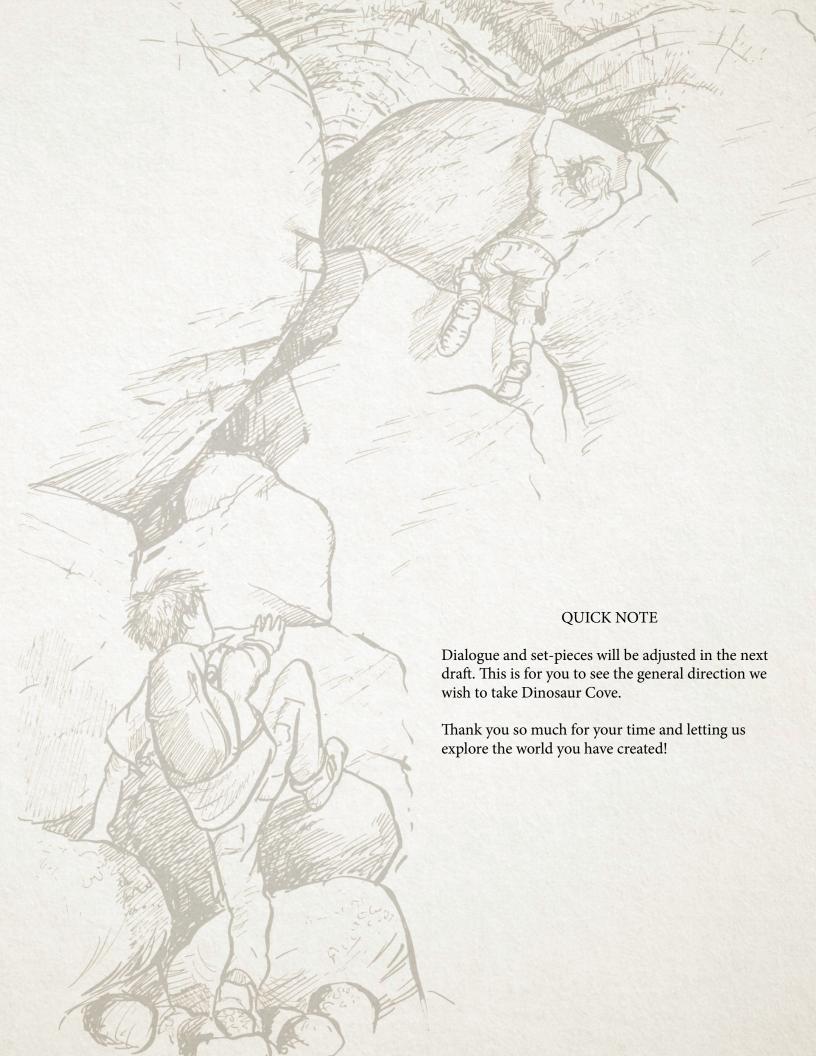


This is for the kids who grew up reading Dinosaur Cove and for ones who are soon about to!



DINOSAUR COVE

THE MOVIE

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BLACK...

A violent wave can be heard CRASHING on the beach.

Another swells up and crashes with a ROAR...

EXT. DINOSAUR COVE - MORNING

An endless beach. An old Lighthouse sits on a cliff overhead. We follow a brush quickly moving sand off an ivory object...

It's a fossil!

The eyes of our young archaeologist squint as she focuses. She has the look of a hunter, her name is JAMIE MORGAN.

The mound of sand begins slipping back on the fossil covering it up! Her eyes dart open.

JEREMY (O.S.)

Careful!

Jamie gives a look to her older brother, JEREMY MORGAN. He watches over her intently. His velociraptor fossil dangles from a necklace.

She drops the brush and begins pushing sand back frantically. She begins to dig with her hands around the skull of the fossil... It's big!

Jeremy's hands enter, quickly placing wood boards to block the sand from caving in. She glances up to Jeremy who has a big grin on his face.

She really impressed him!

RICHARD (O.S.)

Wow! Would you look at that!

