

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	November 19, 2023 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	DIRTY THIRTY, by Janet Evanovich. (Atria.) The 30th book in the Stephanie Plum series. Plum tracks a local jeweler's former security guard and has an overnight stakeout with relatives.	--	1
2	THE EXCHANGE, by John Grisham. (Doubleday.) In a sequel to "The Firm," Mitch McDeere, who is now a partner at the world's largest law firm, gets caught up in a sinister plot.	1	3
3	FOURTH WING, by Rebecca Yarros. (Red Tower.) Violet Sorrengail is urged by the commanding general, who also is her mother, to become a candidate for the elite dragon riders.	3	26
4	THE SECRET, by Lee Child and Andrew Child. (Delacorte.) The 28th book in the Jack Reacher series. It's 1992 and Reacher looks into the cause of a string of mysterious deaths.	2	2
5	LESSONS IN CHEMISTRY, by Bonnie Garmus. (Doubleday.) A scientist and single mother living in California in the 1960s becomes a star on a TV cooking show.	4	78
6	HOLLY, by Stephen King. (Scribner.) The private detective Holly Gibney investigates whether a married pair of octogenarian academics had anything to do with Bonnie Dahl's disappearance.	6	9
7	TOM LAKE, by Ann Patchett. (Harper.) Three daughters, who return to their family orchard in the spring of 2020, learn about their mother's relationship with a famous actor.	7	14
8	LET US DESCEND, by Jesmyn Ward. (Scribner.) Annis, who was sold by the white enslaver who fathered her, tries to comfort herself with memories of her mother and stories of her African warrior grandmother.	5	2
9	A FIRE IN THE FLESH, by Jennifer L. Armentrout. (Blue Box.) The third book in the Flesh and Fire series. The destinies of Nyktos and Sera may be out of their hands.	--	1
10	ABSOLUTION, by Alice McDermott. (Farrar, Straus and Giroux.) Two American women form an uneasy alliance in Saigon in 1963.	--	1
11	DEMON COPPERHEAD, by Barbara Kingsolver. (Harper.) Winner of a 2023 Pulitzer Prize for fiction. A reimagining of Charles Dickens's "David Copperfield" set in the mountains of southern Appalachia.	9	53
12	THE COVENANT OF WATER, by Abraham Verghese. (Grove.) Three generations of a family living on South India's Malabar Coast suffer the loss of a family member by drowning.	10	27
13	THE ARMOR OF LIGHT, by Ken Follett. (Viking.) The fifth book in the Kingsbridge series. Change and turmoil affect various aspects of society in the latter part of the 18th century.	11	6
14	THE HEAVEN & EARTH GROCERY STORE, by James McBride. (Riverhead.) Secrets held by the residents of a dilapidated neighborhood come to life when a skeleton is found at the bottom of a well.	13	12
15	REMARKABLY BRIGHT CREATURES, by Shelby Van Pelt. (Ecco.) A widow working the night shift at the Sowell Bay Aquarium is aided in solving a mystery by a giant Pacific octopus living there.	14	27

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1	THE WOMAN IN ME, by Britney Spears. (Gallery.) The Grammy Award-winning pop star details her personal and professional experiences, including the years she spent under a conservatorship overseen by her father.	1	2
2	FRIENDS, LOVERS, AND THE BIG TERRIBLE THING, by Matthew Perry. (Flatiron.) The late actor, known for playing Chandler Bing on "Friends," shares stories from his childhood and his struggles with sobriety.	--	17
3	BEING HENRY, by Henry Winkler with James Kaplan. (Celadon.) The Emmy Award-winning actor shares how playing roles such as the Fonz and his struggles with dyslexia affected his life.	--	1
4	PREQUEL, by Rachel Maddow. (Crown.) The MSNBC host and co-author of "Bag Man" details a campaign to overthrow the U.S. government and install authoritarian rule prior to and during our involvement in World War II.	2	3
5	ELON MUSK, by Walter Isaacson. (Simon & Schuster.) The author of "The Code Breaker" traces Musk's life and summarizes his work on electric vehicles, private space exploration and artificial intelligence.	5	8
6	OUTLIVE, by Peter Attia with Bill Gifford. (Harmony.) A look at recent scientific research on aging and longevity.	8	32
7	KILLING THE WITCHES, by Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard. (St. Martin's.) The 13th book in the conservative commentator's Killing series gives a portrayal of the events of 1692 and 1693 in Salem Village, Mass.	6	6
8	RENEGADE, by Adam Kinzinger with Michael D'Antonio. (The Open Field.) The former congressman from Illinois gives an account of his time serving in the military and on the Jan. 6 committee.	--	1
9	THE DEMOCRAT PARTY HATES AMERICA, by Mark R. Levin. (Threshold Editions.) The Fox News host and author of "American Marxism" argues for the defeat of the Democratic Party.	10	7
10	ROMNEY, by McKay Coppins. (Scribner.) A staff writer at The Atlantic profiles the Republican senator from Utah and former governor of Massachusetts.	3	2
11	DEMOCRACY AWAKENING, by Heather Cox Richardson. (Viking.) The historian and author of the newsletter "Letters From an American" shares her views on the current political moment.	15	6
12	THE WAGER, by David Grann. (Doubleday.) The survivors of a shipwrecked British vessel on a secret mission during an imperial war with Spain have different accounts of events.	--	28
13	IF YOU WOULD HAVE TOLD ME, by John Stamos with Daphne Young. (Holt.) A memoir by the star of "Full House," "ER" and "General Hospital."	4	2
14	GOING INFINITE, by Michael Lewis. (Norton.) The author of "The Big Short" and "The Premonition" chronicles the rise and fall of Sam Bankman-Fried and FTX.	12	5
15	BEHIND THE SEAMS, by Dolly Parton with Holly George-Warren. (Ten Speed.) The country music legend shares stories about her favorite outfits she has worn on and off the stage.	14	3