

## The Heartland Indie Bestseller List for the week ending January 24, 2010

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### HARDCOVER FICTION

#### 1. **The Help**

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

#### 2. **The Lacuna**

Barbara Kingsolver, Harper, \$26.99,  
9780060852573

#### 3. **Half Broke Horses**

Jeannette Walls, Scribner, \$26, 9781416586289

#### 4. **The Swan Thieves**

Elizabeth Kostova, Little Brown, \$26.99,  
9780316065788

#### 5. **Noah's Compass**

Anne Tyler, Knopf, \$25.95, 9780307272409

#### 6. **Remarkable Creatures**

Tracy Chevalier, Dutton, \$26.95, 9780525951452

#### 7. **The Girl Who Played With Fire**

Stieg Larsson, Knopf, \$25.95, 9780307269980

#### 8. **Where the God of Love Hangs Out**

Amy Bloom, Random House, \$25,  
9781400063574

#### 9. **Saving CeeCee Honeycutt**

Beth Hoffman, Viking, \$25.95, 9780670021390

#### 10. **The Lock Artist**

Steve Hamilton, Minotaur, \$24.99,  
9780312380427

#### 11. **The Burning Land**

Bernard Cornwell, Harper, \$25.99,  
9780060888749

#### 12. **Roses**

Leila Meacham, Grand Central, \$24.99,  
9780446550000

#### 13. **Alice I Have Been**

Melanie Benjamin, Delacorte, \$25,  
9780385344135

#### 14. **Kisser**

Stuart Woods, Putnam, \$25.95, 9780399156113

#### 15. **Wolf Hall**

Hilary Mantel, Holt, \$27, 9780805080681

### HARDCOVER NONFICTION

#### 1. **Game Change**

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

#### 2. **Committed**

Elizabeth Gilbert, Viking, \$26.95, 9780670021659

#### 3. **Stones Into Schools**

Greg Mortenson, Viking, \$26.95, 9780670021154

#### 4. **Have a Little Faith**

Mitch Albom, Hyperion, \$23.99, 9780786868728

#### 5. **What the Dog Saw**

Malcolm Gladwell, Little Brown, \$27.99,  
9780316075848

#### 6. **Just Kids**

Patti Smith, Ecco, \$27, 9780066211312

#### 7. **Mastering the Art of French Cooking, Vol I**

Julia Child, et al., Knopf, \$40, 9780375413407

#### 8. **Drive**

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

#### 9. **Going Rogue**

Sarah Palin, Harper, \$28.99, 9780061939891

#### 10. **Half the Sky**

Nicholas D. Kristof, Sheryl WuDunn, Knopf,  
\$27.95, 9780307267146

#### 11. **Born to Run**

Christopher McDougall, Knopf, \$24.95,  
9780307266309

#### 12. **SuperFreakonomics**

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

#### 13. **Mayo Clinic Diet**

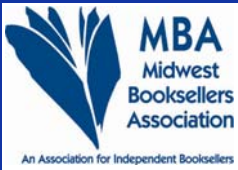
Mayo Clinic, Good Books, \$25.99,  
9781561486762