Quickly coming down from the old wooden steps is their dad, RICHARD MORGAN.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Look at those teeth! Nice job Jeremy!

Richard sits down next to them.

JEREMY

Nope this was Jamie's. She's been working on it all morning.

RICHARD

(Turning to Jamie)

No...way!

Richard picks up Jamie swinging her in the air. He tickles her and she begins laughing uncontrollably.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Wait a minute... isn't someone's birthday today?

JAMIE

Mhm!

Jamie and Richard smile at Jeremy.

RICHARD

Did you give him eighteen birthday noogies?

Jamie shakes her head smiling.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Well you have to step it up missy. So what dinosaur did you dig up?

JAMIE

Uhhhh... I don't know...

RICHARD

Well that's a problem isn't it? What if I told you Jeremy could figure it out right now?

JEREMY

Dad, I don't know it either...

Richard pulls out a wrapped present.

RICHARD

I was going to give this to you later...

Richard hands over the present to Jeremy.

He excitedly tears open the packaging and stops. Jamie can't see the gift, all she can see is Jeremy's massive smile.

Jeremy opens the box and pulls out a small, red, handheld device. Jamie squeezes next to him to see.

His right thumb clicks the side button and the plastic face flips open revealing a screen. On the screen reads: FOSSIL FINDER

JEREMY

It's a Fossil Finder 2000! This is the coolest!

RICHARD

Well, give it a try!

Jeremy holds the device over the skull of the fossil and presses the scan button.

The device begins BEEPING as it thinks.

FOSSIL FINDER

One moment please...

Jeremy looks to his dad with excitement. Jamie is glued to the screen.

The device RINGS.

FOSSIL FINDER (CONT'D)

This is a fish from the late cretaceous period... the Xiphactinus. It could grow anywhere from 15 feet to 20 feet long!

JAMIE

Cooool.

Jeremy leans over and hugs his dad.

JEREMY

Love you dad.

Richard smiles and looks down at the fossil.

RICHARD

Alright, let's start moving this fish!

EXT. LIGHTHOUSE - LATER

The sun outlines the old lighthouse above the beach. The white paint coat is pretty worn from past storms. On the front porch is an old man doing crossword puzzles in a rocking chair. It's Jamie's Grandfather, we'll know him as GRANDPA.

Jamie runs past Grandpa almost knocking into him.

JAMIE

Sorry Grandpa!

He smiles and gets back to doing his crossword.

He hears STOMPING and he jumps back.

Richard and Jeremy are carrying a big blue tarp that is full of sand. They almost knock into Grandpa too.

RICHARD

Sorry dad!

INT. BASEMENT MUSEUM - CONTINUOUS

Jamie turns on the light. Shelves of dinosaur bones cover the walls with pictures of different dinosaurs.

Richard and Jeremy enter carrying the tarp and gently place it on the table.

Grandpa follows with his newspaper.

GRANDPA

Wow! That's a big one!

Jeremy excitedly picks up one of the bones in the sand and inspects it.

RICHARD

Forgetting something?

Jeremy's eyes dart open.

JEREMY

My fossil finder!

He runs up the stairs.

Jamie puts on her glasses and begins sifting through the sand. Richard grabs a magnifying glass.

GRANDPA

So how long are you gonna keep Mary waiting?

Richard glances at his watch.

RICHARD

Five thirty! Oh man, I'm running late!

GRANDPA

So when's she becoming part of the family?

Richard runs up the stairs.

RICHARD

Maybe if I arrive on time tonight!

Jamie gives Grandpa a smile.

EXT. DINOSAUR COVE - CONTINUOUS

Waves crash. Water splashes in the air. Jeremy runs across the beach. He grabs his fossil finder by the dig site.

He brushes off the sand and begins walking back.

A long GROWL echoes from behind him.

He stops in the sand and turns around.

A dark cave sits in the front of him. He approaches the cave entrance and tries to peer in.

Jeremy picks up a small pebble and chucks it in.

A LONG MOANING GROWL echoes.

Jeremy winces, then smiles.

