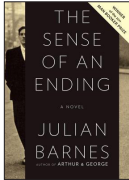


# Indie Bestsellers

# Hardcover

## Week of 02.23.12

### 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 Art of Fielding**  
Chad Harbach, Little Brown, \$25.99



- 4. Kill Shot**  
Vince Flynn, Atria, \$27.99

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

- ★ **6. What We Talk About When We Talk About Anne Frank: Stories**  
Nathan Englander, Knopf, \$24.95

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

- ★ **8. The Wolf Gift**  
Anne Rice, Knopf, \$25.95

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

- 10. 11/22/63**  
Stephen King, Scribner, \$35

- 11. Raylan**  
Elmore Leonard, Morrow, \$26.99

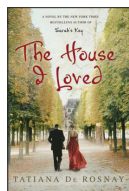
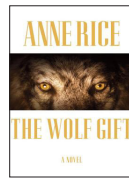
- 12. The Orphan Master's Son**  
Adam Johnson, Random House, \$26

- 13. Believing the Lie**  
Elizabeth George, Dutton, \$28.95

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

- ★ **15. Defending Jacob**  
William Landay, Delacorte, \$26

- ↑ **18. The House I Loved**  
Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's, \$25.99



### NONFICTION

- 1. Behind the Beautiful Forevers**  
Katherine Boo, Random House, \$27

- 2. Quiet**  
Susan Cain, Crown, \$26

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

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

- 5. All There Is**  
Dave Isay, Penguin Press, \$24.95

- 6. Bringing Up Bébé**  
Pamela Druckerman, Penguin Press, \$25.95

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

- 8. The End of Illness**  
David B. Agus, M.D., Free Press

- 9. American Sniper**  
Chris Kyle, et al., Morrow, \$26.99

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

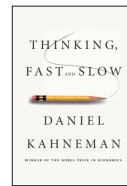
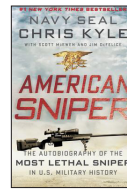
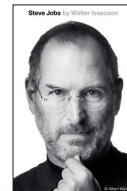
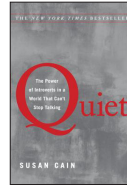
- 11. The Science of Yoga**  
William J. Broad, S&S, \$26

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

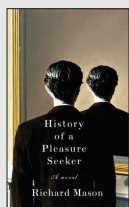
- 13. Once Upon a Secret**  
Mimi Alford, Random House, \$25

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

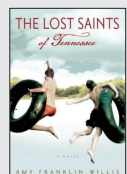
- 15. Go the F\*\*k to Sleep**  
Adam Mansbach, Ricardo Cortes (Illus.), Akashic, \$14.95



### Other Indie Favorites



**History of a Pleasure Seeker: A Novel, by Richard Mason (Knopf, \$25.95)** "Set in Amsterdam during the Belle Epoque, *History of a Pleasure Seeker* follows Piet Bartol, the poor but cultured young tutor to a wealthy Dutch family. Piet is determined to drink life to the fullest, and this ambition alters not only his own life, but also the lives of those around him. Skillfully and evocatively rendered, this novel feels like its own guilty pleasure, redolent of lazy afternoons and late night liaisons." —**Stesha Brandon, University Book Store, Seattle, WA**



**The Lost Saints of Tennessee: A Novel, by Amy Franklin-Willis (Atlantic Monthly Press, \$25)** "Ezekiel Cooper, a 42-year-old divorcé living in Tennessee and still grieving the death of his twin brother 10 years earlier, has decided to end his life and the life of Tucker, his brother's dog. Luckily for the reader, he is unsuccessful, and we share his voyage from the 1940s to the 1980s as a son, brother, husband, and father. Ezekiel and his mother relate their tales of mistakes made, the need for forgiveness, and the real meaning of family in a story full of love and grace. You will not want to put this book down." —**Karen Briggs, Great Northern Books and Hobbies, Oscoda, MI**



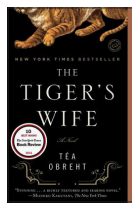
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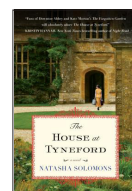
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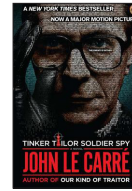
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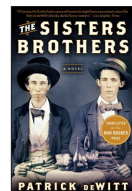
1. **The Tiger's Wife**  
Téa Obreht, Random House, \$15



