

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	April 30, 1995 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE RAINMAKER, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$25.95.) A young man barely out of law school tries to expose a corporation's multibillion-dollar scam.	--	1
2	THE CELESTINE PROPHECY, by James Redfield. (Warner, \$17.95.) An ancient manuscript, found in Peru, provides insights into achieving a fulfilling life.	1	61
3	POLITICALLY CORRECT BEDTIME STORIES, by James Finn Garner. (Macmillan, \$8.95.) Classic tales respun to avoid offending current sensibilities.	2	45
4	BORDER MUSIC, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$17.95.) A Texas rancher, trying to erase his Vietnam trauma, takes to the road with an exotic dancer.	3	10
5	LADDER OF YEARS, by Anne Tyler. (Knopf, \$24.) At 40, a woman leaves her physician husband and children to start a new life in a strange town.	--	1
6	CHILDREN OF THE JEDI, by Barbara Hambly. (Spectra/Bantam, \$21.95.) The "Star Wars" New Republic sends a mission to find long-lost people in a distant, frozen world.	--	1
7	A DOG'S LIFE, by Peter Mayle. (Knopf, \$20.) The memoirs of Boy, a shaggy canine in Provence; with drawings by Edward Koren.	5	4
8	MOO, by Jane Smiley. (Knopf, \$24.) Intrigues and machinations on the campus of a Midwestern state university.	6	4
9	OUR GAME, by John le Carré. (Knopf, \$24.) Espionage, larceny and murder in Eastern and Western Europe in the post-cold-war era.	4	7
10	THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$16.95.) A photographer and a farmer's lonely wife in Iowa.	8	142
11	THE GLASS LAKE, by Maeve Binchy. (Delacorte, \$23.95.) The unspoken ties that bind a woman and her mother in a small Irish town.	7	8
12	PHENOMENAL WOMAN, by Maya Angelou. (Random House, \$10.) Four poems celebrating women.	13	6
13	THE COMMODORE, by Patrick O'Brian. (Norton, \$22.50.) The fortunes of a British captain and his ship's doctor, at sea and at home, in the Napoleonic Wars.	--	1
14	MUTANT MESSAGE DOWN UNDER, by Marlo Morgan. (HarperCollins, \$18.) In Australia's outback, an American woman learns about aboriginal philosophy.	11	28
15	DAISY-HEAD MAYZIE, by Dr. Seuss. (Random House, \$15.) In words and pictures, the story of a girl whose head unexpectedly sprouts a daisy.	12	11

# The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	April 30, 1995 Non-Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	IN RETROSPECT, by Robert S. McNamara with Brian VanDeMark. (Times Books/Random House, \$27.50.) The Secretary of Defense under Kennedy and Johnson ruefully recalls his role in the Vietnam War.	--	1
2	THE HOT ZONE, by Richard Preston. (Random House, \$23.) The discovery of a lethal virus.	1	29
3	QUIVERS, by Robin Quivers. (Regan Books/HarperCollins, \$22.) The memoirs of Howard Stern's sidekick.	6	2
4	THE DEATH OF COMMON SENSE, by Philip K. Howard. (Random House, \$18.) How governmental rules and regulations are fettering the lives of all Americans.	2	11
5	BREAKING THE SURFACE, by Greg Louganis with Eric Marcus. (Random House, \$23.) The memoirs of the former Olympic diving champion.	3	7
6	SISTERS, by Carol Saline. Photographs by Sharon J. Wohlmuth. (Running Press, \$27.50.) The relationships of 36 sets of sisters, reported in words and pictures.	4	18
7	MIDNIGHT IN THE GARDEN OF GOOD AND EVIL, by John Berendt. (Random House, \$23.) The mysterious death of a young man in Savannah, Ga.	5	60
8	THE DIARY OF A YOUNG GIRL, by Anne Frank. Edited by Otto H. Frank and Mirjam Pressler. (Doubleday, \$25.) The "definitive edition."	7	5
9	COUPLEHOOD, by Paul Reiser. (Bantam, \$19.95.) Essays on the ups and downs of marriage.	8	34
10	FROM BEGINNING TO END, by Robert Fulghum. (Villard, \$20.) The rituals we practice and the spiritual journeys we take, from childhood to old age.	12	2
11	AN ANTHROPOLOGIST ON MARS, by Oliver Sacks. (Knopf, \$24.) Seven tales about people with neurological afflictions.	9	7
12	THE BOOK OF VIRTUES, by William J. Bennett. (Simon & Schuster, \$30.) Moral stories adapted from the Greeks, the Bible, folklore and elsewhere.	11	71
13	LIZ, by C. David Heymann. (Birch Lane/Carol, \$24.95.) A biography of Elizabeth Taylor.	--	1
14	MODEL, by Michael Gross. (Morrow, \$25.) The growth of modeling from a small business to a huge industry.	--	1
15	THE DISCIPLINE OF MARKET LEADERS, by Michael Treacy and Fred Wiersema. (Addison-Wesley, \$25.) A discussion of competitive business strategies.	10	10
16	BEING DIGITAL, by Nicholas Negroponte. (Knopf, \$23.) How computers will alter our lives in the future.	13	7