

Tonight on the Titanic
Magic Tree House Book 17



In *Tonight on the Titanic*, Jack and Annie travel back in time to the ill-fated ship, Titanic. Read this adventure to see how Jack and Annie save themselves.

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Vocabulary Words
Chapters 1 - 5

cabin - a small room where people sleep

captain - the person in charge of a ship

chilly - very cool or cold

cloak - a loose outer garment

column - a tall vertical structure

confusion - an inability to think or act clearly

deck - a floor-like platform

dome - a rounded, circular roof

elegant - attractive, graceful, stylish

emergency - a sudden crisis that demands action

fancy - decorative, not plain

freckles - brown spots on the skin, usually on the face

gasp - to inhale noisily with the mouth open

gaze - a long look

glisten - glittering or sparkling, shiny

glossy - smooth and shiny

grand - large in size or wonderful in appearance

gush - a sudden stream or fast flow

history - past events (hint: 'his story')

huge - large size or amount

iceberg - a large chunk of floating ice

international - between different countries

jolt - a sudden jerky movement

knapsack - a bag carried by a strap on the back or shoulder

leather - a material made from the hide or skin of an animal

life belt - a life preserver

lifeboat - a rescue boat on a ship kept for emergencies

liner - a large ship

lounge - a public room used for waiting or relaxing in

mission - a task

moment - a short time

nightgown - a loose dress worn by women or girls in bed

nightshirt - night clothes worn by men or boys

old-fashioned - out of fashion, antique

passenger - a traveler riding in a vehicle

poncho - a blanket-like cloak with a hole in the center for the head

preserve - to keep in perfect condition, to prevent death or decay

scamper - moving in a hurry

scruffy - shabby and untidy

silly - foolish

smokestack - a large tall chimney for smoke to escape

SOS - a call for help

stateroom - a room on a ship where people sleep

terrier - small breed of dog

titanic - huge and powerful; also the name of a ship that sank

trot - a fast walk or slow run

voyage - travel by water

weight - a feeling of heaviness

whimper - to cry weakly or softly

worried - to be concerned about something

Vocabulary Words by Chapter

Chapter 1

mission - a task

poncho - a blanket-like cloak with a hole in the center for the head

chilly - very cool or cold

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gasp - to inhale noisily with the mouth open

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whimper - to cry weakly or softly

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Chapter 2

old-fashioned - out of fashion, antique

cloak - a loose outer garment

deck - a floor-like platform

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smokestack - a large tall chimney for smoke to escape

liner - a large ship

voyage - travel by water

iceberg - a large chunk of floating ice

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preserve - to keep in perfect condition, to prevent death or decay

Chapter 3

titanic - huge and powerful; also the name of a ship that sank

gush - a sudden stream or fast flow

history - past events (hint: 'his story')

scamper - moving in a hurry

international - between different countries

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Chapter 1 "A New Mission" Pages 4 - 13

In *Tonight on the Titanic*, Jack and Annie travel back in time to a scary and sad adventure on the grand and 'unsinkable' *Titanic*. Will Jack and Annie be able to save anyone? Read about the strength and courage of the people aboard this tragic ship.

1. Where was Jack when Annie asked him to come to the tree house?

in the bathtub in bed at a sleep-over outside

2. What were Jack and Annie wearing on their way to the tree house?

raincoats pajamas play clothes ponchos over their pajamas

3. What time of day was it when they left for the tree house?

early morning afternoon dusk night

4. What did they find in the tree house?

a happy, frisky poodle a sad, scruffy terrier a brown teddy bear

5. What name did they give him?

Teddy Teddy Bear Morgan

6. Circle all the adjectives (words that describe) him.

cute ugly happy sad small large friendly scary

7. What was wrong with him?

he was under a spell he was lost he was sick

8. What do Jack and Annie need to do to help him?

bring him to an animal doctor find his owner receive 4 gifts

9. What did he do when Annie patted his head?

growled at her licked her hand bit her whimpered wagged his tail

10. What was the title of the book Annie picked up?

The Unsinkable Ship The Titanic The Lost Puppy The Master Librarian

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Spelling Chapter 1

Circle the correctly spelled word.

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|-----|----------|---------|---------|----------|
| 1. | mishion | mission | missun | misshun |
| 2. | ponchoe | pancho | poncho | panchoe |
| 3. | chilly | chilie | chily | chilee |
| 4. | glissen | glisten | glisen | glysten |
| 5. | gasp | gass | gasb | gaspe |
| 6. | terrior | terier | terior | terrier |
| 7. | scruffie | scrufy | scruffy | scruffee |
| 8. | wimper | whimpur | wimpir | whimper |
| 9. | gaze | gaz | gase | gayz |
| 10. | fansy | fancy | fancie | fensee |
| 11. | trott | trote | troot | trot |

Vocabulary Chapter 1

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|-----|-------------|----|--|
| 1. | ___ mission | A. | small breed of dog |
| 2. | ___ poncho | B. | shabby and untidy |
| 3. | ___ chilly | C. | very cool or cold |
| 4. | ___ glisten | D. | decorative, not plain |
| 5. | ___ gasp | E. | a task |
| 6. | ___ terrier | F. | to cry weakly or softly |
| 7. | ___ scruffy | G. | a blanket-like cloak with a hole in the
center for the head |
| 8. | ___ whimper | H. | glittering or sparkling, shiny |
| 9. | ___ gaze | I. | a fast walk or slow run |
| 10. | ___ fancy | J. | to inhale noisily with the mouth open |
| 11. | ___ trot | K. | a long look |