

New York Times Best Seller List – Week of August 11, 2019

FICTION

NONFICTION

TW		LW	WOL	TW		LW	WOL
✓1	ONE GOOD DEED / David Baldacci. A World War II veteran on parole must find the real killer in a small town or face going back to jail.	--	1	✓1	EDUCATED / Tara Westover. The daughter of survivalists, who is kept out of school, educates herself enough to leave home for university.	1	75
✓2	WHERE THE CRAWDADS SING / Delia Owens. In a quiet town on the North Carolina coast in 1969, a young woman who survived alone in the marsh becomes a murder suspect.	2	46	✓2	BECOMING / Michelle Obama. The former first lady describes her journey from the South Side of Chicago to the White House, and how she balanced work, family and her husband's political ascent.	4	37
✓3	THE NICKEL BOYS / Colson Whitehead. Two boys respond to horrors at a Jim Crow-era reform school in ways that impact them decades later.	3	2	✓3	THE PIONEERS / David McCullough. The Pulitzer Prizewinning historian tells the story of the settling of the Northwest Territory through five main characters.	3	12
✓4	THE NEW GIRL / Daniel Silva. Gabriel Allon, the chief of Israeli intelligence, partners with the crown prince of Saudi Arabia, whose daughter is kidnapped.	1	2	✓4	THREE WOMEN / Lisa Taddeo. Inequality of female desire is explored through sex lives of a homemaker, a high school student and a restaurant owner.	5	3
✓5	THRAWN: TREASON / Timothy Zahn. A Star Wars saga. Grand Admiral Thrawn must choose between his sense of duty to the Chiss Ascendancy and loyalty to the Empire.	--	1	✓5	UNFREEDOM OF THE PRESS / Mark R. Levin. The conservative commentator and radio host makes his case that the press is aligned with political ideology.	6	10
✓6	SUMMER OF '69 / Elin Hilderbrand. The Levin family undergoes dramatic events with a son in Vietnam, a daughter in protests and dark secrets hiding beneath the surface.	5	6	✓6	JUSTICE ON TRIAL / Mollie Hemingway. Conservative authors give their take on confirmation of Supreme Court Justice Brett Kavanaugh.	7	3
✓7	UNDER CURRENTS / Nora Roberts. Echoes of a violent childhood reverberate for Zane Bigelow when he starts a new kind of family in North Carolina's Blue Ridge Mountains.	4	3	✓7	AMERICAN CARNAGE / Tim Alberta. Politico Magazine's chief political correspondent narrates a decade-long civil war inside the GOP and Donald Trump's concurrent ascension.	2	2
✓8	WINDOW ON THE BAY / Debbie Macomber. A single mom's life takes unexpected turns when her two children go off to college.	6	2	✓8	AMERICA'S RELUCTANT PRINCE / Steven M. Gillon. A historian describes John F. Kennedy Jr. through the lens of their decades-long friendship.	8	3
✓9	CITY OF GIRLS / Elizabeth Gilbert. An 89-year-old Vivian Morris looks back at the direction her life took when she entered the 1940s New York theater scene.	8	8	✓9	BECAUSE INTERNET / Gretchen McCulloch. The digital world's influence on the English language.	--	1
✓10	ASK AGAIN, YES / Mary Beth Keane. The lives of neighboring families in a New York City suburb intertwine over four decades.	--	3	✓10	RANGE / David Epstein. An argument for how generalists excel more than specialists, especially in complex and unpredictable fields.	--	5
✓11	THE SILENT PATIENT / Alex Michaelides. Theo Faber looks into the mystery of a famous painter who stops speaking after shooting her husband.	11	24	✓11	MAYBE YOU SHOULD TALK TO SOMEONE / Lori Gottlieb. Psychotherapist gains unexpected insights when she becomes another therapist's patient.	13	10
✓12	BACKLASH / Brad Thor. Cut off from any support, Scot Harvath fights to get his revenge.	9	5	✓12	THE MOMENT OF LIFT / Melinda Gates. Philanthropist shares stories of empowering women to improve society.	10	13
✓13	LADY IN THE LAKE / Laura Lippman. In 1966, a housewife becomes a reporter and investigates the killing of a black woman in Baltimore.	--	1	✓13	CRISIS IN THE RED ZONE / Richard Preston. An account of the 2013-14 Ebola epidemic and the potential of more severe outbreaks in the future.	--	1
✓14	MRS. EVERYTHING / Jennifer Weiner. The story of two sisters and how the world around them changes drastically from the 1950s.	10	7	✓14	ALONE AT DAWN / Dan Schilling. An account of the actions taken by Air Force Combat Controller John Chapman in Afghanistan that earned him a posthumous Medal of Honor.	--	3
✓15	THE CHAIN / Adrian McKinty. Rachel Klein is ensnared in a pay-it-forward criminal enterprise involving ransoms and kidnapping.	12	3	✓15	THE SECOND MOUNTAIN / David Brooks. A New York Times Op-Ed columnist espouses having an outward focus to attain a meaningful life.	11	15

