

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	April 6, 2008 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	CHANGE OF HEART, by Jodi Picoult. (Atria, \$26.95.) Questions about redemption and faith arise when a prisoner on death row begins performing miracles.	1	3
2	THE APPEAL, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$27.95.) Political and legal intrigue ensue when a Mississippi court decides against a chemical company accused of dumping toxic waste.	2	8
3	REMEMBER ME?, by Sophie Kinsella. (Dial, \$25.) A woman wakes up in a London hospital after an auto accident with no memory of the previous life-changing three years.	3	4
4	DEAD HEAT, by Joel C. Rosenberg. (Tyndale, \$24.99.) With the world on the brink of war, terrorists plot to assassinate a candidate in a closely fought presidential election.	--	1
5	7TH HEAVEN, by James Patterson and Maxine Paetro. (Little, Brown, \$27.99.) In San Francisco, Detective Lindsay Boxer and the Women's Murder Club hunt for an arsonist and a missing teenager.	4	7
6	A PRISONER OF BIRTH, by Jeffrey Archer. (St. Martin's, \$27.95.) A poor Londoner, framed for murder by four Cambridge friends, escapes from prison and exacts revenge.	6	3
7	A THOUSAND SPLENDID SUNS, by Khaled Hosseini. (Riverhead, \$25.95.) A friendship between two women in Afghanistan against the backdrop of 30 years of war.	10	44
8	LUSH LIFE, by Richard Price. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$26.) An aspiring writer becomes a suspect in a friend's murder on the Lower East Side.	7	3
9	KILLER HEAT, by Linda Fairstein. (Doubleday, \$26.) One August, Alexandra Cooper, a Manhattan assistant district attorney, tracks a serial killer.	5	2
10	BLACK WIDOW, by Randy Wayne White. (Putnam, \$24.95.) An extortionist threatens to release a tape of Doc Ford's goddaughter's wild bachelorette party in the 15th Doc Ford novel.	--	1
11	CHRIST THE LORD: THE ROAD TO CANA, by Anne Rice. (Knopf, \$25.95.) In the second book of Rice's life of Christ, Jesus embraces his prophetic destiny.	8	3
12	HONOR THYSELF, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, \$27.) A 50-year-old actress injured in a terrorist attack in Paris must rebuild her life.	11	4
13	WORLD WITHOUT END, by Ken Follett. (Dutton, \$35.) Love and intrigue in Kingsbridge, the medieval English cathedral town at the center of Follett's "Pillars of the Earth."	12	24
14	THE DARK TIDE, by Andrew Gross. (Morrow, \$25.95.) After her husband dies in an explosion, a woman discovers his involvement in shady international business deals.	--	1
15	DUMA KEY, by Stephen King. (Scribner, \$28.) A Minnesota contractor moves to Florida to recover from an injury and begins to create paintings with mysterious power.	14	9

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1	BEAUTIFUL BOY, by David Sheff. (Houghton Mifflin, \$24.) A father struggles with his son's meth addiction.	2	4
2	LOSING IT, by Valerie Bertinelli. (Free Press, \$26.) A memoir by the actress and former wife of Eddie Van Halen focuses on depression and her effort to lose weight.	1	4
3	STORI TELLING, by Tori Spelling with Hilary Liftin. (Simon Spotlight, \$24.95.) The actress's memoir, from her Hollywood childhood through "Beverly Hills, 90210," to her son's birth.	3	2
4	IN DEFENSE OF FOOD, by Michael Pollan. (Penguin Press, \$21.95.) A manifesto urges us to "Eat food. Not too much. Mostly plants."	4	12
5	PREDICTABLY IRRATIONAL, by Dan Ariely. (Harper, \$25.95.) A behavioral economist from M.I.T. shows how emotions and social norms systematically shape our behavior.	6	5
6	LIBERAL FASCISM, by Jonah Goldberg. (Doubleday, \$27.95.) This "alternative history of American liberalism ... reveals its roots in, and commonalities with, classical fascism."	5	11
7	I AM AMERICA (AND SO CAN YOU!), by Stephen Colbert, Richard Dahm, Paul Dinello, Allison Silverman et al. (Grand Central, \$26.99.) The wit and wisdom of the mock pundit of Comedy Central's "Colbert Report."	8	24
8	THE REASON FOR GOD, by Timothy Keller. (Dutton, \$24.95.) A minister addresses common doubts and defends faith in a Christian God.	7	5
9	RETRIBUTION, by Max Hastings. (Knopf, \$35.) The clash of naval and air forces in the final drive to defeat Japan, 1944-45.	--	1
10	REAL CHANGE, by Newt Gingrich with Vince Haley and Rick Tyler. (Regnery, \$27.95.) How to build a better America, from the former speaker of the House.	10	10
11	COMMON WEALTH, by Jeffrey D. Sachs. (Penguin Press, \$27.95.) An economist argues for global cooperation around shared goals of sustainable development.	--	1
12	PHYSICS OF THE IMPOSSIBLE, by Michio Kaku. (Doubleday, \$26.95.) A theoretical physicist who is one of the founders of string theory discusses the possibility of phenomena like force fields, teleportation and time travel.	--	1
13	TELL ME WHERE IT HURTS, by Nick Trout. (Broadway, \$22.95.) A veterinary surgeon describes recent advances in animal medicine and the controversies that come with them.	--	1
14	THE AGE OF AMERICAN UNREASON, by Susan Jacoby. (Pantheon, \$26.) The past 20 years have seen a resurgent American anti-intellectualism.	9	6
15	LONE SURVIVOR, by Marcus Luttrell with Patrick Robinson. (Little, Brown, \$24.99.) The only survivor of a Navy Seals operation in northern Afghanistan describes the battle, his comrades and his courageous escape.	11	38