

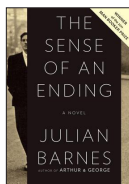
Indie Bestsellers



Hardcover

Week of 01.12.12

FICTION



- 1. Death Comes to Pemberley**
P.D. James, Knopf, \$25.95
- 2. The Sense of an Ending**
Julian Barnes, Knopf, \$23.95
- 3. The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest**
Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$27.95



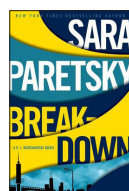
- 4. State of Wonder**
Ann Patchett, Harper, \$26.99
- 5. 1Q84**
Haruki Murakami, Knopf, \$30.50



- 6. The Marriage Plot**
Jeffrey Eugenides, FSG, \$28
- 7. 11/22/63**
Stephen King, Scribner, \$35
- 8. The Paris Wife**
Paula McLain, Ballantine, \$25
- 9. The Night Circus**
Erin Morgenstern, Doubleday, \$26.95

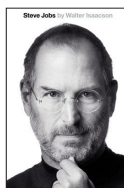


- 10. Salvage the Bones**
Jesmyn Ward, Bloomsbury, \$24
- 11. The Litigators**
John Grisham, Doubleday, \$28.95



- 12. A Dance With Dragons**
George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$35
- 13. The Cat's Table**
Michael Ondaatje, Knopf, \$26
- 14. The Leopard**
Jo Nesbø, Knopf, \$26.95
- 15. The Drop**
Michael Connelly, Little Brown, \$27.99
- 19. Breakdown**
Sara Paretsky, Putnam, \$26.95

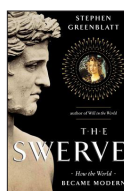
NONFICTION



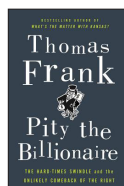
- 1. Steve Jobs**
Walter Isaacson, S&S, \$35
- 2. Thinking, Fast and Slow**
Daniel Kahneman, FSG, \$30
- 3. Unbroken**
Laura Hillenbrand, Random House, \$27
- 4. Catherine the Great**
Robert K. Massie, Random House, \$35



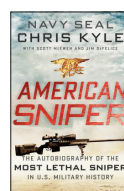
- 5. In the Garden of Beasts**
Erik Larson, Crown, \$26
- 6. Goodnight iPad**
Ann Droyd, Blue Rider, \$14.95



- 7. Go the F**k to Sleep**
Adam Mansbach, Ricardo Cortes (Illus.), Akashic, \$14.95
- 8. Killing Lincoln**
Bill O'Reilly, Martin Dugard, Holt, \$28
- 9. Boomerang**
Michael Lewis, Norton, \$25.95



- 10. The Swerve**
Stephen J. Greenblatt, Norton, \$26.95
- 11. Is Everyone Hanging Out Without Me? (And Other Concerns)**
Mindy Kaling, Crown Archetype, \$25



- 12. Blue Nights**
Joan Didion, Knopf, \$25
- 13. Pity The Billionaire: The Hard-Times Swindle and the Unlikely Comeback of the Right**
Thomas Frank, Metropolitan, \$25
- 14. Jack Kennedy**
Chris Matthews, S&S, \$27.50
- 15. A History of the World in 100 Objects**
Neil MacGregor, Viking, \$45
- 21. American Sniper**
Chris Kyle, et al., Morrow, \$26.99

Other Indie Favorites



From The Memoirs of a Non-Enemy Combatant: A Novel, by Alex Gilvarry (Viking Adult, \$26.95) "This is a bold book. It is bold in its style, its thesis, and its story. While Gilvarry's narrative and characters are big and playful, the underlying dilemmas are deadly serious: What happens to those falsely accused or mistakenly detained when the remedies of the American criminal justice system are unavailable to them? How does one prove one's innocence when the system is set up to prove one's guilt? Gilvarry skillfully navigates the space between black comedy and farce without delivering a polemic and instead gives us a novel that is delightful without being light." —Catherine Weller, Weller Book Works, Salt Lake City, UT



The Journal of Best Practices: A Memoir of Marriage, Asperger Syndrome, and One Man's Quest to Be a Better Husband, by David Finch (Scribner, \$25) "After five years of a struggling marriage, Finch's wife, Kris, made a breakthrough guess—her husband had Asperger syndrome. *The Journal of Best Practices* is David Finch's well-documented attempt to go beyond his previous efforts at fitting in and to actually learn to do things like listen, empathize, and 'go with the flow.' Finch still doesn't like flying in a plane or unsolicited wetness, but the results of his determination are not just meaningful to his family, but also an enlightening, endearing, and amusing chronicle for the rest of us." —Daniel Goldin, Boswell Book Company, Milwaukee, WI

