

Indie Bestsellers

Hardcover

Week of 10.13.11

FICTION



1. **The Night Circus**
Erin Morgenstern, Doubleday, \$26.95

2. **The Affair**
Lee Child, Delacorte, \$28

3. **The Paris Wife**
Paula McLain, Ballantine, \$25

★ 4. **The Cat's Table**
Michael Ondaatje, Knopf, \$26

5. **The Art of Fielding**
Chad Harbach, Little Brown, \$25.99

6. **State of Wonder**
Ann Patchett, Harper, \$26.99

7. **A Dance With Dragons**
George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$35

8. **Reamde**
Neal Stephenson, Morrow, \$35

★ 9. **The Dovekeepers**
Alice Hoffman, Scribner, \$27.99

★ 10. **Shock Wave**
John Sandford, Putnam Adult, \$27.95

11. **Nightwoods**
Charles Frazier, Random House, \$26

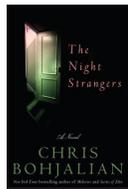
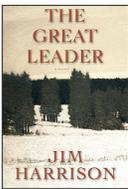
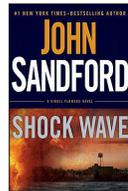
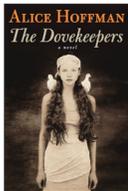
12. **Aleph**
Paulo Coelho, Knopf, \$24.95

13. **Feast Day of Fools**
James Lee Burke, S&S, \$26.99

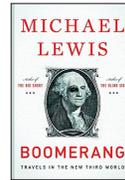
14. **Rules of Civility**
Amor Towles, Viking, \$26.95

★ 15. **The Great Leader**
Jim Harrison, Grove Press, \$24

↑ 19. **The Night Strangers**
Chris Bohjalian, Crown, \$25



NONFICTION



★ 1. **Boomerang: Travels in the New Third World**
Michael Lewis, Norton, \$25.95

2. **Killing Lincoln**
Bill O'Reilly, Martin Dugard, Holt, \$28

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

4. **Jacqueline Kennedy**
Caroline Kennedy, Michael Beschloss, Hyperion, \$60

5. **The Swerve**
Stephen Greenblatt, Norton, \$26.95

6. **That Used to Be Us**
Thomas L. Friedman, Michael Mandelbaum, FSG, \$28

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

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

9. **Rin Tin Tin**
Susan Orlean, S&S, \$26.99

★ 10. **Seriously... I'm Kidding**
Ellen DeGeneres, Grand Central, \$26.99

11. **Confidence Men**
Ron Suskind, Harper, \$29.99

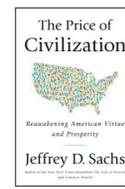
12. **Destiny of the Republic**
Candice Millard, Doubleday, \$28.95

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

14. **Here Comes Trouble**
Michael Moore, Grand Central, \$26.99

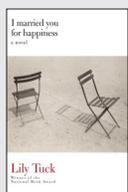
15. **I493**
Charles C. Mann, Knopf, \$30.50

↑ 20. **The Price of Civilization**
Jeffrey D. Sachs, Random House, \$27



Other Indie Favorites

I Married You for Happiness: A Novel, by Lily Tuck (Atlantic Monthly Press, \$24) "Lily Tuck's new novel is a gem. Sitting beside the body of her husband who died unexpectedly while she was making dinner, Nina spends the whole night with his body, remembering their marriage of 43 years—the early years as well as the highlights, both the good and the difficult. Written with honesty by a woman who clearly understands relationships and all of the intimacies and secrets that go along with marriage, this is a novel to be savored." —Penny McConnell, Norwich Bookstore, Norwich, VT



The Orchard: A Memoir, by Theresa Weir (Grand Central Publishing, \$23.99) "Weir's memoir is not only the story of her struggle as a troubled youth, but also of her acceptance into the hard life of a farmer's wife under an oppressive and controlling family matriarch. *The Orchard* is a love letter to her husband and to the life that they built together, as well as a love letter to nature and what nature will yield. It is also a tale of caution regarding the great harm that is done with pesticides and aggressive farming. Weir tells her story with grace, compassion, and unflinching honesty." —Calvin Crosby, Books Inc., Berkeley, CA