2. **The Weird Sisters**  
Eleanor Brown, Berkley, \$15



3. **The Help**  
Kathryn Stockett, Berkley, \$16



4. **Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close**  
Jonathan Safran Foer, Mariner, \$14.95

5. **The House at Tyneford**  
Natasha Solomons, Plume, \$15

6. **A Visit From the Goon Squad**  
Jennifer Egan, Anchor, \$14.95

7. **Swamplandia!**  
Karen Russell, Vintage, \$14.95

8. **Cutting for Stone**  
Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95

9. **Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy**  
John le Carré, Penguin, \$16

10. **A Discovery of Witches**  
Deborah Harkness, Penguin, \$16

11. **The Art of Racing in the Rain**  
Garth Stein, Harper, \$14.99

12. **Dreams of Joy**  
Lisa See, Random House, \$15

★ 13. **The Sisters Brothers**  
Patrick DeWitt, Ecco Press, \$14.99

14. **Sarah's Key**  
Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's Griffin, \$13.99

15. **Major Pettigrew's Last Stand**  
Helen Simonson, Random House, \$15



1. **Bossypants**  
Tina Fey, Reagan Arthur Books, \$15.99

2. **Unlikely Friendships**  
Jennifer S. Holland, Workman, \$13.95

3. **The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks**  
Rebecca Skloot, Broadway Books, \$16

4. **Lady Almina and the Real Downton Abbey**  
The Countess of Carnarvon, et al., Broadway, \$15.99

5. **Blood, Bones & Butter**  
Gabrielle Hamilton, Random House, \$16

6. **Heaven Is for Real**  
Todd Burpo, Thomas Nelson, \$16.99

7. **The Happiness Project**  
Gretchen Rubin, Harper, \$14.99

8. **The Social Animal**  
David Brooks, Random House, \$16

9. **The Hare With Amber Eyes**  
Edmund de Waal, Picador, \$16

10. **Empire of the Summer Moon**  
S.C. Gwynne, Scribner, \$16

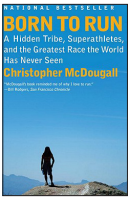
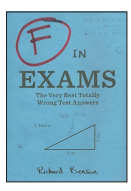
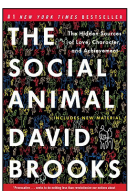
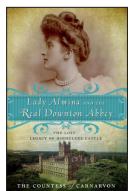
11. **Just Kids**  
Patti Smith, Ecco Press, \$16

12. **Cleopatra**  
Stacy Schiff, Back Bay, \$16.99

13. **F in Exams**  
Richard Benson, Chronicle, \$9.95

14. **The Warmth of Other Suns**  
Isabel Wilkerson, Vintage, \$16.95

15. **Born to Run**  
Christopher McDougall, Vintage, \$15.95

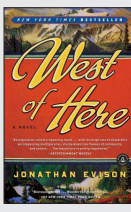


### MASS MARKET

1. **A Game of Thrones** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
2. **A Storm of Swords** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
3. **A Clash of Kings** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
4. **A Feast for Crows** George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$8.99
5. **The Official Scrabble Players Dictionary, 4th Edition** Merriam-Webster, \$7.50
6. **To Kill a Mockingbird** Harper Lee, Warner, \$7.99
7. **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99
8. **The Girl Who Played With Fire** Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$9.99
9. **Ender's Game** Orson Scott Card, Tor, \$6.99
10. **1984** George Orwell, Signet, \$9.99

### Another Indie Favorite

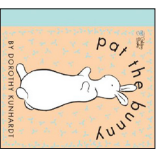
**West of Here: A Novel, by Jonathan Evison** (Algonquin Books, \$15.95) "I loved this big, gorgeous novel in which characters and story lines flow, merge, and diverge like the streams and channels of a river. The story spans more than 100 years in the fictional town of Port Bonita, Washington, and its surrounding wilderness. Evison pulls together such grand themes as our relationship to the land, what we make of our past, and what we owe the future. His writing style is unpretentious and delightful, a combination of big ideas and down-to-earth, friendly delivery that's perfectly suited to this quintessentially American novel." —Christie Olson Day, Gallery Bookshop and Bookwinkle's Children's Books, Mendocino, CA