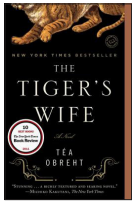


Indie Bestsellers

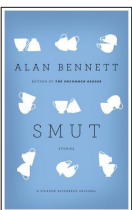
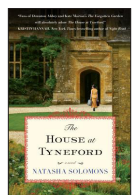
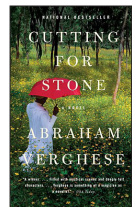
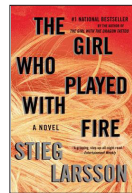
Paperback

Week of 01.12.12

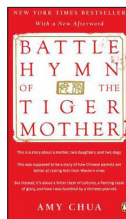
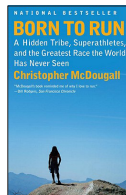
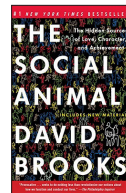
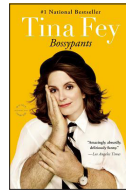
FICTION



- The Tiger's Wife**
Tèa Obreht, Random House, \$15
- The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo**
Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$15.95
- The Help**
Kathryn Stockett, Berkley, \$16
- Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close**
Jonathan Safran Foer, Mariner, \$14.95
- Swamplandia!**
Karen Russell, Vintage, \$14.95
- A Visit From the Goon Squad**
Jennifer Egan, Anchor, \$14.95
- The Girl Who Played With Fire**
Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$15.95
- Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy**
John le Carré, Penguin, \$16
- Cutting for Stone**
Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95
- A Discovery of Witches**
Deborah Harkness, Penguin, \$16
- Sarah's Key**
Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's Griffin, \$13.99
- Room**
Emma Donoghue, Back Bay, \$14.99
- Major Pettigrew's Last Stand**
Helen Simonson, Random House, \$15
- The House at Tyneford**
Natasha Solomons, Plume, \$15
- Freedom**
Jonathan Franzen, Picador, \$16
- Smut: Stories**
Alan Bennett, Picador, \$14



NONFICTION



- Bossypants**
Tina Fey, Reagan Arthur Books, \$15.99
- Unlikely Friendships**
Jennifer S. Holland, Workman, \$13.95
- The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks**
Rebecca Skloot, Broadway Books, \$16
- Heaven Is for Real**
Todd Burpo, Thomas Nelson, \$16.99
- Cleopatra**
Stacy Schiff, Back Bay, \$16.99
- The World Almanac and Book of Facts 2012**
Sarah Janssen (Ed.), World Almanac, \$12.99
- The Social Animal: The Hidden Sources of Love, Character, and Achievement**
David Brooks, Random House, \$16
- Born to Run**
Christopher McDougall, Vintage, \$15.95
- The Hare With Amber Eyes**
Edmund de Waal, Picador, \$16
- The Happiness Project**
Gretchen Rubin, Harper, \$14.99
- Empire of the Summer Moon**
S.C. Gwynne, Scribner, \$16
- At Home**
Bill Bryson, Anchor, \$15.95
- Just Kids**
Patti Smith, Ecco Press, \$16
- The Old Farmer's Almanac 2012**
Old Farmer's Almanac, \$6.95
- Outliers**
Malcolm Gladwell, Back Bay, \$16.99
- Battle Hymn of the Tiger Mother**
Amy Chua, Penguin, \$16

MASS MARKET

- A Game of Thrones** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99
- A Clash of Kings** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- The Girl Who Played With Fire** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$9.99
- A Storm of Swords** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- A Feast for Crows** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
- The Official Scrabble Players Dictionary, 4th Edition**
Merriam-Webster, \$7.50
- To Kill a Mockingbird** Harper Lee, Warner, \$7.99
- Minding Frankie** Maeve Binchy, Anchor, \$7.99
- The Jefferson Key** Steve Berry, Ballantine, \$9.99



Another Indie Favorite

Blueprints of the Afterlife: A Novel, by Ryan Boudinot (Black Cat, \$14) "It's not just that there's Seattle lurking, both familiar and eerily altered, in Boudinot's joltingly intense new novel set in a not-so-distant future; it's also that the people who inhabit *Blueprints of the Afterlife* take as given this strange new world. They give it battle, still going at life in full-tilted measure as much as anyone ever could—even if it means sometimes facing the clone of someone who is known or loved. This is a brave, daring, entrancing book, one that elicits empathy for the characters in it, even as it makes you look at the real world around you with different, startled eyes." —Rick Simonson, The Elliott Bay Book Company, Seattle, WA

