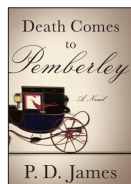


Indie Bestsellers

Hardcover

Week of 01.05.12

FICTION



1. **Death Comes to Pemberley**
P.D. James, Knopf, \$25.95

2. **The Sense of an Ending**
Julian Barnes, Knopf, \$23.95

3. **1Q84**
Haruki Murakami, Knopf, \$30.50

4. **The Marriage Plot**
Jeffrey Eugenides, FSG, \$28

5. **11/22/63**
Stephen King, Scribner, \$35

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

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

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

9. **The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest**
Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$27.95

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

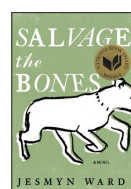
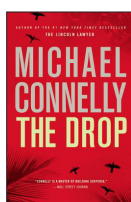
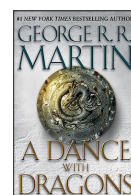
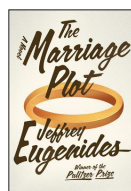
11. **The Drop**
Michael Connelly, Little Brown, \$27.99

12. **The Leopard**
Jo Nesbø, Knopf, \$26.95

13. **The Litigators**
John Grisham, Doubleday, \$28.95

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

★ 15. **Salvage the Bones**
Jesmyn Ward, Bloomsbury, \$24



NONFICTION

1. **Thinking, Fast and Slow**
Daniel Kahneman, FSG, \$30

2. **Steve Jobs**
Walter Isaacson, S&S, \$35

3. **Catherine the Great**
Robert K. Massie, Random House, \$35

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

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

6. **The Swerve**
Stephen J. Greenblatt, Norton, \$26.95

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

8. **Boomerang**
Michael Lewis, Norton, \$25.95

9. **Goodnight iPad**
Ann Droyd, Blue Rider, \$14.95

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

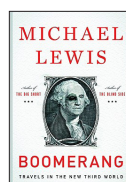
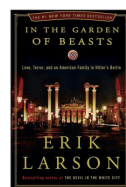
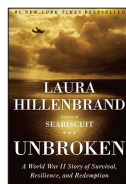
11. **Then Again**
Diane Keaton, Random House, \$26

12. **Blue Nights**
Joan Didion, Knopf, \$25

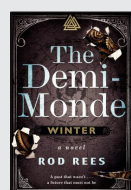
13. **A History of the World in 100 Objects**
Neil MacGregor, Viking, \$45

14. **Guinness World Records 2012**
Guinness, \$28.95

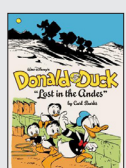
15. **Is Everyone Hanging Out Without Me? (And Other Concerns)**
Mindy Kaling, Crown Archetype, \$25



Other Indie Favorites



The Demi-Monde: Winter, by Rod Rees (William Morrow, \$26.99) "Like a literary love child of Neal Stephenson and Tad Williams, *The Demi-Monde: Winter*, the first in a proposed quartet, is a dark, dangerous adventure tale set in a vaguely steampunk virtual world populated by the avatars of some of history's most villainous characters. Eighteen-year-old Ella is thrust into a world unlike any she has ever known when she is hired to retrieve the president's daughter from a virtual environment that was originally created to train combat soldiers in guerrilla warfare. A page-turner and a highly entertaining opening to a very promising series." —**Billie Bloebaum, Powell's Books at PDX, Portland, OR**



Walt Disney's Donald Duck: Lost in the Andes (The Complete Carl Barks Disney Library), by Carl Barks (Fantagraphics, \$24.99) "In Carl Barks' Duckburg, we see all the human frailties: Donald Duck's anger, Scrooge's ambition, the Beagle Boys' greed. Barks was a virtuoso artist and writer who combined breakneck action with detailed and subtle art. You will find a master at his peak in *Lost in the Andes*, and your inner-child will thank you." —**Eric Schultheis, Books Inc., Berkeley, CA**

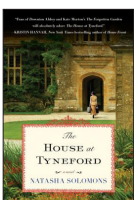
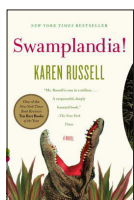
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Paperback