Key: **Tw** = This Week's rank; **Lw** = Last Week's rank; **Wol** = # of Weeks on List; **o/o** – on order; ✓ = available; **I/P** = In Processing; **N/A** = Not Available

ADDITIONAL BEST SELLING TITLES ADDED AND DROPPED a/o 08/13/19

- **THE 13-MINUTE MURDER** / James Patterson
- **THE 18TH ABDUCTION** / James Patterson
- **AMERICAN PREDATOR** / Maureen Challahan
- **BARK OF NIGHT** / David Rosenfelt
- **BENEATH THE TAMARIND TREE** / Isha Sesay
- **BIG SKY** / Kate Atkinson
- ☀ **THE BITTER ROOTS** / C J Box
- **BLESSING IN DISGUISE** / Danielle Steel
- **BRAIN BODY DIET** / Sara Gottfried
- **CHANCES ARE** / Richard Russo
- ☀ **CONSERVATIVE SENSIBILITY** / George Hill
- ☀ **CONTRABAND** / Stuart Woods
- ☀ **A DANGEROUS MAN** / Robert Crais
- **ENCHANTED HOUR** / Meghan Gurdon
- **THE ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE** / Jim Acosta
- **EVERY MAN A HERO** / Ray Lambert
- **EVVIE DRAKE STARTS OVER** / Linda Holmes
- **FALL** / Neal Stephenson
- **FAR AND AWAY** / Fern Michaels
- **FLEISHMAN IS IN TROUBLE** / Taffy Brodesser-Akner
- **THE FRIENDS WE KEEP** / Jane Green
- **GOLDEN HOUR** / Beatriz Williams
- ☀ **THE INN** / James Patterson
- **A JUSTIFIED MURDER** / Jude Deveraux
- **KNIFE** / Jo Nesbo
- **LABRYNITH** / Catherine Coulter
- **LAKE OF THE OZARKS** / William Geist
- **THE LAST HOUSE GUEST** / Megan Miranda
- **LAST WITNESSES** / Svetkana Aleksievich
- **LET LOVE HAVE THE LAST WORD** / Common
- **LOCK EVERY DOOR** / Riley Sager
- **LOST AND FOUND** / Daniel Steel
- ☀ **LOVE AND DEATH AMONG THE CHEETAHS** / Rhys Bowen
- **MORE THAN ENOUGH** / Elaine Welterith
- **THE MOST FUN WE EVER HAD** / Claire Lombardo
- **THE MUELLER REPORT** / Robert Mueller
- **MY LIFE AS A RAT** / Joyce Oates
- **NATURALLY TAN** / Tan France
- **NEVER HAVE I EVER** / Joshilyn Jackson
- **THE NIGHT WINDOW** / Dean Koontz
- **ON EARTH WE'RE BRIEFLY GORGEOUS** / Ocean Voung
- **PARANOID** / Lisa Jackson
- **PLAIN VANILLA MURDER** / Susan Wittig Albert
- **QUEEN BEE** / Dorthea Frank
- **RECURSION** / Blake Crouch
- **RED METAL** / Mark Greaney
- **ROBERT B PARKER'S BUCKSKIN** / Robert Knott
- **SEARCHING FOR SYLVIE LEE** / Jean Kwok
- **THE SECOND-WORST RESTERAUNT IN FRANCE** / Alexander Mccall Smith
- **SEEKERS** / Heather Graham
- **SENTENCE IS DEATH** / Anthony Horowitz
- **SHAMED** / Linda Castillo
- **SHAMELESS** / Ace Atkins
- **SIEGE** / Michael Wolff
- **SIXTH MAN** / Andre Iguodala
- **SKIN GAME** / Stuart Woods
- **SMOKESCREEN** / Iris Johansen
- **SOMEONE KNOWS** / Lisa Scottoline
- **SOPHIA PRINCESS AMONG BEASTS** / James Patterson
- **SPYING ON THE SOUTH** / Tony Horwitz
- **STAY SEXY AND DON'T GET MURDERED** / Karen Kilgariff
- **SUM OF ALL SHADOWS** / Eric Van Lustbader
- **THE SUMMER GUESTS** / Mary Alice Monroe
- **SUNSET BEACH** / Mary Kay Andrews
- **THE TALE TELLER** / Anne Hillerman
- **TEMPTATION'S DARLING** / Johanna Lindsey
- **UNDER THE TABLE** / Stephanie Evanovich
- **UNLEASHED** / Diana Palmer
- **VIEW FROM ALAMEDA ISLAND** / Robyn Carr
- **WHISKERS IN THE DARK** / Rita Mae Brown
- **WILLING TO DIE** / Lisa Jackson
- **A WOMAN OF NO IMPORTANCE** / Sonia Purnell