

PETER & MOLLY & TED & PRENTISS

PETER: Grab anything that looks like it'll float! We're gettin' outta here.

5 MOLLY: *(runs back on, checking her pulse and other vitals)* No — first, take me to the trunk. Remember the mission.

PETER: Forget the trunk — the trunk is safe. What we need is a raft!

MOLLY: It's not your decision, Peter. Protect the trunk — that's the mission!

10 PETER: You have to have it your way, don't you! *(A bright strong light blinks in their eyes.)* What is that — ?

PRENTISS: — blinking fierce —

From out on the Wasp, Aster signals Molly.

15 MOLLY: It's father! Father — oh, good! He's signaling me all the way from the Wasp!!

TED: What's it mean?

MOLLY: He's using Norse Code! It's Norse Code, everyone!

Prentiss starts laughing.

PRENTISS: Um — sorry — I think you mean Morse Code.

20 MOLLY: *(not amused)* Not Morse Code. Norse Code! From Norway. The ancient Viking signaling system.

PRENTISS: That's ridiculous.

PETER: What's he saying?

25 MOLLY: Unless I miss my guess, he's saying, "Marla bella furna seena heina furna." And then he says, "Un, gettsie Molly doozee blingen."

That's "First, take Molly to the trunk." "Coom heller high water."

That's "Remember the mission."

PETER: Very convenient.

MOLLY: "Un gettsie blingen doozee plakken." That's "Take the trunk down to the beach." "Marla bella furna" — "Father'll be there with the longboat." "Seena heina furna" — "We'll be" "heina furna" — um, "safe, if we can just get past the pirates and make it to the beach." "Den tooren inder flanken essen, neckon freska tudor! Nayben nay benessa, nay benanka, binta rubalenka sinkin-hookin keep de motor cookin, anka Danke, Papa." — "Love, Daddy."

Molly takes a proud, deep breath of linguistic expertise.

PRENTISS: Women are tricky, man.

PETER: I feel kinda stupid not knowing Norwegian.

MOLLY: It isn't a contest. Though, if it were, I'd win.