

## **Bestseller List**

Top 10s from the *New York Times Book Review* **July 6, 2019** 

## **Fiction**

- 1. **Summer of '69** by Elin Hilderbrand. The Levin family undergoes dramatic events with a son in Vietnam, a daughter in protests and dark secrets hiding beneath the surface.
- 2. *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens. A woman who survived alone in the marsh becomes a murder suspect.
- 3. *City of Girls* by 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.
- 4. *Unsolved* by James Patterson and David Ellis. A string of seemingly accidental and unrelated deaths confound FBI agent Emmy Dockery.
- 5. *Mrs. Everything* by Jennifer Weiner. The story of two sisters, Jo and Bethie Kaufman, and their life experiences as the world around them changes drastically from the 1950s.
- Tom Clancy: Enemy Contact by Mike Maden. Jack Ryan Jr.'s latest adventures take him on a mission to stop an international criminal conspiracy and deal with tragic news.
- 7. **The Oracle** by Clive Cussler and Robin Burcell. Treasure hunting couple Sam and Remi Fargo embark on a new adventure to find a secret ancient scroll and lift its curse.
- 8. *On Earth We're Briefly Gorgeous* by Ocean Vuong. Little Dog writes a letter to a mother who cannot read, revealing a family history.
- Queen Bee by Dorothea Benton Frank. A beekeeper's quiet life is unsettled by her demanding mother, outgoing sister, and neighboring widower.
- 10. *Fleishman Is in Trouble* by Taffy Brodesser-Akner. Toby Fleishman is forced to confront his own perception of his actions when his ex-wife drops off her kids at this place and disappears.

## **Non-Fiction**

- 1. *Unfreedom of the Press* by Mark R. Levin. The conservative commentator and radio host makes his case that the press is aligned with political ideology.
- 2. **Educated** by Tara Westover. The daughter of survivalists, who is kept out of school, educates herself enough to home for university.
- 3. *The Pioneers* by David McCullough. The Pulitzer Prize-winning historian tells the story of the settling of the Northwest Territory through five main characters.
- 4. **Becoming** by 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.
- 5. *Howard Stern Comes Again* by Howard Stern. The radio interviewer delves into some of his favorite on-air conversations from the past four decades of his career.
- 6. **Songs of America** by Jon Meacham and Tim McGraw. Pulitzer Prize winner Jon Meacham and Grammy Award winner Tim McGraw explore how America was shaped by music.
- 7. **Sea Stories** by William H. McRaven. A memoir by the retired four-star Navy admiral, including the capture of Saddam Hussein and the raid to kill Osama bin Laden.
- 8. **The Moment of Lift** by Melinda Gates. The philanthropist shares stories of empowering women to improve society.
- 9. *The British Are Coming* by Rick Atkinson. The Pulitzer Prize-winning historian and journalist begins his Revolution Trilogy with events from 1775 to 1777.
- 10. *The Second Mountain* by David Brooks. A New York Times Op-Ed columnist espouses having an outward focus to attain a meaningful life.