Indie Bestsellers Children's Books

CHILDREN'S INTEREST

ILLUSTRATED

FICTION SERIES



- War Horse**
Michael Morpurgo, Scholastic, \$8.99
- Wonderstruck**
Brian Selznick, Scholastic, \$29.99
- Every Thing on It**
Shel Silverstein, Harper, \$19.99
- The Book Thief** Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$12.99
- The Invention of Hugo Cabret**
Brian Selznick, Scholastic, \$24.99
- Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children** Ransom Riggs, Quirk Books, \$17.99
- The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book**
Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$12.95
- LEGO Star Wars Character Encyclopedia**
Hannah Dolan, DK Publishing, \$18.99
- Why We Broke Up**
Daniel Handler, Maira Kalman (illus.), Little Brown, \$19.99
- Wildwood**
Colin Meloy, Carson Ellis (illus.), Balzer & Bray/Harper, \$17.99
- The Chronicles of Harris Burdick**
Chris Van Allsburg, et al., Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, \$24.99
- The Phantom Tollbooth**
Norton Juster, Jules Feiffer (illus.), Yearling, \$6.99
- The Future of Us**
Jay Asher, Carolyn Mackler, Razorbill, \$18.99
- Thirteen Reasons Why**
Jay Asher, Razorbill, \$10.99
- The Apothecary**
Maile Meloy, Ian Schoenherr (illus.), Putnam, \$16.99



- Goodnight Moon** Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (illus.), Harper, \$8.99
- I Want My Hat Back**
Jon Klassen, Candlewick, \$15.99
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar**
Eric Carle, Putnam, \$10.99
- Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site** Sherri Duskey Rinker, Tom Lichtenheld (illus.), Chronicle, \$16.99
- Good Night, Gorilla**
Peggy Rathmann, Putnam, \$7.99
- Stuck** Oliver Jeffers, Philomel, \$16.99
- On the Night You Were Born**
Nancy Tillman, Feiwel & Friends, \$7.99
- Pat the Bunny**
Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden, \$9.99
- Where the Wild Things Are**
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95
- If You Give a Dog a Donut**
Laura Joffe Numeroff, Felicia Bond (illus.), Balzer & Bray/Harper, \$16.99
- The Wizard of Oz: A Scanimation Book**
Rufus Butler Seder (illus.), Workman, \$14.95
- Hug Time**
Patrick McDonnell, LB Kids, \$6.99
- The Runaway Bunny**
Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (illus.), Harper, \$8.99
- Pinkalicious: Pink of Hearts**
Victoria Kann, Victoria Kann (illus.), HarperFestival, \$6.99
- Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?**
Bill Martin, Eric Carle (illus.), Holt, \$7.95



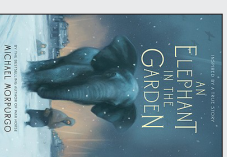
- The Hungry Games**
Suzanne Collins, Scholastic
- Magic Tree House**
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House
New in Series: Abe Lincoln at Last!
- Diary of a Wimpy Kid**
Jeff Kinney, Amulet (hardcover)
- Inheritance Cycle**
Christopher Paolini, Knopf
- Pretty Little Liars**
Sara Shepard, Harper
- Percy Jackson and the Olympians**
Rick Riordan, Miramax
- Ivy & Bean**
Annie Barrows, Sophie Blackall (illus.), Chronicle
- Harry Potter**
J.K. Rowling, Scholastic/Arthur A. Levine Books
- The Secret Series**
Pseudonymous Bosch, Little Brown
- The Heroes of Olympus**
Rick Riordan, Hyperion

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

Another Indie Favorite for Ages 9 to 12

An Elephant in the Garden, by Michael Morpurgo (Feiwel & Friends, \$16.99)

"Confined to her nursing home bed, 82-year-old Lizzie tells an outrageous but true story to Karl and his mother. During World War II, 16-year-old Lizzie and her family make their garden home to a four-year-old orphaned elephant from the zoo. Dresden, Germany, is sure to be bombed and the zoo will be forced to kill the larger animals that may pose a threat to the city. Marlene, the adored elephant, breaks loose, beginning a chase that leads them away from Dresden and saves them from warfare. Lizzie's story is laced with details that bring history to life."



—Jane Morck, **Third Place Books, Lake Forest Park, WA**