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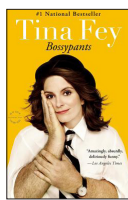
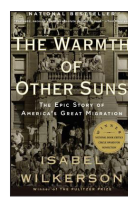
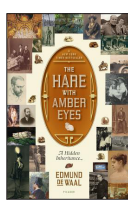
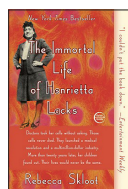


FICTION



1. **The Tiger's Wife**
Téa Obreht, Random House, \$16
2. **The Help**
Kathryn Stockett, Berkley, \$16
3. **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo**
Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$15.95
4. **Swamplandia!**
Karen Russell, Vintage, \$14.95
5. **A Visit From the Goon Squad**
Jennifer Egan, Anchor, \$14.95
6. **Cutting for Stone**
Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95
7. **Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close**
Jonathan Safran Foer, Mariner, \$14.95
8. **The Girl Who Played With Fire**
Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$15.95
9. **Freedom**
Jonathan Franzen, Picador, \$16
10. **Sarah's Key**
Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's Griffin, \$13.99
11. **Room**
Emma Donoghue, Back Bay, \$14.99
12. **The Art of Racing in the Rain**
Garth Stein, Harper, \$14.99
- ★ 13. **A Discovery of Witches**
Deborah Harkness, Penguin, \$16
- ★ 14. **Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy**
John le Carré, Penguin, \$16
15. **Major Pettigrew's Last Stand**
Helen Simonson, Random House, \$15
- ↑ 17. **The House at Tyneford**
Natasha Solomons, Plume, \$15

NONFICTION



1. **The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks**
Rebecca Skloot, Broadway Books, \$16
2. **Cleopatra**
Stacy Schiff, Back Bay, \$16.99
3. **Heaven Is for Real**
Todd Burpo, Thomas Nelson, \$16.99
4. **Unlikely Friendships**
Jennifer S. Holland, Workman, \$13.95
5. **At Home**
Bill Bryson, Anchor, \$15.95
6. **Empire of the Summer Moon**
S.C. Gwynne, Scribner, \$16
7. **The Happiness Project**
Gretchen Rubin, Harper, \$14.99
8. **The Hare With Amber Eyes**
Edmund de Waal, Picador, \$16
9. **Born to Run**
Christopher McDougall, Vintage, \$15.95
10. **The Old Farmer's Almanac 2012**
Old Farmer's Almanac, \$6.95
11. **The World Almanac and Book of Facts 2012**
Sarah Janssen (Ed.), World Almanac, \$12.99
12. **Just Kids**
Patti Smith, Ecco Press, \$16
13. **Outliers**
Malcolm Gladwell, Back Bay, \$16.99
14. **The Warmth of Other Suns**
Isabel Wilkerson, Vintage, \$16.95
15. **The Emperor of All Maladies**
Siddhartha Mukherjee, Scribner, \$18
- ↑ 17. **Bossypants**
Tina Fey, Reagan Arthur Books, \$15.99

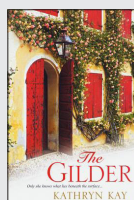
MASS MARKET

1. **A Game of Thrones** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
2. **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99
3. **The Girl Who Played With Fire** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$9.99
4. **A Clash of Kings** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
5. **A Storm of Swords** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
6. **A Feast for Crows** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
7. **The Official Scrabble Players Dictionary, 4th Edition**
Merriam-Webster, \$7.50
8. **Smokin' Seventeen** Janet Evanovich, Bantam, \$8.99
- ★ 9. **Minding Frankie** Maeve Binchy, Anchor, \$7.99
10. **Ender's Game** Orson Scott Card, Tor, \$6.99

Another Indie Favorite

The Gilder, by Kathryn Kay (Kensington, \$15)

"This is the story of a woman whose talents include the restoration and gilding of older works of art. Gilding becomes a metaphor for her inability to face the truths of her past, and she must remind herself that the process is not successful without repairing the foundation upon which the gold leaf is layered. In a tale filled with betrayal and repentance, missed opportunities and new beginnings, the layers of gold are transformed from denial of the past to real love in the present." —**Fran Wilson, Colorado State University Bookstore, Fort Collins, CO**



