

# Hardcover Nonfiction Bestsellers

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+ = owned by library

No.	Title	Weeks on List
1.	<a href="#">David and Goliath</a> by Malcolm Gladwell. Insightful anecdotes illustrate how underdogs and misfits gained advantage through adversity. +	11
2.	<a href="#">The Bully Pulpit</a> by Doris Kearns Goodwin. The relationship between Presidents Teddy Roosevelt, and William H. Taft and the muckracking press during their terms. +	6
3.	<b>Things That Matter</b> by Charles Krauthammer. A collection of columns covering three decades of politics from the Financial Times writer. <b>ON ORDER</b>	8
4.	<a href="#">I am Malala</a> by Malala Yousafzai. The story of the 15 year old Pakistani girl shot by the Taliban for standing up for her right to an education. +	10
5.	<b>Stitches</b> by Anne Lamott. A guide to finding emotional and spiritual meaning and peace after personal and public devastation. <b>ON ORDER</b>	7
6.	<b>Let Me Off at the Top!</b> By Ron Burgundy. The real man behind the desk of Will Ferrell's anchorman.	4
7.	<a href="#">One Summer: America, 1927</a> by Bill Bryson. A historical narrative of the year marked by the exploits of Charles Lindbergh, Babe Ruth and Al Capone. +	9
8.	<b>My Promised Land</b> by Ari Shavit. A look at the state of Israel through its defining conflicts and the author's personal history.	4
9.	<b>The Boys in the Boat</b> by Daniel James Brown. An underdog story of a scrappy U.S. Crew team competing for gold at the 1936.	21
10.	<a href="#">Killing Jesus</a> by Bill O'Reilly & Martin Dugard. The background of the life of Christ and events leading to his death. +	12