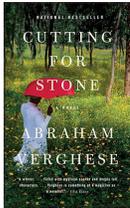


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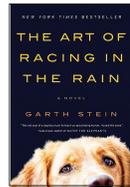
Paperback

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FICTION



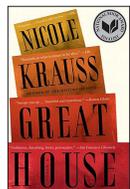
- The Help**
Kathryn Stockett, Berkley, \$16
- Cutting for Stone**
Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95
- Freedom**
Jonathan Franzen, Picador, \$16
- Sarah's Key**
Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's Griffin, \$13.99
- A Visit From the Goon Squad**
Jennifer Egan, Anchor, \$14.95



- Room**
Emma Donoghue, Back Bay, \$14.99
- The Art of Racing in the Rain**
Garth Stein, Harper, \$14.99



- Major Pettigrew's Last Stand**
Helen Simonson, Random House, \$15
- A Secret Kept**
Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's Griffin, \$14.99
- ★ **Squirrel Seeks Chipmunk**
David Sedaris, Ian Falconer (Illus.), Back Bay, \$13.99

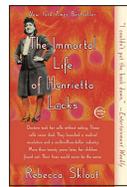


- Started Early, Took My Dog**
Kate Atkinson, Reagan Arthur Books, \$14.99
- Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet**
Jamie Ford, Ballantine, \$15

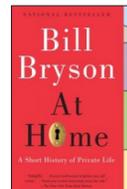


- Great House**
Nicole Krauss, Norton, \$14.95
- The Postmistress**
Sarah Blake, Berkley, \$15
- ★ **The Best American Short Stories 2011**
Geraldine Brooks, Heidi Pitlor (Eds.), Mariner,

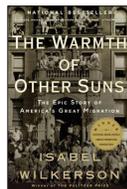
NONFICTION



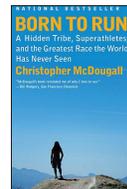
- The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks**
Rebecca Skloot, Broadway Books, \$16
- Cleopatra: A Life**
Stacy Schiff, Back Bay, \$16.99
- Unlikely Friendships**
Jennifer S. Holland, Workman, \$13.95



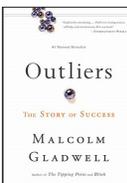
- Heaven Is for Real**
Todd Burpo, Thomas Nelson, \$16.99
- ★ **At Home: A Short History of Private Life**
Bill Bryson, Anchor, \$15.95



- Moneyball**
Michael Lewis, Norton, \$15.95
- ★ **The Warmth of Other Suns: The Epic Story of America's Great Migration**
Isabel Wilkerson, Vintage, \$16.95



- Empire of the Summer Moon**
S.C. Gwynne, Scribner, \$16
- The Hare With Amber Eyes**
Edmund de Waal, Picador, \$16
- Born to Run**
Christopher McDougall, Vintage, \$15.95

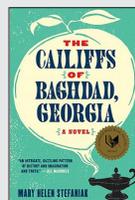


- Just Kids**
Patti Smith, Ecco Press, \$16
- The Old Farmer's Almanac 2012**
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- Outliers**
Malcolm Gladwell, Back Bay, \$16.99
- F in Exams**
Richard Benson, Chronicle, \$9.95
- The Happiness Project**
Gretchen Rubin, Harper, \$14.99

MASS MARKET

- A Clash of Kings** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- A Game of Thrones** 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
- To Kill a Mockingbird** Harper Lee, Warner, \$7.99
- The Reversal** Michael Connelly, Vision, \$9.99
- The Confession** John Grisham, Dell, \$9.99
- The Catcher in the Rye** J.D. Salinger, Warner, \$6.99
- The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99
- Cross Fire** James Patterson, Vision, \$9.99

Another Indie Favorite



The Cailiffs of Baghdad, Georgia: A Novel, by Mary Helen Stefaniak (Norton, \$15.95) "Eleven-year-old Gladys Cailiff tells the story of the teacher who turned her small town upside down. In 1938, Grace Spivey came to town as a WPA-hired teacher. She believed in field trips, costumes, and reading aloud from *The Thousand Nights and a Night*. But the real trouble started when she decided to revive the annual town festival. Great storytelling is alive! The reader will delight in the characters (and the camels) in this tale of the Depression-era South." —**Barbara Theroux, Fact & Fiction, Missoula, MT**

