

# New York Times Bestseller List

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### New York Times Bestseller List (04/26/2026)

Key: [H](#)=Have, link to catalog; [B](#)=BRIDGES, link to BRIDGES; [O](#)=On order, link to catalog

#### Fiction

1. RITES OF THE STARLING, by Devney Perry. (Red Tower.) The second book in the "Shield of Sparrows" series. Secrets uncovered may stop the devastation of a cursed realm. [B](#)
2. YESTERYEAR, by Caro Claire Burke. (Knopf.) Natalie Heller Mills, a privileged tradwife social media influencer, wakes up to find she is living in the comparatively difficult reality of 1855. [O](#) [B](#)
3. REVENGE PREY, by John Sandford. (Putnam.) The 36th book in the Prey series. Davenport and White must protect a Russian intelligence officer and his family who are in hiding. [O](#) [B](#)
4. THE CORRESPONDENT, by Virginia Evans. (Crown.) Letters from someone she used to know push Sybil Van Antwerp toward revisiting her past and finding a way to forgive. [H](#) [B](#)
5. STARSIDE, by Alex Aster. (Avon.) Aris traverses a realm of magic and immortals, where she faces dangers as she seeks to avenge her family's death. [B](#)
6. BLOODSINGER, by Juliette Cross. (Bramble.) The second book in the Fire That Binds series. After being freed, Lela Bihari seeks to use her increasingly powerful gift to get vengeance. [B](#)
7. JUDGE STONE, by Viola Davis and James Patterson. (Little, Brown and JVL.) Judge Mary Stone oversees an ethically complex case in her courtroom in Union Springs, Ala. [H](#) [B](#)
8. THE NIGHT WE MET, by Abby Jimenez. (Forever.) Larissa makes a choice after a concert to ride home with Chris's best friend, which may cause life-changing results. [O](#) [B](#)
9. STRIXHAVEN: OMENS OF CHAOS, by Seanan McGuire. (Random House Worlds.) Eula Blue, who has the ability to travel to other planes, is invited to study magic at a faraway school.
10. THE ENDING WRITES ITSELF, by Evelyn Clarke. (Harper.) Six struggling authors are summoned to a deceased, best-selling author's private island to compete in finishing his last novel. [B](#)
11. AMERICAN FANTASY, by Emma Straub. (Riverhead.) Annie goes on a cruise featuring a '90s-era boy band and connects with a new sense of possibility. [O](#) [B](#)
12. CARL'S DOOMSDAY SCENARIO, by Matt Dinniman. (Ace.) The second book in the "Dungeon Crawler Carl" series. Carl and Donut confront an ancient spell and heightened dangers. [H](#) [B](#)
13. THE WICKED SEA, by Jordan Stephanie Gray. (Requited.) A warlock will spare Zephyra's life if she helps him locate the mystical heart.

14. INTO THE BLUE, by Emma Brodie. (Ballantine.) A member of a famous acting family and a video store clerk reconnect years later when they are both cast in a scifi TV series. [B](#)
15. THE KEEPER, by Tana French. (Viking.) The third book in the Cal Hooper series. Old feuds are reignited when a girl who was to be betrothed is found dead in a remote Irish village. [O](#) [B](#)

### Non-Fiction

1. LONDON FALLING, by Patrick Radden Keefe. (Doubleday.) The author of “Say Nothing” details the efforts by the parents of a 19-year-old Londoner to uncover the truth about his mysterious death and secret life.
2. STRANGERS, by Belle Burden. (Dial.) Burden retraces her marriage of 20 years in search of clues to help shape her understanding about its demise and to find a way forward. [H](#) [B](#)
3. PLANET MONEY, by Alex Mayyasi and the hosts of NPR’s “Planet Money”, (Norton.) Stories illustrating global economic forces at work and how they impact decisions we make.
4. HERE WHERE WE LIVE IS OUR COUNTRY, by Molly Crabapple. (One World.) A portrayal of the Jewish Labor Bund, and the ways its development and dissolution resonate today.
5. STRIPPED DOWN, by Bunnie Xo. (Dey Street.) The host of the “Dumb Blonde Podcast” shares how redemption was an important part of her journey toward reaching her goals. [B](#)
6. RORY, by Alan Shipnuck. (Avid Reader.) The many facets and contradictions of the life and career of the professional golfer Rory McIlroy.
7. CONCRETE BOTANY, by Joey Santore. (Cool Springs.) The host of the YouTube show and podcast “Crime Pays but Botany Doesn’t” explains how humans depend on plants to survive.
8. A WORLD APPEARS, by Michael Pollan. (Penguin Press.) The author of “This Is Your Mind on Plants” explores several perspectives on consciousness. [O](#) [B](#)
9. HOMESICK NOMAD, by Brianna Madia. (HarperOne.) The author of “Never Leave the Dogs Behind” navigates life decisions as she splits her time between the wild desert and suburbia.
10. PHASES, by Brandy with Gerrick Kennedy. (Hanover Square.) The actress and Grammy Award-winning musician shares some of her early struggles and her rise to fame. [B](#)
11. THE ANXIOUS GENERATION, by Jonathan Haidt. (Penguin Press.) A co-author of “The Coddling of the American Mind” looks at the mental health impacts that a phone-based life has on children. [H](#) [B](#)
12. THIS LAND IS YOUR LAND, by Beverly Gage. (Simon & Schuster.) The Pulitzer Prize–winning historian describes a road trip she took that evoked America’s past.
13. APPLE, by David Pogue. (Simon & Schuster.) The CBS “Sunday Morning” correspondent chronicles the first 50 years of the tech company.
14. THANK YOU, TEACHERS, by James Patterson and Matt Eversmann with Chris Mooney. (Little, Brown.) Stories about teachers working today. [O](#)
15. 1929, by Andrew Ross Sorkin. (Viking.) The New York Times journalist and CNBC host looks at the fight between Washington and Wall Street that fueled a historic crash of the stock market. [H](#) [B](#)

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