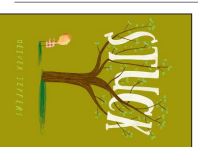
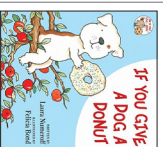
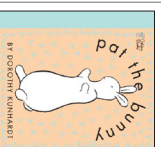
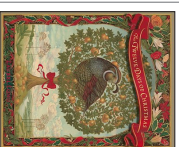
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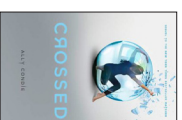
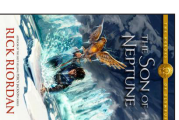
CHILDREN'S INTEREST



1. **War Horse**
Michael Morpurgo, Scholastic, \$8.99
2. **Wonderstruck**
Brian Selznick, Scholastic, \$29.99
3. **Everything on It**
Shel Silverstein, Harper, \$19.99
4. **Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children**
Ransom Riggs, Quirk Books, \$17.99
5. **LEGO Star Wars Character Encyclopedia**
Hannah Dolan, DK Publishing, \$18.99
6. **The Book Thief**
Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$12.99
7. **The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book**
Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$12.95
8. **The Invention of Hugo Cabret**
Brian Selznick, Scholastic, \$24.99
9. **The Future of Us**
Jay Asher, Carolyn Mackler, Razorbill, \$18.99
10. **The Chronicles of Harris Burdick**
Chris Van Allsburg, et al., Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, \$24.99
11. **Wildwood**
Colin Meloy, Carson Ellis (illus.), Balzer & Bray/Harper, \$17.99
12. **Thirteen Reasons Why**
Jay Asher, Razorbill, \$10.99
13. **The Outcasts**
John Flanagan, Philomel, \$18.99
14. **Darth Paper Strikes Back**
Tom Angleberger, Amulet, \$12.95
15. **Legend**
Marie Lu, Putnam, \$17.99



1. **I Want My Hat Back**
Jon Klassen, Candlewick, \$15.99
2. **Goodnight Moon**
Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (illus.), Harper, \$8.99
3. **The Polar Express**
Chris Van Allsburg, Houghton Mifflin, \$18.95
4. **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**
Eric Carle, Putnam, \$10.99
5. **The Twelve Days of Christmas**
Laurel Long, Dial, \$16.99
6. **Where the Wild Things Are**
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95
7. **Home for Christmas**
Jan Brett, Putnam, \$17.99
8. **Pat the Bunny**
Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden, \$9.99
9. **The Wizard of Oz: A Scanimation Book**
Rufus Butler Seder (illus.), Workman, \$14.95
10. **Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site**
Sherril Duskey Rinker, Tom Lichtenheld (illus.), Chronicle, \$16.99
11. **If You Give a Dog a Donut**
Laura Joffe Numeroff, Felicia Bond (illus.), Balzer & Bray/Harper, \$16.99
12. **Stuck**
Oliver Jeffers, Philomel, \$16.99
13. **The Artist Who Painted a Blue Horse**
Eric Carle, Philomel, \$17.99
14. **How the Grinch Stole Christmas**
Dr. Seuss, Random House, \$15
15. **Bad Kitty Christmas**
Nick Bruel, Roaring Brook, \$15.99



1. **The Hunger Games**
Suzanne Collins, Scholastic
2. **Diary of a Wimpy Kid**
Jeff Kinney, Amulet (hardcover)
3. **Magic Tree House**
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House
4. **Inheritance Cycle**
Christopher Paolini, Knopf
5. **The Heroes of Olympus**
Rick Riordan, Hyperion
6. **Percy Jackson and the Olympians**
Rick Riordan, Miramax
7. **Harry Potter**
J.K. Rowling, Scholastic/Arthur A. Levine Books
8. **The Secret Series**
Pseudonymous Bosch, Little Brown
9. **Matched Trilogy**
Ally Condie, Dutton (hardcover)
10. **Ivy & Bean**
Annie Barrows, Sophie Blackall (illus.), Chronicle

All Fiction Series titles are hardcover and paperback unless noted.

Another Indie Favorite for Teen Readers

Bluefish, by Pat Schmatz (Candlewick, \$15.99) "I loved this story about unlikely friends, each lonely and trapped by labels—trailer trash, brainy dork, and bluefish. I cared deeply about these characters, who are struggling not to be defined by their past expectations, and I cheered for their unconventional teacher who provoked them into seeing their future possibilities. A great book for fans of Katherine Hannigan and Gary Schmidt." —Ellen Davis, Dragonwings Bookstore, Waupaca, WI

