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Peter and the Sword of Mercy

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Barry, Dave and Pearson, Ridley. *Peter and the Sword of Mercy*. Illustrated by Greg Call. Hyperion Books, 2009. ISBN 9781423121343. \$18.99. 515 p.

Reviewer: Tessa McMillan

Reading Level: Intermediate, Young adult

Rating: Outstanding

Genre: Adventure stories; Fantasy fiction;

Subject: Peter Pan (Fictitious character) -- Juvenile fiction; Magic -- Juvenile fiction.

London (England) -- Juvenile fiction; Books--Reviews;

After an absence of twenty years, Peter Pan is called away again from Neverland to aid Molly and her daughter, Wendy, in stopping Lord Ombra from taking over the British throne. But while Peter is away, Ombra uses Captain Nerezza to steal the large amount of starstuff that was left in Neverland's water supply. Once Peter defeats Ombra, he returns to save his beloved Neverland again.

This is the final book in the Starcatchers series. Barry and Pearson have, again, woven a magical and suspenseful tale around the Peter Pan story. This book is a definite page-turner that will keep readers on the edge of their seats.

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