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Children's Books

CHILDREN'S INTEREST

- 1. Every Thing on It**
Shel Silverstein, Harper, \$19.99
- 2. Wonderstruck**
Brian Selznick, Scholastic, \$29.99
- 3. The Bippolo Seed and Other Lost Stories**
Dr. Seuss, Random House, \$15
- 4. Wildwood**
Colin Meloy, Carson Ellis (illus.), Balzer & Bray/HarperTeen, \$17.99
- 5. Darth Paper Strikes Back**
Tom Angleberger, Amulet, \$12.95
- 6. Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children**
Ransom Riggs, Quirk Books, \$17.99
- 7. The Book Thief**
Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$12.99
- 8. LEGO Star Wars Character Encyclopedia**
DK Publishing, \$18.99
- 9. The Strange Case of Origami Yoda**
Tom Angleberger, Amulet, \$12.95
- 10. Matched**
Ally Condie, Speak, \$9.99
- 11. The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book**
Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$12.95
- 12. Happy Pig Day!**
Mo Willems, Hyperion, \$8.99
- 13. I Want My Hat Back**
Jon Klassen, Candlewick, \$15.99
- 14. The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian**
Sherman Alexie, Ellen Forney (illus.), Little Brown, \$9.99
- 15. Thirteen Reasons Why**
Jay Asher, Razorbill, \$10.99

ILLUSTRATED

- 1. Goodnight Moon**
Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (illus.), Harper, \$8.99
- 2. If You Give a Dog a Donut**
Laura Joffe Numeroff, Felicia Bond (illus.), Balzer & Bray/HarperTeen, \$16.99
- 3. The Artist Who Painted a Blue Horse**
Eric Carle, Philomel, \$17.99
- 4. Llama Llama Red Pajama**
Anna Dewdney, Viking, \$16.99
- 5. Bumble-Ardy**
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95
- 6. Pinkalicious and the Pink Pumpkin**
Victoria Kann, HarperFestival, \$6.99
- 7. The Wizard of Oz: A Scanimation Book**
Rufus Butler Seder (illus.), Workman, \$14.95
- 8. The Very Hungry Caterpillar**
Eric Carle, Putnam, \$10.99
- 9. Where the Wild Things Are**
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95
- 10. Pat the Bunny**
Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden, \$9.99
- 11. Room on the Broom**
Julia Donaldson, Axel Scheffler (illus.), Puffin, \$6.99
- 12. Good Night, Gorilla**
Peggy Rathmann, Putnam, \$7.99
- 13. Clifford's Halloween**
Norman Bridwell, Cartwheel, \$3.99
- 14. Llama Llama Home With Mama**
Anna Dewdney, Viking, \$17.99
- 15. Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?**
Bill Martin, Eric Carle (illus.), Holt, \$7.95

FICTION SERIES

- 1. The Hunger Games**
Suzanne Collins, Scholastic
- 2. The Heroes of Olympus**
Rick Riordan, Hyperion (hardcover)
New in Series: The Son of Neptune
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House
- 3. Magic Tree House**
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House
- 4. The Secret Series**
Pseudonymous Bosch, Little Brown
- 5. Percy Jackson and the Olympians**
Rick Riordan, Miramax
- 6. Harry Potter J.K. Rowling, Scholastic/Arthur A. Levine Books**
- 7. Diary of a Wimpy Kid**
Jeff Kinney, Amulet (hardcover)
- 8. The Ranger's Apprentice**
John Flanagan, Puffin
- 9. The 39 Clues**
Gordon Korman, et al., Scholastic (hardcover)
- 10. Leviathan Trilogy**
Scott Westerfeld, Keith Thompson (illus.), Simon Pulse

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

Another Indie Favorite for Teen Readers

Ashfall, by Mike Mullin (Tanglewood, \$16.95) "When the Yellowstone supervolcano erupts and spreads ash for hundreds of miles around, Alex must journey from his home in Iowa to find his family in Illinois. The rules of civilization vanish, and Alex can only trust himself on his harrowing journey. At its heart, *Ashfall* is a coming-of-age tale—albeit one that will haunt you and make you want to enroll in a survivalist class immediately." —Cathy Berner, Blue Willow Bookshop, Houston, TX

