

Paperback Best Sellers

Fiction		Weeks On List	Nonfiction		Weeks On List
1	THE CHAMBER , by John Grisham. (Island/Dell, \$7.50.) A lawyer represents a racist who is on death row for his part in a 1967 bombing.	9	1	SELENA! by Clint Richmond. (Pocket, \$5.99.) A bilingual account of the life and career, ending in murder, of the Mexican-American singer.	2
2	ALL THAT GLITTERS , by V. C. Andrews. (Pocket, \$6.99.) From plantation house to shanty: Ruby's marital ordeals continue in the Landry series.	2	2	EMBRACED BY THE LIGHT , by Betty J. Eadie with Curtis Taylor. (Bantam, \$5.99.) A woman's near-death experience.	36
3	REMEMBER ME , by Mary Higgins Clark. (Pocket, \$6.99.) After an estranged couple reunite, they are haunted by a mysterious force.	3	3	HAVING OUR SAY , by Sarah L. Delany and Elizabeth Delany with Amy Hill Hearth. (Dell, \$5.99.) Two black sisters reflect on their lives.	35
4	THE KEY TO MIDNIGHT , by Dean Koontz. (Berkley, \$6.99.) A 1979 novel about a man who helps a troubled nightclub singer in Japan.	4	4	MOTHERLESS DAUGHTERS , by Hope Edelman. (Delta, \$12.95.) The experiences of women after the deaths of their mothers.	3
5	UNTIL FOREVER , by Johanna Lindsey. (Avon, \$6.50.) A 10th-century sword enables a woman to take a romantic journey through the past.	1	5	CARE OF THE SOUL , by Thomas Moore. (Harper Perennial, \$12.) Everyday spirituality.	72
6	CONGO , by Michael Crichton. (Ballantine, \$6.99.) Why did archeologists die among ruins?	31	6	REVIVING OPHELIA , by Mary Pipher. (Ballantine, \$12.50.) The dangers that beset teen-age girls.	9
7	THE STONE DIARIES , by Carol Shields. (Penguin, \$10.95.) The journey of a woman from Manitoba to Indiana to Florida, from childhood to marriage to motherhood through old age.	3	7	MAYBE (MAYBE NOT) , by Robert Fulghum. (Ivy, \$6.99.) Inspirational essays.	5
8	CIRCLE OF FRIENDS , by Maeve Binchy. (Dell, \$6.50.) The coming of age of women in Ireland.	20	8*	THE ROAD LESS TRAVELED , by M. Scott Peck. (Touchstone/S&S, \$10.95.) Inspiration.	603
9	"K" IS FOR KILLER , by Sue Grafton. (Lawrence, \$6.99.) Kinsey Millhone investigates the strange death of a waitress's daughter.	6	9*	CREATING A NEW CIVILIZATION , by Alvin Toffler and Heidi Toffler. (Turner Publishing, \$7.95.) A proposal for reshaping society.	4
10	THE TEA PLANTER'S BRIDE , by Rosemary Rogers. (Avon, \$6.50.) An American rogue and a young Ceylonese woman in Victorian London.	3	10	THE BASKETBALL DIARIES , by Jim Carroll. (Penguin, \$10.95.) The coming of age of a poet and rock performer in New York in the 1960's.	3
11	HIDDEN RICHES , by Nora Roberts. (Jove, \$5.99.) An antiques dealer becomes the target of an international criminal.	5	11	SOUL MATES , by Thomas Moore. (Harper Perennial, \$13.) Love and relationships.	24
12	TWO ALONE , by Sandra Brown. (MIRA, \$4.99.) A 1987 novel about a man and a woman who are stranded after a plane crash.	1	12	MAKES ME WANNA HOLLER , by Nathan McCall. (Vintage, \$12.) The life of a young black man in America: the memoirs of a Washington Post reporter.	14
13	DREAM MAN , by Linda Howard. (Pocket, \$5.99.) A clairvoyant teams up with a detective stalking a serial killer and finds love.	1	13*	DOLLY , by Dolly Parton. (Harper Paperbacks, \$5.99.) The autobiography of the country singer.	1
14	THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW , by Allan Folsom. (Warner Vision, \$6.99.) A doctor stumbles into a tangle of conspiracies.	18	14	A HISTORY OF GOD , by Karen Armstrong. (Ballantine, \$14.) The development of monotheism over the past 4,000 years.	39
15	STORMING HEAVEN , by Dale Brown. (Berkley, \$6.99.) A band of terrorists besieges America by dropping bombs on critical sites.	4	15*	THE HIDDEN LIFE OF DOGS , by Elizabeth Marshall Thomas. (Pocket, \$5.99.) An analysis of canine behavior.	13
			16*	I KNOW WHY THE CAGED BIRD SINGS , by Maya Angelou. (Bantam, \$4.99.) The poet's depiction of her childhood and adolescence.	116

Advice, How-to and Miscellaneous

1	CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL , compiled by Jack Canfield and Mark Victor Hansen. (Health Communications, \$12.95.) Uplifting stories.	35	3	THE SEVEN HABITS OF HIGHLY EFFECTIVE PEOPLE , by Stephen R. Covey. (Fireside/S&S, \$12.) Principles for success.	213
2	A 2ND HELPING OF CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL , compiled by Jack Canfield and Mark Victor Hansen. (Health Communications, \$12.95.) One hundred more stories.	4	4	O. J.'S LEGAL PAD , by Henry Beard, John Boswell and Ron Barrett. (Villard, \$8.95.) Notes and doodles supposedly made by O. J. Simpson during his trial; a spoof.	1

Rankings reflect sales figures for the week ending May 13 at 3,050 bookstores plus wholesalers serving 38,000 other retailers, statistically weighted to represent sales in all such outlets nationwide. An asterisk indicates that a book is an out-of-print title being reissued from the backlist of the book above.

...ain's royal family might enjoy seeing her cast as an American manqué. In this novel she finds true happiness in the world of McDonald's and miniature golf with a lover who writes for television. In 1994 our reviewer,

this novel chronicles their attempt to free themselves from the grip of younger relatives who have turned Martha's house into a nursing home and their lives into a prison. The author achieves a revelation that is