# Indie Bestsellers Children's Books

## CHILDREN'S INTEREST

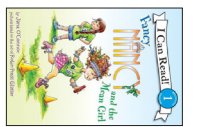
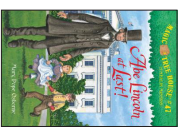
- The Fault in Our Stars**  
John Green, Dutton, \$17.99
- The Invention of Hugo Cabret**  
Brian Selznick, Scholastic, \$24.99
- Dead End in Norvelt**  
Jack Gantos, FS&G, \$15.99
- War Horse**  
Michael Morpurgo, Scholastic, \$8.99
- Wonderstruck**  
Brian Selznick, Scholastic, \$29.99
- The Book Thief**  
Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$12.99
- Listen to My Trumpet!**  
Mo Willems, Hyperion, \$8.99
- The Wimpy Kid Do-It-Yourself Book**  
Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$12.95
- Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children**  
Ransom Riggs, Quirk Books, \$17.99
- The Hunger Games Tribute Guide**  
Emily Seife, Scholastic, \$7.99
- Every Thing on It**  
Shel Silverstein, Harper, \$19.99
- The Phantom Tollbooth**  
Norton Juster, Jules Feiffer (illus.), Yearling, \$6.99
- Thirteen Reasons Why**  
Jay Asher, Razorbill, \$10.99
- Wildwood**  
Colin Meloy, Carson Ellis (illus.), Balzer & Bray/Harper, \$17.99
- LEGO Star Wars Character Encyclopedia**  
Hannah Dolan, DK Publishing, \$18.99



- Fancy Nancy and the Mermaid Ballet**  
Jane O'Connor, Robin Preiss Glasser (illus.), Harper, \$17.99
- Goodnight Moon** Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (illus.), Harper, \$8.99
- I Want My Hat Back**  
Jon Klassen, Candlewick, \$15.99
- Hug Time**  
Patrick McDonnell, LB Kids, \$6.99
- The Lorax**  
Dr. Seuss, Random House, \$14.95
- Pat the Bunny**  
Dorothy Kunhardt, Golden, \$9.99
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar**  
Eric Carle, Putnam, \$10.99
- Where the Wild Things Are**  
Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95
- Llama Llama Night-Night**  
Anna Dewdney, Viking, \$5.99
- Plant a Kiss**  
Amy Krouse Rosenthal, Peter H. Reynolds (illus.), Harper, \$14.99
- Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site**  
Sherril Duskey Rinker, Tom Lichtenheld (illus.), Chronicle, \$16.99
- Press Here** Herve Tuller, Chronicle, \$15.99
- On the Night You Were Born**  
Nancy Tillman, Feiwel & Friends, \$7.99
- Extra Yarn**  
Mac Barnett, Jon Klassen (illus.), Balzer & Bray, \$16.99
- Bad Kitty for President**  
Nick Bruel, Roaring Brook, \$13.99

## ILLUSTRATED

## FICTION SERIES



- The Hunger Games**  
Suzanne Collins, Scholastic
- Magic Tree House**  
Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (illus.), Random House
- Diary of a Wimpy Kid**  
Jeff Kinney, Amulet (hardcover)
- Ivy & Bean**  
Annie Barrows, Sophie Blackall (illus.), Chronicle
- Inheritance Cycle**  
Christopher Paolini, Knopf
- The Adventures of Tintin**  
Hergé, Little Brown
- Harry Potter**  
J.K. Rowling, Scholastic/Arthur A. Levine Books
- Fancy Nancy I Can Read Series**  
Jane O'Connor, Robin Preiss Glasser (illus.), Harper
- The Secret Series**  
Pseudonymous Bosch, Little Brown
- The Ranger's Apprentice**  
John Flanagan, Puffin

All Fiction Series titles are hardcover and paperback unless noted.

## Another Indie Favorite for Ages 9 to 12

**In Search of Sasquatch**, by Kelly Milner Halls (Houghton Mifflin, \$16.99) "The award-winning Halls adds to her repertoire of fascinating topics with this latest entry showcasing the legendary Sasquatch. This treasure trove is packed with the most up-to-date information and includes spine-tingling eyewitness accounts and revealing interviews with experts. Readers will be mesmerized but may choose to peruse this enlightening work about the mysterious ape-like creature only during the light of day!" —Tish Gayle, *The Blue Marble*, Fort Thomas, KY

