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Hardcover Fiction

1. **The Help**

Kathryn Stockett, Amy Einhorn Books/Putnam, \$24.95, 9780399155345

2. **Half Broke Horses**

Jeannette Walls, Scribner, \$26, 9781416586289

3. **The Swan Thieves**

Elizabeth Kostova, Little Brown, \$26.99, 9780316065788

4. **The Girl Who Played With Fire**

Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$25.95, 9780307269980

5. **Wolf Hall**

Hilary Mantel, Holt, \$27, 9780805080681

6. **The Lost Symbol**

Dan Brown, Doubleday, \$29.95, 9780385504225

7. **The Lacuna**

Barbara Kingsolver, Harper, \$26.99, 9780060852573

8. **Remarkable Creatures**

Tracy Chevalier, Dutton, \$26.95, 9780525951452

9. **Where the God of Love Hangs Out**

Amy Bloom, Random House, \$25, 9781400063574

10. **Noah's Compass**

Anne Tyler, Knopf, \$25.95, 9780307272409

11. **Kisser**

Stuart Woods, Putnam, \$25.95, 9780399156113

12. **The Last Song**

Nicholas Sparks, Grand Central, \$24.99, 9780446547567

13. **I, Alex Cross**

James Patterson, Little Brown, \$27.99, 9780316018784

14. **The First Rule**

Robert Crais, Putnam, \$26.95, 9780399156137

15. **Alice I Have Been**

Melanie Benjamin, Delacorte, \$25, 9780385344135

Paperback Fiction

1. **The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society**

Mary Ann Shaffer, Annie Barrows, Dial, \$14, 9780385341004

2. **A Reliable Wife**

Robert Goolrick, Algonquin, \$14.95, 9781565129771

3. **Olive Kitteridge**

Elizabeth Strout, Random House, \$14, 9780812971835

4. **Let the Great World Spin**

Colum McCann, Random House, \$15, 9780812973990

5. **The Elegance of the Hedgehog**

Muriel Barbery, Europa Editions, \$15, 9781933372600

6. **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo**

Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$14.95, 9780307454546

7. **The Lovely Bones**

Alice Sebold, Back Bay, \$14.99, 9780316044936

8. **Sarah's Key**

Tatiana De Rosnay, St. Martin's Griffin, \$13.95, 9780312370848

9. **Cutting for Stone**

Abraham Verghese, Vintage, \$15.95, 9780375714368

10. **Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet**

Jamie Ford, Ballantine, \$15, 9780345505347

11. **The Art of Racing in the Rain**

Garth Stein, Harper, \$14.99, 9780061537967

12. **The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie**

Alan Bradley, Bantam, \$15, 9780385343497

13. **The Piano Teacher**

Janice Y.K. Lee, Penguin, \$15, 9780143116530

14. **Precious (Push Movie Tie-In Edition)**

Sapphire, Vintage, \$13, 9780307474841

15. **The Shack**

William P. Young, Windblown, \$14.99, 9780964729230



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Hardcover NonFiction

1. Game Change

John Heilemann, Mark Halperin, Harper, \$27.99, 9780061733635

2. Have a Little Faith

Mitch Albom, Hyperion, \$23.99, 9780786868728

3. Stones Into Schools

Greg Mortenson, Viking, \$26.95, 9780670021154

4. The Happiness Project

Gretchen Craft Rubin, Harper, \$25.99, 9780061583254

5. The Kind Diet

Alicia Silverstone, Rodale, \$29.99, 9781605296449

6. Committed

Elizabeth Gilbert, Viking, \$26.95, 9780670021659

7. Outliers

Malcolm Gladwell, Little Brown, \$27.99, 9780316017923

8. What the Dog Saw

Malcolm Gladwell, Little Brown, \$27.99, 9780316075848

9. SuperFreakonomics

Steven D. Levitt, Stephen J. Dubner, Morrow, \$29.99, 9780060889579

10. The Lady in the Tower

Alison Weir, Ballantine, \$28, 9780345453211

11. Just Kids

Patti Smith, Ecco, \$27, 9780066211312

12. The Imperial Cruise

James Bradley, Little Brown, \$29.99, 9780316008952

13. Going Rogue

Sarah Palin, Harper, \$28.99, 9780061939891

14. Drive

Daniel H. Pink, Riverhead, \$26.95, 9781594488849

15. The Only Thing Worth Dying For

Eric Blehm, Harper, \$25.99, 9780061661228

Paperback NonFiction

1. Food Rules

Michael Pollan, Penguin, \$11, 9780143116387

2. Three Cups of Tea

Greg Mortenson, David Oliver Relin, Penguin, \$16, 9780143038252

3. The Blind Side

Michael Lewis, Norton, \$13.95, 9780393338386

4. The Omnivore's Dilemma

Michael Pollan, Penguin, \$16, 9780143038580

5. The Glass Castle

Jeannette Walls, Scribner, \$15, 9780743247542

6. In Defense of Food

Michael Pollan, Penguin, \$15, 9780143114963

7. The Lost City of Z

David Grann, Vintage, \$15.95, 9781400078455

8. The CalorieKing Calorie, Fat and Carbohydrate Counter

Allan Borushek, Family Health Publications, \$8.99, 9781930448278

9. How We Decide

Jonah Lehrer, Mariner, \$14.95, 9780547247991

10. Mountains Beyond Mountains

Tracy Kidder, Random House, \$15.95, 9780812973013

11. A People's History of the United States

Howard Zinn, Harper, \$18.95, 9780060838652

12. Eat, Pray, Love

Elizabeth Gilbert, Penguin, \$15, 9780143038412