He sees something.

INT. LIGHTHOUSE KITCHEN - NIGHT

The open windows let in a cool night breeze. Jamie and Grandpa are washing dishes.

GRANDPA

I wonder where you're brother went off too?

Jamie shrugs.

GRANDPA (CONT'D)

Hmmm. Have you met Mary's son yet?

Jamie shakes her head.

GRANDPA (CONT'D)

He's supposed to be quite the little guy. It would be fun to have a younger brother right?

Jamie shrugs.

GRANDPA (CONT'D)

So you lost your voice huh? Can't talk.

Jamie shrugs.

GRANDPA (CONT'D)

Sometimes feelings can stay inside if you don't talk. Just try to say something every now and then.

JAMIE

Okay.

GRANDPA

Oh my goodness! She speaks!

Jamie smiles.

INT. JAMIE'S BEDROOM - LATER

Dinosaur toys and toy spaceships cover Jamie's room. She is getting ready for bed. Suddenly, RUNNING FOOTSTEPS can be heard up her stairs.

Jamie turns to see Jeremy run into his room.

She peaks through her door to see him panting and covered in dirt.

He is packing a bag.

INT. JEREMY'S ROOM - CONTINUOUS

Jeremy is frantically packing nets, rope and throwing on a jacket. Jamie, wearing her pajamas, creeks through the door. Jeremy barely notices.

JAMIE

Why are you so dirty?

Jeremy glances at his shirt and packs a compass in his bag.

JEREMY

I slipped in some mud.

JAMIE

What mud? Why are you packing?

Jeremy packs his pocket knife.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Where are you going?

Jeremy glances up at Jamie with a look that's as excited as he is worried. He starts zipping up his bag and walking out of his room.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

(defeated)

Please tell me.

Jeremy stops. He looks up and down the hall and closes the door.

JEREMY

(whispering)

Okay... but you can't tell anyone this.

Jeremy unzips his bag and pulls out a claw. He hands it to Jamie with a grin on his face.

It looks like one of the fossils they found but this one is different...

It looks pure white...

like it wasn't a fossil at all...

Its BRAND NEW...

Jamie's eyes widen.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

It's crazy. I just was wandering and I found this place... You wouldn't believe me..

JAMIE

What is it? Tell me.

JEREMY

Dinosaurs...

Jamie sits still.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Real. Live. Dinosaurs.

JAMIE

Is this one of your jokes?

JEREMY

No! It's real!

JAMIE

Then take me!

JEREMY

No it's too dangerous.

Jamie looks down, bummed out. She sits on his messy bed.

JAMIE

(worried)

If it's so dangerous, why don't you wait.

JEREMY

I want to bring something back.

She doesn't want him to go.

Jeremy looks around the room. He pulls off his velociraptor necklace from around his neck.

He places it over Jamie's neck. She looks down and inspects it.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Now promise you'll take care of it.

JAMIE

Okay.

JEREMY

And I promise to take you to the dinosaurs one day. Deal?

JAMIE

(Smiling)

Deal.

They hug.

Jeremy grabs his T-rex cap and runs down the stairs.

Jamie looks down at the velociraptor claw on her necklace. She hears the door close and looks out the window to see Jeremy running outside.

He turns to see Jamie and waves.

She waves back.

She grabs her jacket ready to join then pauses...

He runs across the beach into the dark...

INT. JAMIE'S BEDROOM

Sunlight bleeds through the windows onto Jamie's bed.

RICHARD (O.S.)

Jeremy! Get up!

Jamie covers her ears.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Jeremy! C'mon we gotta work on the

car

FOOTSTEPS come up the stairs.

Jamie begins to sit up.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Jeremy! I said--

A door is heard SWINGING open.

Jamie climbs out of bed.

FOOTSTEPS THUMP around. There's a KNOCKING at her door.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Hey honey, can I come in?

JAMIE

Yup!

RICHARD

Have you seen Jeremy?

Jamie shakes her head.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

It's weird, his shoes are gone, he isn't on the beach, and the car is still out front.

