

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	November 1, 2020 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	A TIME FOR MERCY, by John Grisham. (Doubleday.) The third book in the Jake Brigance series. A 16-year-old is accused of killing a deputy in Clanton, Miss., in 1990.	--	1
2	THE RETURN, by Nicholas Sparks. (Grand Central.) A doctor serving in the Navy in Afghanistan goes back to North Carolina where two women change his life.	1	3
3	THE SEARCHER, by Tana French. (Viking.) After a divorce, a former Chicago police officer resettles in an Irish village where a boy goes missing.	5	2
4	THE EVENING AND THE MORNING, by Ken Follett. (Viking.) In a prequel to "The Pillars of the Earth," a boatbuilder, a Norman noblewoman and a monk live in England under attack by the Welsh and the Vikings.	7	5
5	THE INVISIBLE LIFE OF ADDIE LARUE, by V.E. Schwab. (Tor/Forge.) A Faustian bargain comes with a curse that affects the adventure Addie LaRue has across centuries.	4	2
6	THE BOOK OF TWO WAYS, by Jodi Picoult. (Ballantine.) After surviving a plane crash, a death doula travels to Egypt to reconnect with an old flame who is an archaeologist.	8	4
7	LEAVE THE WORLD BEHIND, by Rumaan Alam. (Ecco.) A family vacation in an isolated part of Long Island is thrown into confusion when the home's owners return claiming New York City is having a blackout.	3	2
8	TROUBLES IN PARADISE, by Elin Hilderbrand. (Little, Brown.) The final installment of the trilogy that includes "Winter in Paradise" and "What Happens in Paradise."	2	2
9	THE VANISHING HALF, by Brit Bennett. (Riverhead.) The lives of twin sisters who run away from a Southern Black community at age 16 diverge as one returns and the other takes on a different racial identity but their fates intertwine.	10	20
10	JINGLE ALL THE WAY, by Debbie Macomber. (Ballantine.) A December cruise in the Amazon fosters a potential change in priorities for a career-focused real-estate executive.	--	1
11	WHERE THE CROWDADS SING, by Delia Owens. (Putnam.) In a quiet town on the North Carolina coast in 1969, a young woman who survived alone in the marsh becomes a murder suspect.	12	111
12	INVISIBLE GIRL, by Lisa Jewell. (Atria.) An ex-schoolteacher accused of sexual misconduct lives near a family led by a child psychologist whose former patient goes missing.	--	1
13	THE COAST-TO-COAST MURDERS, by James Patterson and J.D. Barker. (Little, Brown.) A detective and an F.B.I. agent are baffled by a cross-country killing spree.	11	4
14	ANXIOUS PEOPLE, by Fredrik Backman. (Atria.) A failed bank robber holds a group of strangers hostage at an apartment open house.	9	6
15	THE GUEST LIST, by Lucy Foley. (Morrow.) A wedding between a TV star and a magazine publisher on an island off the coast of Ireland turns deadly.	13	19

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1	CASTE, by Isabel Wilkerson. (Random House.) The Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist examines aspects of caste systems across civilizations and reveals a rigid hierarchy in America today.	5	11
2	IS THIS ANYTHING?, by Jerry Seinfeld. (Simon & Schuster.) The comedian shares material he collected in an accordion folder over the last 45 years.	2	2
3	UNTAMED, by Glennon Doyle. (Dial.) The activist and public speaker describes her journey of listening to her inner voice.	9	32
4	KILLING CRAZY HORSE, by Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard. (Holt.) The ninth book in the conservative commentator's Killing series focuses on conflicts with Native Americans.	7	6
5	BLACKOUT, by Candace Owens. (Threshold Editions.) The conservative commentator makes her case that Black Americans should part ways with the Democratic Party.	6	5
6	RAGE, by Bob Woodward. (Simon & Schuster.) Based on 17 on-the-record interviews with President Trump and other reporting, the Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist details the president's perspective on multiple crises.	4	5
7	HUMANS, by Brandon Stanton. (St. Martin's.) Photos and stories of people from over 40 countries collected by the creator of "Humans of New York."	1	2
8	AMERICAN CRISIS, by Andrew Cuomo. (Crown.) The New York State governor gives his perspective on the Covid-19 crisis and prescribes ways to deal with future disasters.	--	1
9	HOW TO BE AN ANTIRACIST, by Ibram X. Kendi. (One World.) A primer for creating a more just and equitable society through identifying and opposing racism.	15	33
10	TEN LESSONS FOR A POST-PANDEMIC WORLD, by Fareed Zakaria. (Norton.) The CNN host posits what might happen on the other side of the Covid-19 pandemic.	12	2
11	THE MEANING OF MARIAH CAREY, by Mariah Carey with Michaela Angela Davis. (Andy Cohen/Holt.) The career highlights, public life and private struggles of the singer and songwriter.	8	3
12	TRUMPTY DUMPTY WANTED A CROWN, by John Lithgow. (Chronicle Prism.) A second illustrated collection of poems chronicling and satirizing current events.	--	2
13	THE 99% INVISIBLE CITY, by Roman Mars and Kurt Kohlstedt. (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.) A look at the design and architecture of various and sometimes unexpected elements that make cities function.	3	2
14	ONE VOTE AWAY, by Ted Cruz. (Regnery.) The Republican senator from Texas gives his views on what might happen if liberals gain a simple majority on the Supreme Court.	13	3
15	TOO MUCH AND NEVER ENOUGH, by Mary L. Trump. (Simon & Schuster.) The clinical psychologist gives her assessment of events and patterns inside her family and how they shaped President Trump.	--	13