel Press, \$16.95)**  
 "When David Marin gave up his white-collar bachelorhood to adopt three abandoned children, he received crash courses in parenting, the maddening labyrinth of social services, and the simple yet elusive truism that if you want love, you must give love. Marin's heartfelt recollections will open readers' eyes, hearts, and minds to new ways of seeing adoption, the immigration debate, and just what constitutes the American family in the 21st century." —Gerry Donaghy, Powell's City of Books, Portland, OR

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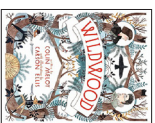
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# Children's Books

## CHILDREN'S INTEREST

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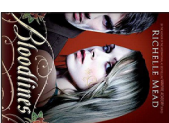
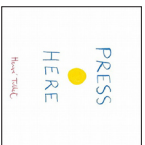
## FICTION SERIES



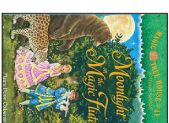
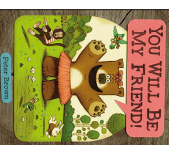
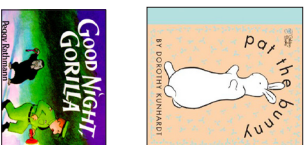
- 1. Darth Paper Strikes Back**  
Tom Angleberger, Amulet, \$12.95
- 2. Wildwood**  
Colin Meloy, Carson Ellis (illus.), Balzer & Bray/  
Harper Teen, \$17.99



- 3. The Book Thief**  
Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$12.99
- 4. Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children**  
Ransom Riggs, Quirk Books, \$17.99
- 5. Thirteen Reasons Why**  
Jay Asher, Razorbill, \$10.99
- 6. The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book**  
Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$12.95
- 7. The Strange Case of Origami Yoda**  
Tom Angleberger, Amulet, \$12.95
- 8. The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian**  
Sherman Alexie, Ellen Forney (illus.), Little Brown, \$9.99
- 9. Middle School, the Worst Years of My Life**  
James Patterson, Chris Tebbets, Laura Park (illus.), Little Brown, \$15.99
- 10. Should I Share My Ice Cream?**  
Mo Willems, Hyperion, \$8.99
- 11. 13 Gifts**  
Wendy Mass, Scholastic, \$16.99
- 12. Scumble**  
Ingrid Law, Puffin, \$7.99
- 13. Charlotte's Web**  
E.B. White, Harper, \$7.99
- 14. The Lost Hero**  
Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$18.99
- 15. Bloodlines**  
Richelle Mead, Razorbill, \$18.99



- 1. Goodnight Moon**  
Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (illus.), Harper, \$8.99
- 2. Skippyjon Jones, Class Action**  
Judy Schachner, Dutton, \$17.99
- 3. The Wizard of Oz: A Scanimation Book**  
Rufus Butler Seder (illus.), Workman, \$14.95
- 4. Llama Llama Home With Mama**  
Anna Dewdney, Viking, \$17.99
- 5. Where the Wild Things Are**  
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95
- 6. Press Here**  
Herve Tuller, Chronicle, \$14.99
- 7. Pat the Bunny**  
Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden, \$9.99
- 8. The Very Hungry Caterpillar**  
Eric Carle, Putnam, \$10.99
- 9. Good Night, Gorilla**  
Peggy Rathmann, Putnam, \$7.99
- 10. Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site**  
Sherri Duskey Rinker, Tom Lichtenheld (illus.), Chronicle, \$16.99
- 11. A Sick Day for Amos McGee**  
Phillip Christian Stead, Erin E. Stead (illus.), Raring Brook, \$16.99
- 12. Make Way for Ducklings**  
Robert McCloskey, Puffin, \$7.99
- 13. Pete the Cat: Rocking in My School Shoes**  
Eric Litwin, James Dean (illus.), HarperCollins, \$16.99
- 14. Moo**  
Matthew Van Fleet, S&S, \$16.99
- 15. You Will Be My Friend!**  
Peter Brown, Little Brown, \$16.99



- 1. The Hunger Games**  
Suzanne Collins, Scholastic
- 2. Magic Tree House**  
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House
- 3. Harry Potter J.K. Rowling,**  
Scholastic/Arthur A. Levine Books
- 4. The 39 Clues**  
Gordon Korman, et al., Scholastic  
**New in Series: Cahills vs. Vespers Book 1: The Medusa Plot**
- 5. Lorien Legacies**  
Pittacus Lore, Harper
- 6. Big Nate**  
Lincoln Peirce, Harper
- 7. The Kane Chronicles**  
Rick Riordan, Hyperion
- 8. Percy Jackson and the Olympians**  
Rick Riordan, Miramax
- 9. The Ranger's Apprentice**  
John Flanagan, Puffin
- 10. Diary of a Wimpy Kid**  
Jeff Kinney, Amulet (hardcover)



All Fiction Series titles are hardcover and paperback unless noted.

## Another Indie Favorite for Ages 9 to 12

**The Friendship Doll, by Kirby Larson (Delacorte, \$15.99)** "In 1927, Japan sent 58 Japanese dolls as ambassadors of goodwill to America. This story is told from the point of view of one of those dolls, Miss Kawanaga. Miss Kawanaga finds that having a heart is a very important thing, and Larson challenges readers to see the impact of this historic gift through the eyes of the various girls who come into contact with this exquisite doll. Today, 45 dolls are accounted for and through Miss Kawanaga, Larson issues the challenge to locate the 13 dolls that are missing." —Margaret Brennan Neville, *The King's English*, Salt Lake City, UT

