

The New York Times Best Seller List

| This Week | May 12, 1991 Fiction | Last Week | Weeks On List |
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| 1 | LOVES MUSIC, LOVES TO DANCE, by Mary Higgins Clark. (Simon & Schuster, \$21.95.) Two Manhattan women, doing research into personal ads, get caught in the snare of a serial killer. | -- | 1 |
| 2 | THE FIRM, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$19.95.) A young lawyer learns that his firm is engaged in secret, possibly illegal activities. | 2 | 9 |
| 3 | THE SEERESS OF KELL, by David Eddings. (Del Rey/Ballantine, \$20.) The fifth volume in the "Malloreon" fantasy saga. | 1 | 5 |
| 4 | HEARTBEAT, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$21.95.) A chance meeting enables a man and a woman to solve their romantic problems. | 3 | 12 |
| 5 | "H" IS FOR HOMICIDE, by Sue Grafton. (Holt, \$17.95.) The private eye Kinsey Millhone on the trail of two perpetrators of an insurance scam. | 15 | 2 |
| 6 | ASPEN GOLD, by Janet Dailey. (Little, Brown, \$19.95.) A woman returns to her native Colorado to face a choice: fame or love. | 4 | 4 |
| 7 | THE NOVEL, by James A. Michener. (Random House, \$23.) Life as lived by writers, critics and book editors. | 5 | 4 |
| 8 | OH, THE PLACES YOU'LL GO! by Dr. Seuss. (Random House, \$12.95.) Verse and pictures. | 9 | 59 |
| 9 | THE DRUID OF SHANNARA, by Terry Brooks. (Del Rey/Ballantine, \$19.95.) A new volume in a series about the fantasy land of Shannara. | 7 | 9 |
| 10 | THE SEVENTH COMMANDMENT, by Lawrence Sanders. (Putnam, \$21.95.) The temptations experienced by an insurance company investigator when she probes the murder of a millionaire. | 8 | 3 |
| 11 | DAMAGE, by Josephine Hart. (Knopf, \$18.) A British gentleman is mesmerized when he meets the woman his son plans to marry. | 6 | 7 |
| 12 | AS THE CROW FLIES, by Jeffrey Archer. (HarperCollins, \$22.95.) Inspired by his grandfather, a London pushcart vendor, a man strives to create the biggest store in the world. | -- | 1 |
| 13 | THE EAGLE HAS FLOWN, by Jack Higgins. (Simon & Schuster, \$21.95.) A German general plots a daring rescue attempt during World War II. | 10 | 9 |
| 14 | BRIGHT CAPTIVITY, by Eugenia Price. (Doubleday, \$20.) The capture of St. Simons Island, Ga., by the British during the War of 1812 brings romance to a plantation owner's daughter. | -- | 1 |
| 15 | EYES OF PREY, by John Sandford. (Putnam, \$19.95.) A serial killer in the Twin Cities. | 11 | 4 |
| 16 | COLD FIRE, by Dean R. Koontz. (Putnam, \$22.95.) A despondent reporter finds hope and romance. | 14 | 16 |

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| This Week | May 12, 1991 Non-Fiction | Last Week | Weeks On List |
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| 1 | NANCY REAGAN, by Kitty Kelley. (Simon & Schuster, \$24.95.) An unauthorized biography of the former First Lady. | 1 | 3 |
| 2 | YOU'LL NEVER EAT LUNCH IN THIS TOWN AGAIN, by Julia Phillips. (Random House, \$22.) Life in Hollywood as experienced by an Academy Award-winning producer. | 2 | 7 |
| 3 | IRON JOHN, by Robert Bly. (Addison-Wesley, \$18.95.) The passage of the male from boyhood into manhood, as practiced in various cultures. | 3 | 25 |
| 4 | MOVING PICTURES, by Ali MacGraw. (Bantam, \$20.) The film star looks back on her career. | 4 | 3 |
| 5 | LIFE IS TOO SHORT, by Mickey Rooney. (Villard, \$22.50.) The autobiography of the movie star. | 5 | 4 |
| 6 | A HISTORY OF THE ARAB PEOPLES, by Albert Hourani. (Belknap/Harvard University, \$24.95.) A comprehensive account by an Oxford scholar. | 6 | 6 |
| 7 | MY FAVORITE SUMMER 1956, by Mickey Mantle and Phil Pepe. (Doubleday, \$18.95.) The recollections of the former New York Yankee. | 8 | 2 |
| 8 | THERE ARE NO CHILDREN HERE, by Alex Kotlowitz. (Talese/Doubleday, \$21.95.) Two brothers growing up on Chicago's mean streets. | 7 | 3 |
| 9 | SLEEPWALKING THROUGH HISTORY, by Haynes Johnson. (Norton, \$24.95.) A social history of America during the Reagan era. | 11 | 6 |
| 10 | IN OUR DEFENSE, by Ellen Alderman and Caroline Kennedy. (Morrow, \$22.95.) How the Bill of Rights affects Americans' lives today. | 10 | 8 |
| 11 | YOU JUST DON'T UNDERSTAND, by Deborah Tannen. (Morrow, \$18.95.) The different languages men and women speak. | 13 | 40 |
| 12 | I HAD A HAMMER, by Henry Aaron with Lonnie Wheeler. (HarperCollins, \$21.95.) From the Negro leagues to the National League's most valuable player: the record-breaking baseball player's life. | 9 | 4 |
| 13 | THE PROMISED LAND, by Nicholas Lemann. (Knopf, \$24.95.) The 20th-century migration of blacks from the rural South to the urban North. | 14 | 5 |
| 14 | RIDERS ON THE STORM, by John Densmore. (Delacorte, \$19.95.) Memories of Jim Morrison and the Doors, from the rock band's drummer. | 15 | 8 |
| 15 | THE SPIRITUAL LIFE OF CHILDREN, by Robert Coles. (Davison/Houghton Mifflin, \$22.95.) Children's perceptions of God and salvation. | -- | 12 |
| 16 | RYAN WHITE: My Own Story, by Ryan White and Ann Marie Cunningham. (Dial, \$16.95.) The experiences of an Indiana youth who was diagnosed as having AIDS at age 13 and died five years later. | 12 | 2 |