#### 14. **Open**

Andre Agassi, Knopf, \$28.95, 9780307268198

#### 15. **The Book of Genesis Illustrated by R. Crumb**

Norton, \$24.95, 9780393061024



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### TRADE PAPERBACK FICTION

#### 1. **The Lovely Bones**

Alice Sebold, Back Bay, \$14.99, 9780316044936

#### 2. **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo**

Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$14.95, 9780307454546

#### 3. **Olive Kitteridge**

Elizabeth Strout, Random House, \$14, 9780812971835

#### 4. **The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society**

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

#### 5. **Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet**

Jamie Ford, Ballantine, \$15, 9780345505347

#### 6. **The Art of Racing in the Rain**

Garth Stein, Harper, \$14.99, 9780061537967

#### 7. **A Reliable Wife**

Robert Goolrick, Algonquin, \$14.95, 9781565129771

#### 8. **Let the Great World Spin**

Colum McCann, Random House, \$15, 9780812973990

#### 9. **The Elegance of the Hedgehog**

Muriel Barbery, Europa Editions, \$15, 9781933372600

#### 10. **Precious (Push Movie Tie-In Edition)**

Sapphire, Vintage, \$13, 9780307474841

#### 11. **Sarah's Key**

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

#### 12. **Lark and Termite**

Jayne Anne Phillips, Vintage, \$14.95, 9780375701931

#### 13. **When Will There Be Good News?**

Kate Atkinson, Back Bay, \$13.99, 9780316012836

#### 14. **The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie**

Alan Bradley, Bantam, \$15, 9780385343497

#### 15. **The Women**

T.C. Boyle, Penguin, \$16, 9780143116479

### TRADE PAPERBACK NONFICTION

#### 1. **Three Cups of Tea**

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

#### 2. **Food Rules**

Michael Pollan, Penguin, \$11, 9780143116387

#### 3. **The Blind Side**

Michael Lewis, Norton, \$13.95, 9780393338386

#### 4. **The Glass Castle**

Jeannette Walls, Scribner, \$15, 9780743247542

#### 5. **Mountains Beyond Mountains**

Tracy Kidder, Random House, \$15.95, 9780812973013

#### 6. **My Life in France**

Julia Child, Anchor, \$15, 9780307277695

#### 7. **Same Kind of Different as Me**

Ron Hall, Denver Moore, Thomas Nelson, \$14.99,  
9780849919107

#### 8. **How We Decide**

Jonah Lehrer, Mariner, \$14.95, 9780547247991

#### 9. **In Defense of Food**

Michael Pollan, Penguin, \$15, 9780143114963

#### 10. **The Zookeeper's Wife**

Diane Ackerman, Norton, \$14.95, 9780393333060

#### 11. **The World Almanac and Book of Facts 2010**

World Almanac, \$12.99, 9781600571237

#### 12. **Eat, Pray, Love**

Elizabeth Gilbert, Penguin, \$15, 9780143038412

#### 13. **Isadore's Secret**

Mardi Link, Univ. of Michigan Press, \$22.95,  
9780472050796

#### 14. **The Omnivore's Dilemma**

Michael Pollan, Penguin, \$16, 9780143038580

#### 15. **What to Expect When You're Expecting**

Heidi Murkoff, Sharon Mazel, Workman, \$14.95,  
9780761148579

### MASS MARKET

#### 1. **Dear John**

Nicholas Sparks, Grand Central, \$7.99,  
9780446567336

#### 2. **The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo**

Stieg Larsson, Vintage, \$7.99, 9780307473479

#### 3. **Plum Spooky**

Janet Evanovich, St. Martin's, \$7.99, 9780312383343

#### 4. **The Lovely Bones**

Alice Sebold, Little Brown, \$7.99, 9780316044400

#### 5. **The Associate**

John Grisham, Dell, \$9.99, 9780440243823

#### 6. **Dead Until Dark**

Charlaine Harris, Ace, \$7.99, 9780441016990

#### 7. **New Comprehensive A-Z Crossword Dictionary**

Edy Garcia Schaffer (Ed.), Avon, \$7.99,  
9780380724253

#### 8. **The Road**

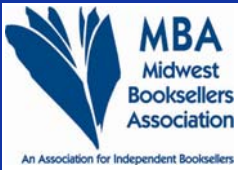
Cormac McCarthy, Vintage, \$7.99, 9780307476319

#### 9. **The Devil's Punchbowl**

Greg Iles, Pocket Star, \$9.99, 9781416524557

#### 10. **Black Ops**

W.E.B. Griffin, Jove, \$9.99, 9780515147391



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### 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.),  
HarperFestival, \$4.99, 9780061235962

#### 3. **Goodnight Moon**

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

#### 4. **Red Sings from Treetops: A Year in Colors**

Joyce Sidman, Pamela Zagarenski (Illus.), Houghton  
Mifflin Harcourt, \$16, 9780547014944

#### 5. **Waddle!**

Rufus Butler Seder, Workman, \$12.95, 9780761151128

#### 6. **Bubble Trouble**

Margaret Mahy, Polly Dunbar (Illus.), Clarion, \$16,  
9780547074214

#### 7. **Good Night, Gorilla**

Peggy Rathmann, Putnam, \$7.99, 9780399230035

#### 8. **All the World**

Liz Garton Scanlon, Marla Frazee (Illus.), Beach Lane,  
\$17.99, 9781416985808

#### 9. **Where the Wild Things Are**

Maurice Sendak, Harper, \$17.95, 9780060254926

#### 10. **Jamberry**

Bruce Degen, HarperFestival, \$7.99, 9780694006519

### 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. **The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate**

Jacqueline Kelly, Holt, \$16.99, 9780805088410

#### 4. **Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The Ultimate Guide**

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$12.99, 9781423121718

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

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

#### 7. **Million-Dollar Throw**

Mike Lupica, Philomel, \$17.99, 9780399246265

#### 8. **The Graveyard Book**

Neil Gaiman, Dave McKean (Illus.), Harper, \$17.99,  
9780060530921

#### 9. **The Underneath**

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

#### 10. **Where the Mountain Meets the Moon**

Grace Lin, Little Brown, \$16.99, 9780316114271

### CHILDREN'S FICTION SERIES TITLES

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

Rick Riordan, Miramax, \$7.99, 9780786838653

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

Rick Riordan, Miramax, \$7.99, 9781423103349

#### 3. **Breaking Dawn (Twilight, Book 4)**

Stephenie Meyer, Little Brown, \$22.99,  
9780316067928

#### 4. **Eclipse (Twilight, Book 3)**

Stephenie Meyer, Little Brown, \$9.99, 9780316027656

#### 5. **Twilight**

Stephenie Meyer, Little Brown, \$10.99,  
9780316038386

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

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$7.99, 9781423101499

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

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$7.99, 9781423101482

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

Rick Riordan, Hyperion, \$17.99, 9781423101475

#### 9. **The Mysterious Benedict Society**

Trenton Lee Stewart, Little Brown, \$6.99,  
9780316003957

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

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