

# Advice, How-To and Miscellaneous

This Week	HARDCOVER	Weeks On List
1	<b>IT'S YOUR TIME</b> , by Joel Osteen. (Free Press, \$25.) Prayers, stories and tools for moving forward in Christian faith.	2 3
2	<b>DIVINE SOUL MIND BODY HEALING AND TRANSMISSION SYSTEM</b> , by Zhi Gang Sha. (Atria, \$27.99.) The divine way to heal. (†)	1 2
3	<b>GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS 2010</b> , edited by Craig Glenday. (Guinness, \$28.95.) Tallest, fastest, youngest, most.	3 10
4	<b>THE PIONEER WOMAN COOKS</b> , by Ree Drummond. (Morrow/HarperCollins, \$27.50.) Cowboy-tested recipes from the proprietor of ThePioneerWoman.com. (†)	4 4
5	<b>KNOCKOUT</b> , by Suzanne Somers. (Crown, \$25.99.) Advice and interviews with doctors offering innovative cancer treatments.	5 5
6	<b>ACT LIKE A LADY, THINK LIKE A MAN</b> , by Steve Harvey with Denene Millner. (Amistad/HarperCollins, \$23.99.) Tips on relationships from the comedian and host of "The Steve Harvey Morning Show."	7 43
7	<b>THE OZ PRINCIPLE</b> , by Roger Connors, Tom Smith and Craig Hickman. (Portfolio, \$24.95.) The role of personal and organizational accountability in getting business results. (†)	1
8	<b>THE LAST LECTURE</b> , by Randy Pausch with Jeffrey Zaslow. (Hyperion, \$21.95.) Thoughts on "seizing every moment," from a professor who died of cancer at age 47.	80
9	<b>THE SECRET</b> , by Rhonda Byrne. (Atria/Beyond Words, \$23.95.) The "Law of Attraction" as a key to getting what you want.	145
10	<b>AD HOC AT HOME</b> , by Thomas Keller. (Artisan, \$50.) The chef behind "The French Laundry Cookbook" serves up cozy dishes from his "casual" Ad Hoc restaurant.	9 3

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11	<b>GOOD EATS</b> , by Alton Brown. (Stewart, Tabori & Chang)
12	<b>JIM CRAMER'S GETTING BACK TO EVEN</b> , by James J. Cramer with Cliff Mason. (Simon & Schuster)
13	<b>SEEING IS BELIEVING</b> , by Ripley Entertainment Staff and Geoff Tibballs. (Ripley Entertainment)
14	<b>THE LEGO BOOK</b> , by Dorling Kindersley Publishing Staff. (DK)
15	<b>CRUSH IT!</b> , by Gary Vaynerchuk. (HarperStudio/HarperCollins)

This Week	PAPERBACK	Weeks On List
1	<b>NEW MOON</b> , by Mark Cotta Vaz. (Little, Brown, \$18.99.) The illustrated companion to the movie based on the second book in Stephenie Meyer's Twilight vampire romance series.	2 7
2	<b>WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN YOU'RE EXPECTING</b> , by Heidi Murkoff and Sharon Mazel. (Workman, \$14.95.) Advice for parents-to-be. (†)	1 438
3	<b>MORE DINERS, DRIVE-INS AND DIVES</b> , by Guy Fieri with Ann Volkwein. (Morrow/HarperCollins, \$19.99.) Another culinary road trip, with recipes.	5 3
4	<b>THE FIVE LOVE LANGUAGES</b> , by Gary Chapman. (Northfield, \$13.99.) How to communicate love in a way a spouse will understand.	3 121
5	<b>RACHAEL RAY'S BOOK OF 10</b> , by Rachael Ray. (Clarkson Potter, \$20.) Ray's top 10 recipes in a variety of categories, for everyday cooking.	4 3
6	<b>THE LOVE DARE</b> , by Stephen and Alex Kendrick with Lawrence Kimbrough. (B&H, \$14.99.) A 40-day challenge for spouses who want to practice unconditional love. (†)	7 61
7	<b>THE POWER OF NOW</b> , by Eckhart Tolle. (New World Library, \$14.) A guide to personal growth and spiritual enlightenment.	6 83
8	<b>SKINNY BITCH</b> , by Rory Freedman and Kim Barnouin. (Running Press, \$13.95.) Vegan diet advice from the world of modeling.	8 123
9	<b>DINERS, DRIVE-INS AND DIVES</b> , by Guy Fieri with Ann Volkwein. (Morrow/HarperCollins, \$19.95.) A road trip with recipes from the Food Network star: burgers in Sacramento; peanut pie in Virginia; more.	10 15
10	<b>HUNGRY GIRL 200 UNDER 200</b> , by Lisa Lillien. (St. Martin's Griffin, \$19.95.) Two hundred recipes with fewer than 200 calories, for breakfast, lunch, dinner and snack time.	9 32

