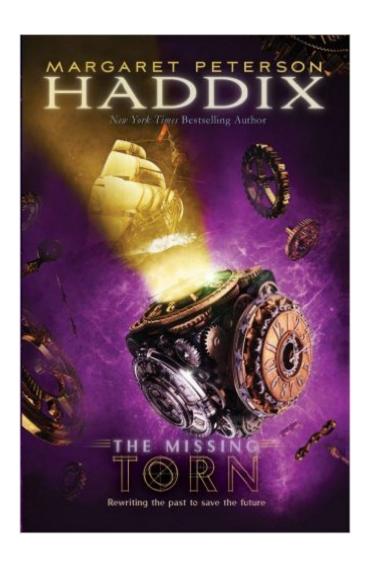
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Synopsis

Still reeling from their experiences in Roanoke in 1600, Jonah and Katherine arrive in 1611 only moments before a mutiny on Henry Hudsonâ TMs ship in the icy waters of James Bay. But things are messed up: theyâ TMve lost the real John Hudson, and they find what seems to be the fabled Northwest Passageâ "even though they are pretty sure that that route doesnâ TMt actually exist. Will this new version of history replace the real past? Is this the end of time as we know it? With more at stake than ever before, Jonah and Katherine struggle to unravel the mysteries of 1611 and the Hudson Passage...before everything they know is lost.

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Thirteen-year-old Jonah longs for a normal life again. Ever since he found out that he's part of a group of kidnapped babies snatched out of time, life has taken an adventurous turn. But helping return the kids to when and where they belong, and restoring history along the way, is dangerous work. Especially when the devious Second interferes while attempting to change history. And when Second requires their help, Jonah and his sister, Katherine, don't have much choice but to comply, if they want to see J.B. and their friends again, who are stranded in the year 1600. Jonah and Katherine quickly find themselves in 1611, stuck on a sailing vessel off the icy coast of Canada,

captained by the explorer Henry Hudson. And then it gets complicated. Captain Henry Hudson is searching for a passage to the Orient, but the crew is near starvation and talking mutiny. Henry's son, John, is one of the missing kids of time. In their other restoration adventures, Jonah, Katherine and the missing kid have tracers, the ghostly outline of what's supposed to happen, to help steer them in the right direction. Unfortunately, the siblings don't have John Hudson with them this time; he just happens to have gone missing again. So Jonah slips on a disguise and pretends to be the cabin boy, John. And then it gets even more complicated. Their Elucidator, a time traveler's communication and other apps tool, seems to be malfunctioning. Jonah and Katherine have no contact with J.B. or Second, no clue as to what to do, no idea if their actions are helping or hurting time. A mutiny breaks out on board, and the captain and a handful of sailors, including Jonah pretending to be John, are forced into a rowboat and left in the icy ocean to perish. Jonah and Katherine struggle to figure out what choices to make.

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