

THE MISTERY OF THE ISLAND

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Summary:

The story is about four men, a boy and a dog. They are in a balloon over the sea. Because the balloon is to heavy, they crash into the sea. Luckily there is an island near. They are all saved, but they can not find the dog and one man (Harding). They build a house and next day, the dog appears. He takes them to Harding. He is found unconscious and he can not remember how did he get to the cave, where he was found. The following day they go to hunt some animals, so that they can eat. They found a dead deer. At first, they think that the dog killed him, but then they find a bullet. All are very scarred and think that a ghost is on this island. They find a lake and a cave. They decide that this cave will be their new home. One night one side of the cave opens and they find a submarine and an old pirate named Noman. He is very sick and he is going to die. He wishes that, when he is dead, they launch the submarine. That is done. On the island there is also a volcano, which is ready to explode. The next day, when they wake up the island is full of lava. They think they are going to die, but a ship come and they are saved.

Characters:

- *Gideon Spillet* he is a good, very kind man. He is very brave and smart and many times he takes the command. What I like about him is that he often takes control of the situation and he does not loose his head.
- *Pencroft* he is also a good, kind man. He is a seaman. He's got a boy named Bob.

- **Bob** he is Pencroft's son. He is coward. I don't like that about him, but sometimes, it is got if you are scared.
- *Neb* he was Harding servant. He is black, brave very loyal. I appreciate that about him.
- *Harding* was a learned man. He was the bravest of all. I don't like him very much, because was "caring his head too high" (važen je bil).
- *dog Top* an ordinary dog.

What I liked about this book is that it is very funny. The story was good but the characters were a little unbelievable and also some of the incidents.

I recommend this book because it is very good. Not only that it is interesting and funny, yet there are some new words. I did not learn so many words then last time, but I had a lot more fun. Everybody who likes adventures, should read this book.