Jamie starts brushing her hair.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Did he say anything?

JAMIE

He said he wanted to check on something last night...

RICHARD

Last night?

GRANDPA (O.S.)

(yelling)

Bacon's ready!

Jamie goes running out of the room.

RICHARD

Hey isn't that Jeremy's necklace?

Jamie has already run down the stairs.

INT. KITCHEN - LATER

Jamie is eating bacon with Grandpa. Richard stares off the porch with his binoculars.

GRANDPA

Rich! Breakfast is getting cold!

Richard walks in the kitchen and sits down.

RICHARD

I'm sorry guys. I just don't know where he could go.

GRANDPA

Maybe it's Katarina?

RICHARD

Dad, he hasn't dated Katarina since the eighth grade.

Richard takes a bite out of his bacon.

He stops chewing and points his bacon at Jamie.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

(With a mouthful)

You don't think he would've gone in those caves do ya?

Jamie looks concerned.

JAMIE

What if he did?

Richard looks over to Grandpa.

GRANDPA

He knows better than that.

A beat of silence.

JAMIE

What if he did?...

RICHARD

The caves flood overnight honey.

Jamie loses her breath a bit.

KNOCK. KNOCK.

GRANDPA

Who's that?

KNOCK. KNOCK.

RICHARD

Yeah who is it?

Richard leaves the table. Jamie looks to Grandpa who looks concerned.

A SILENCE seems to grow.

Jamie leaves the kitchen.

EXT. FRONT PORCH - CONTINUOUS

The screen door rattles in its frame. Jamie opens the door and sees their neighbor, KURT. He's in his fishing gear, soaked head to toe. Richard is holding something.

KURT

I just found it a mile out at sea.

Jamie sees what Richard is holding...

It's Jeremy's backpack.

KURT (CONT'D)

I thought I'd return it to him. Where is--

RICHARD

Did you see hi-him...?

Kurt's eyes widen. He realizes what has happened.

Jamie is frozen.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Kurt, have you seen my boy?

EXT. LIGHTHOUSE PORCH - NIGHT

Police cover the beach. Grandpa and Jamie sit on the porch holding each other.

JAMIE

Grandpa... I have to tell you something...

GRANDPA

What is it?

JAMIE

It's my fault. I knew it was too late for him to leave..

GRANDPA

Honey... you can't blame yourself.

A POLICE OFFICER walks Richard up the stairs. Richard is shaking.

Grandpa gets up and comforts Richard.

The three of them talk from afar. Jamie glances from them to her necklace.

A rush of cold wind hits Jamie who begins to shake.

Another police officer runs up the stairs.

Jamie looks off the porch to see the police officers gathering around the cave entrance.

POLICE OFFICER

We found something...

Grandpa and Richard turn around. Jamie walks over to them. Her breath quickens.

POLICE OFFICER (CONT'D)

We found it in the cave...

The police officer hands Richard an old T-rex cap.

Richard turns and pushes his head into Grandpa's shoulder.

Jamie stands frozen gripping her velociraptor necklace.

EXT. BEACH ROAD - DAY

From the sky we see that a car is driving along the cliffside. The car drives past a tree with an old paper stapled to it. It reads: MISSING: JEREMY MORGAN

A title card:

2 YEARS LATER

The car drives along the windy road.

The MUSIC from an old 8 bit video game fills the atmosphere.

CUT TO:

INT. MINIVAN - CONTINUOUS

The minivan is packed with supplies but still somehow clean. Our nervous driver is MARY CLAY. She looks questionably at a sign as she passes it. She glances at her messy passenger, her son, TOMMY CLAY. His face is buried in a gameboy color.

MARY

You know you're gonna get car sick and you're gonna be the one to clean it up.

TOMMY

Worth it.

Mary glances at another sign.

MARY

I think we're almost at our turn. Now what are you gonna say to her?

Tommy shrugs.

MARY (CONT'D)

C'mon honey. I'm kinda nervous here.

YMMOT

Don't call me honey.

