

# Indie Bestsellers

## Hardcover

### Week of 09.13.12



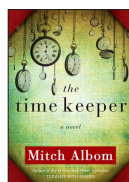
#### FICTION



1. **Gone Girl**  
Gillian Flynn, Crown, \$25
- ★ 2. **NW: A Novel**  
Zadie Smith, Penguin Press, \$26.95
3. **The Beautiful Mystery**  
Louise Penny, Minotaur, \$25.99



- ★ 4. **The Time Keeper**  
Mitch Albom, Hyperion, \$24.99
5. **A Dance With Dragons**  
George R.R. Martin, Bantam, \$35
6. **Where'd You Go, Bernadette**  
Maria Semple, Little Brown, \$25.99



7. **Beautiful Ruins**  
Jess Walter, Harper, \$25.99
8. **The Light Between Oceans**  
M.L. Stedman, Scribner, \$25
9. **Broken Harbor**  
Tana French, Viking, \$27.95

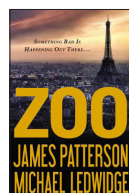


10. **A Hologram for the King**  
Dave Eggers, McSweeney's, \$25

- ★ 11. **Garment of Shadows**  
Laurie R. King, Bantam, \$26

12. **The Dog Stars**  
Peter Heller, Knopf, \$24.95

13. **The Orchardist**  
Amanda Coplin, Harper, \$26.99

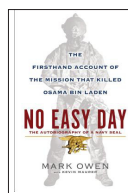


- ★ 14. **Zoo**  
James Patterson, Michael Ledwidge, Little Brown, \$27.99

15. **The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry**  
Rachel Joyce, Random House, \$25

- ↑ 20. **The Yellow Birds**  
Kevin Powers, Little Brown, \$24.99

#### NONFICTION



- ★ 1. **No Easy Day: The Firsthand Account of the Mission That Killed Osama Bin Laden**  
Mark Owen, Dutton, \$26.95

2. **Wild**  
Cheryl Strayed, Knopf, \$25.95

3. **Mortality**  
Christopher Hitchens, Twelve, \$22.99

4. **I Could Pee on This**  
Francesco Marciuliano, Chronicle, \$12.95

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

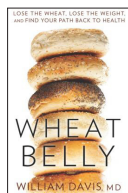
6. **Dearie**  
Bob Spitz, Knopf, \$29.95

7. **Darth Vader and Son**  
Jeffrey Brown, Chronicle, \$14.95

8. **Every Love Story Is a Ghost Story**  
D.T. Max, Viking, \$27.95

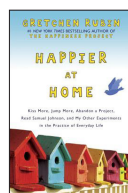
9. **Double Cross**  
Ben Macintyre, Crown, \$26

10. **Paris: A Love Story**  
Kati Marton, S&S, \$24

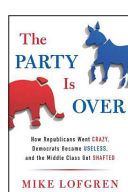


- ★ 11. **Wheat Belly: Lose the Wheat, Lose the Weight, and Find Your Path Back to Health**  
William Davis, Rodale, \$25.99

12. **The Amateur**  
Edward Klein, Regnery, \$27.95

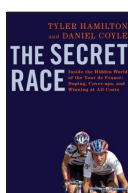


- ★ 13. **Happier at Home: Kiss More, Jump More, Abandon a Project, Read Samuel Johnson, and My Other Experiments in the Practice of Everyday Life**  
Gretchen Rubin, Crown Archetype, \$26



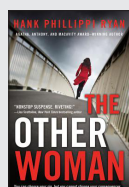
- ★ 14. **The Party Is Over: How Republicans Went Crazy, Democrats Became Useless, and the Middle Class Got Shafted**  
Mike Lofgren, Viking, \$25.95

15. **How Music Works**  
David Byrne, McSweeney's, \$32

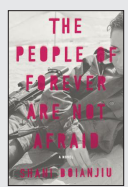


- ↑ 21. **The Secret Race**  
Tyler Hamilton, Daniel Coyle, Bantam, \$28

#### Other Indie Favorites



**The Other Woman**, by Hank Phillippi Ryan (Forge, \$24.99) "Political scandals, power plays, and deception—the twists and turns in this first of a new series will leave you gasping and wanting more. Jane Ryland, a rising young reporter, is scarred from the fallout of protecting a source, but she still delves into the biggest story gripping Boston: Who is killing young women and leaving them under bridges, and why? And just who is the 'other woman?' Agatha, Anthony, and Macavity award-winner Ryan's writing is compelling, and her insight into the characters creates a gripping page-turner that will leave you eager for the next chapter in the life of Jane Ryland." —Joan Lang, Front Street Book Shop, Scituate Harbor, MA



**The People of Forever Are Not Afraid: A Novel**, by Shani Boianjiu (Hogarth, \$2) "An utterly explosive debut, this novel in stories follows three young women who serve in the Israeli army, and it is not for the faint of heart. Boianjiu is not interested in preaching politics or rehashing battle scenes as a lesser writer might; she sticks to her characters, tracing their often uncertain progress toward adulthood. There are no pat endings here. The army, compulsory to Israeli citizens, is not, after all, some summer camp. No matter how you feel about the conflicts that Boianjiu describes, you will be riveted by her fresh perspective on them." —Danielle DuBois Diamond, Brazos Bookstore, Houston, TX