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Published between Nov. 2009 and Nov. 2010.

April: Search for Wondla Tony DiTerlizzi	J Dit
April: Reckless Cornelia Funke	YA Funke, J Fun
Dan: Under the Dome Stephen King	F King
Dan and Robin: Horns Joe Hill	F Hill
Deb: Search Nora Roberts	F Roberts
Ellen: This Body of Death Elizabeth George	FM George
Gail: On the Blue Comet Rosemary Wells	J Wel
Michelle: The Ghost Writer Secret: Brixton Brothers Series Mac Barnett	J Bar
Jonathan: Monsters of Men Patrick Ness	YA Ness
Kevin: Twelfth Grade Kills Heather Brewer	YA Brewer
Rebecca: The Passage Justin Cronin	F Cronin
Rebecca: The Thin Executioner Darren Shan	YA Shan
Tiffany: Bread of Angels Stephanie Saldana	956.91 Sal
Tiffany: Packing for Mars Mary Roach	571.0919 Roa

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Top 100 available online

1. The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks
Rebecca Skloot 616.027 Skloot
2. Faithful Place
Tana French F French
3. Matterhorn: A novel of the Vietnam War
Karl Marlantes F Marlantes
4. Unbroken: A World War II Story
Laura Hillenbrand 940.54 Hil
5. The Warmth of Other Suns
Isabel Wilkerson 973.0496 Wil
6. Freedom
Jonathan Franzen F Franzen
7. The Girl Who Kicked the Hornet's Nest
Steig Larsson F Larsson
8. To the End of the Land
David Grossman*
9. Just Kids
Patti Smith B Smith
10. The Big Short
Michael Lewis 330.973 Lew

Library Journal

1. American Terroir
Rowan Jacobsen*
2. By Nightfall
Michael Cunningham*
3. Freedom
Jonathan Franzen F Franzen
4. How To Live, Or, a Life of Montaigne in One Question and Twenty Attempts at an Answer
Sarah Bakewell*
5. Room
Emma Donoghue F Donoghue
6. The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks
Rebecca Skloot 616.027 Skloot
7. The Passage
Justin Cronin F Cronin
8. The Tiger
John Vaillant 599.756 Vaillant
9. The Warmth of Other Suns
Isabel Wilkerson 973.0496 Wil
10. Walker Evans Decade by Decade
James Crump*

Publisher's Weekly

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1. A Visit from the Goon Squad
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2. Freedom
Jonathan Franzen F Franzen
3. Unbroken: A World War II Story
Laura Hillenbrand 940.54 Hil
4. The Surrendered
Chang-rae Lee*
5. The Big Short
Michael Lewis 330.973 Lew
6. The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks
Rebecca Skloot 616.027 Skloot
7. Just Kids
Patti Smith B Smith
8. Man in the Woods
Scott Spencer*
9. The Lonely Polygamist
Brady Udall*
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