

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	April 5, 1953 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	DESIREE, by Annemarie Selinko. (William Morrow.)	1	10
2	THE SILVER CHALICE, by Thomas B. Costain. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	2	36
3	STEAMBOAT GOTHIC, by Frances Parkinson Keyes. (Julian Messner, Inc.)	3	19
4	GOLDEN ADMIRAL, by Francis Van Wyck Mason. (Doubleday.)	5	5
5	EAST OF EDEN, by John Steinbeck. (Viking Press.)	4	27
6	THE SECOND HAPPIEST DAY, by John Phillips. (Harper and Brothers.)	6	8
7	PRINCE BART, by Jay Richard Kennedy. (Farrar, Straus and Young.)	8	2
8	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk. (Doubleday.)	7	103
9	KISS ME AGAIN, STRANGER, by Daphne du Maurier. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	11	2
10	THE SOJOURNER, by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings. (Charles Scribner's Sons.)	9	12
11	THE STONES OF THE HOUSE, by Theodore Morrison. (Viking.)	12	3
12	GIANT, by Edna Ferber. (Doubleday and Co Inc.)	14	26
13	THE GALILEANS, by Frank G. Slaughter. (Doubleday and Co.)	10	10
14	THE VELVET DOUBLET, by James Street. (Doubleday.)	13	11
15	EXECUTIVE SUITE, by Cameron Hawley. (Houghton Mifflin Company.)	15	14
16	THE GREEN MAN, by Storm Jameson. (Harper and Brothers.)	--	1

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1	ANNAPURNA, by Maurice Herzog. (E. P. Dutton and Company, Inc.)	1	11
2	THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING, by Norman Vincent Peale. (Prentice-Hall, Inc.)	2	22
3	THE SILENT WORLD, by Jacques Yves Cousteau and Frederic Dumas. (Harper Collins.)	3	7
4	HOLY BIBLE: REVISED STANDARD VERSION. (Thomas Nelson.)	5	25
5	THIS I BELIEVE, by Edward R. Murrow. (Simon and Schuster.)	4	16
6	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall. (McGraw-Hill Book Company.)	7	76
7	ALWAYS THE YOUNG STRANGERS, by Carl Sandburg. (Harcourt, Brace and Co.)	6	11
8	PRINCE OF PLAYERS, by Eleanor Ruggles. (W.W. Norton.)	9	3
9	THE SIGN OF JONAS, by Thomas Merton. (Harcourt, Brace and Company.)	8	6
10	THE WHITE RABBIT, by Bruce Marshall. (Houghton Mifflin.)	13	4
11	THE FABULOUS FANNY, by Norman Katkov. (Alfred A. Knopf.)	14	4
12	THE SECOND SEX, by Simone de Beauvoir. (Jonathan Cape.)	11	4
13	TALLULAH, by Tallulah Bankhead. (Harper and Borthers.)	10	25
14	THE LAST RESORTS, by Cleveland Amory. (Harper and Brothers.)	12	19
15	THE COLDITZ STORY, by P.R. Reid. (J.B. Lippincott Co.)	--	1
16	MY HOST THE WORLD, by George Santayana. (Charles Scribner's Sons.)	--	1