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Nonfiction		
1.	The Age of Turbulence by Alan Greenspan (Penguin: \$35) The enigmatic former Fed chief explains and rates his economic actions, good and bad.	3
2.	The Nine by Jeffrey Toobin (Doubleday: \$27.95) The New Yorker reporter and legal eagle details the inner workings and politics of the U.S. Supreme Court.	3
3.	The Zookeeper's Wife by Diane Ackerman (W.W. Norton: \$24.95) How the Warsaw Zoo director and his wife tried to shelter Polish Jews during World War II.	5
4.	The Coldest Winter by David Halberstam (Hyperion: \$35) The late author charts the miscalculations that led to the Korean War and today's stalemate.	2
5.	The Dangerous Book for Boys by Conn and Hal Iggulden (HarperCollins: \$24.95) Learn how to tie knots, find true north and other essential skills.	22
6.	The Secret by Rhonda Byrne (Beyond Words: \$23.95) Life's secrets distilled from oral tradition, literature, religion and philosophy.	42
7.	The Day of Battle by Rick Atkinson (Henry Holt: \$35) How U.S. soldiers became a formidable fighting force in battles for Sicily and Italy.	1
8.	Giving by Bill Clinton (Knopf: \$24.95) The former president and now foundation head describes how giving our money and time can change the world.	
9.	My Grandfather's Son by Clarence Thomas (HarperCollins: \$26.95) The high court justice details his youth, early career and the battle for confirmation.	1
10.	Women Who Light the Dark by Paola Gianturco (PowerHouse: \$45) The photojournalist shows how women around the world work together.	1
11.	Louder Than Words by Jenny McCarthy (Dutton: \$23.95) A mother becomes a medical detective to find help for her autistic son.	3
12.	I Am America (and so Can You!) by Stephen Colbert (Grand Central: \$26.99) "The Colbert Report" star expounds on the forces destroying America.	1
13.	The World Without Us by Alan Weisman (Thomas Dunne: \$24.95) An eye-popping look at how our planet might fare if there were no people on it.	ç
14.	Look Me in the Eye by John Elder Robison (Crown: \$25.95) Augusten Burroughs' brother recounts his life with Asperger's syndrome.	1
15.	If Democrats Had Any Brains, They'd Be Republicans by Ann Coulter	1

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