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11	<b>THE PURPOSE-DRIVEN LIFE</b> , by Rick Warren. (Zondervan)
12	<b>A NEW EARTH</b> , by Eckhart Tolle. (Plume)
13	<b>BUY KETCHUP IN MAY AND FLY AT NOON</b> , by Mark Di Vincenzo. (Harper)
14	<b>BECOME A BETTER YOU</b> , by Joel Osteen. (Free Press)
15	<b>RICH DAD'S CONSPIRACY OF THE RICH</b> , by Robert T. Kiyosaki. (Business Plus)

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"How Did That  
Happen?" listing!



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2	<b>HOW DID THAT HAPPEN?</b> , by Roger Connors and Tom Smith. (Portfolio, \$26.95.) Principled methods of improving accountability in the workplace.	1	2	<b>WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN YOU'RE EXPECTING</b> , by Heidi Murkoff and Sharon Mazel. (Workman, \$14.95.) Advice for parents-to-be.(†)	1 424
3	<b>ACT LIKE A LADY, THINK LIKE A MAN</b> , by Steve Harvey with Denene Millner. (Amistad/HarperCollins, \$23.99.) Relationship tips from the comedian and host of "The Steve Harvey Morning Show."	1 29	3	<b>THE FIVE LOVE LANGUAGES</b> , by Gary Chapman. (Northfield, \$13.99.) How to communicate love in a way a spouse will understand.	4 107
4	<b>MASTER YOUR METABOLISM</b> , by Jillian Michaels with Mariska van Aalst. (Crown, \$26.) A weight-loss plan by a trainer from "The Biggest Loser" on NBC.	2 19	4	<b>THE LOVE DARE</b> , by Stephen and Alex Kendrick with Lawrence Kimbrough. (B&H, \$14.99.) A 40-day challenge for spouses who want to practice unconditional love.(†)	2 47
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7	<b>EXCUSES BEGONE!</b> , by Wayne W. Dyer. (Hay House, \$24.95.) How to throw out old excuses and embrace new ways of thinking to achieve happiness.(†)	5 12	7	<b>BECOME A BETTER YOU</b> , by Joel Osteen. (Free Press, \$15.) Seven keys to living with joy.	9 2
8	<b>GOT FIGHT?</b> , by Forrest Griffin with Erich Krauss. (Morrow/HarperCollins, \$23.99.) Advice and lore from Griffin, the mixed martial arts expert.	7 9	8	<b>COOK YOURSELF THIN</b> , by the staff of Lifetime Television. (Voice, \$19.99.) Strategies for cutting calories and improving health while continuing to eat the foods you love.	6 15
9	<b>THE TOTAL MONEY MAKEOVER</b> , by Dave Ramsey. (Nelson, \$24.99.) Attaining financial fitness with an honest approach to the way you handle money.	9 20	9	<b>THE POWER OF NOW</b> , by Eckhart Tolle. (New World Library, \$14.) A guide to personal growth and spiritual enlightenment.	76
10	<b>GAME PLAN FOR LIFE</b> , by Joe Gibbs with Jerry B. Jenkins. (Tyndale House, \$24.99.) A biblical playbook, from the former coach of the Washington Redskins football team.	6 4	10	<b>AMERICA'S MOST WANTED RECIPES</b> , by Ron Douglas. (Atria, \$15.) Favorite dishes, using "copycat" recipes, from Arby's, KFC, T.G.I. Friday's and many more.	3 3
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11	<b>THE 4-HOUR WORKWEEK</b> , by Timothy Ferriss. (Crown)		11	<b>A NEW EARTH</b> , by Eckhart Tolle. (Plume)	
12	<b>STRENGTHS BASED LEADERSHIP</b> , by Tom Rath and Barry Conchie. (Gallup)		12	<b>BRAIN RULES</b> , by John Medina. (Pear)	
13	<b>BAREFOOT CONTESSA BACK TO BASICS</b> , by Ina Garten. (Clarkson Potter)		13	<b>THE SOUTH BEACH DIET SUPERCHARGED</b> , by Arthur Agatston with Joseph Signorile. (St. Martin's Griffin)	
14	<b>WICKED PLANTS</b> , by Amy Stewart. (Algonquin)		14	<b>MARTHA STEWART'S CUPCAKES</b> , by the editors of Martha Stewart Living. (Clarkson Potter)	
15	<b>THE VIXEN MANUAL</b> , by Karrine Steffans. (Grand Central)		15	<b>HOW NOT TO ACT OLD</b> , by Pamela Redmond Satran. (Harper)	

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