13. Blink

Malcolm Gladwell, Back Bay, \$15.99, 9780316010665

14. The Old Farmer's Almanac 2010

Old Farmer's Almanac, \$6.95, 9781571984845

15. The Devil in the White City

Erik Larson, Vintage, \$15, 9780375725609



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Mass Market

1. **The Catcher in the Rye**

J.D. Salinger, Warner, \$6.99, 9780316769488

2. **Dear John**

Nicholas Sparks, Grand Central, \$7.99,
9780446567336

3. **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo**

Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99, 9780307473479

4. **The Lovely Bones**

Alice Sebold, Little Brown, \$7.99, 9780316044400

5. **The Scarecrow**

Michael Connelly, Grand Central, \$9.99,
9780446401203

6. **To Kill a Mockingbird**

Harper Lee, Warner, \$7.99, 9780446310789

7. **The Official Scrabble Players Dictionary, 4th Edition**

Merriam-Webster, \$7.50, 9780877799290

8. **The Road**

Cormac McCarthy, Vintage, \$7.99, 9780307476319

9. **The Elusive Bride**

Stephanie Laurens, Avon, \$7.99, 9780061795152

10. **The Silent Man**

Alex Berenson, Jove, \$9.99, 9780515147537

Children's Illustrated

1. **The Lion & the Mouse**

Jerry Pinkney, Little Brown, \$16.99, 9780316013567

2. **Fancy Nancy: Heart to Heart**

Jane O'Connor, Robin Preiss Glasser (Illus.), Harper-Festival, \$4.99, 9780061235962

3. **Goodnight Moon**

Margaret Wise Brown, Clement Hurd (Illus.), Harper, \$8.99, 9780694003617

4. **My Heart Is Like a Zoo**

Michael Hall, Greenwillow, \$16.99, 9780061915109

5. **Where's My Sweetie Pie?**

Ed Emberley, LB Kids, \$7.99, 9780316018913

6. **Gallop!**

Rufus Butler Seder, Workman, \$12.95,
9780761147633

7. **Waddle!**

Rufus Butler Seder, Workman, \$12.95,
9780761151128

8. **Otis**

Loren Long, Philomel, \$17.99, 9780399252488

9. **Little Blue Truck**

Alice Schertle, Jill McElmurry (Illus.), Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, \$6.99, 9780547248288

10. **Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?**

Bill Martin, Eric Carle (Illus.), Holt, \$7.95,
9780805047905

Fall 2009

Great Lakes, Great Reads

Await Your Reply, Dan Chaon, Ballantine

Doubleback, Libby Fischer Hellmann, Bleak House

Stitches, David Small, W.W. Norton

Crossing Stones, Helen Frost, FSG

Season of Gifts, Richard Peck, Dial

Otis, Loren Long, Philomel



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Children's Interest

1. **When You Reach Me**

Rebecca Stead, Wendy Lamb, \$15.99,
9780385737425

2. **The Book Thief**

Markus Zusak, Knopf, \$11.99, 9780375842207

3. **Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The Ultimate Guide**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$12.99, 9781423121718

4. **The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian**

Sherman Alexie, Ellen Forney (Illus.), Little Brown,
\$8.99, 9780316013697

5. **Three Cups of Tea: One Man's Journey to Change the World... One Child at a Time**

Greg Mortenson, David Oliver Relin, Puffin, \$8.99,
9780142414125

6. **Chains**

Laurie Halse Anderson, Atheneum, \$6.99,
9781416905868

7. **The Underneath**

Kathi Appelt, David Small (Illus.), Atheneum, \$7.99,
9781416950592

8. **The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate**

Jacqueline Kelly, Holt, \$16.99, 9780805088410

9. **Listen to the Wind**

Greg Mortenson, Susan L. Roth, Dial, \$16.99,
9780803730588

10. **Fantastic Mr. Fox**

Roald Dahl, Quentin Blake (Illus.), Puffin, \$6.99,
9780142414552

Children's Series

1. **The Lightning Thief (Percy Jackson and the Olympians, Book 1)**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$7.99, 9781423134947

2. **The Sea of Monsters (Percy Jackson and the Olympians, Book 2)**

Rick Riordan, Miramax, \$7.99, 9781423103349

3. **The Hunger Games**

Suzanne Collins, Scholastic, \$17.99,
9780439023481

4. **The Titan's Curse (Percy Jackson and the Olympians, Book 3)**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$7.99, 9781423101482

5. **The Battle of the Labyrinth (Percy Jackson and the Olympians, Book 4)**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$7.99, 9781423101499

6. **Eclipse (Twilight, Book 3)**

Stephenie Meyer, Little Brown, \$9.99,
9780316027656

7. **The Last Olympian (Percy Jackson and the Olympians, Book 5)**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$17.99, 9781423101475

8. **Leprechaun in Late Winter (Magic Tree House #43)**

Mary Pope Osborne, Sal Murdocca (Illus.), Random House, \$12.99, 9780375856501

9. **Erak's Ransom (Ranger's Apprentice, #7)**

John Flanagan, Philomel, \$17.99, 9780399252051

10. **Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days**

Jeff Kinney, Amulet, \$13.95, 9780810983915