MARY

Only if you promise not to mess this up. I know you.

TOMMY

I'll be nice.

MARY

Mhm... well, just make sure you don't mention anything about her brother okay?

TOMMY

I'm not an idiot!

Mary pulls the car to a stop. She pulls the gameboy out of Tommy's hands.

Tommy is shocked.

MARY

Don't act all surprised, I told you I would.

Mary continues the drive.

Tommy pouts staring out the window.

He spots a colossal beach and a really neat Lighthouse.

His face smooshes against the window.

He spots someone on the beach digging in the sand.

EXT. DINOSAUR COVE - CONTINUOUS

Jamie is walking down the beach with her shovel. She presses a button on her portable cd player and put her headphone on.

She digs along a trench and adjusts the wooden planks on her own.

We crane up to reveal a new fossil underneath her.

She reaches into an old beat up bag next to her. It has stitching across the back: Jeremy

She pulls out the Fossil Finder. It's covered in dirt now.

She flicks it open, resulting in sand flying off in different directions. She brushes it off and scans the fossil.

It begins BEEPING.

She spots a car driving up her driveway.

She rolls her eyes.

Surrounding Jamie is remnants of multiple digs across the beach. She has been keeping herself busy.

She unzips another pocket and pulls out a brush. She begins brushing the sand off the fossil.

A car door CLOSES.

Jamie glances back to see Tommy waving to her from a distance.

She rolls her eyes and continues brushing.

RICHARD (O.S.)

Jamie!

Jamie glances up to see Mary, Tommy, Richard and Grandpa waiving to her.

She pulls headphones off and climbs out of the hole.

EXT. LIGHTHOUSE PORCH - CONTINUOUS

Richard has his arm around Mary. Tommy is walking along the porch and picks up binoculars. He begins looking through them. Grandpa is busy attempting to fold his newspaper.

RICHARD

(to Tommy)

You know my dad grew up in this lighthouse. It's pretty old!

GRANDPA

Eh not that old!

TOMMY

What's with all the holes on the beach?

RICHARD

Jamie dug those! There are tons of fossils in this area. That's why it has the nickname Dinosaur Cove.

TOMMY

Sweet! Can I start digging mom?

MARY

Maybe you should ask Jamie first...

From the STOMPING up the stairs one could've thought a line backer was walking up. Jamie's head appears from the stairwell with a bag of items.

Mary nudges Tommy.

TOMMY

(Stretching out hand)
Hey Jamie. Nice to meet--

Jamie walks past the group without looking.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

--you...

Richard sighs rubbing his eyes.

GRANDPA

Sorry Tommy... Jamie just is just having a rough day.

Tommy walks into the CREAKY Lighthouse.

INT. KITCHEN - CONTINUOUS

Tommy walks in to see Jamie pouring cereal in a bowl and walking downstairs to the basement.

Tommy looks around and follows.

INT. BASEMENT MUSEUM - CONTINUOUS

Tommy walks down the old wooden steps. The air is moist and thick. Christmas lights hang from the ceiling. Dinosaur fossils and statues cover the walls.

IT'S A DINOSAUR MUSEUM!

Tommy is blown away.

TOMMY

You have your own dinosaur museum!?

Jamie glances up, she has a magnifying glass attached to her glasses. She rolls her eyes and continues working.

Tommy walks around the room. His eyes are glued on each dinosaur model.

In the description of each dinosaur fossil is a polaroid of the digger that day.

Tommy stops at a partial T-rex skull. He looks down at the dusty picture of Jeremy and Jamie standing by the fossil.

JAMIE

(without looking)

Don't touch anything.

Tommy nods with his eyes still glued to his surroundings.

He wanders to the table where Jamie is working. He spots the Fossil Finder sitting in her bag.

Without thinking he picks it up. He flips it over to see Jeremy's name carved in the back.

He clicks the button on the side and the plastic cover FLIPS open.

It begins BEEPING loudly.

TOMMY

Is this the Fossil Finder 2000!?

He looks up excitedly to Jamie's enraged face. The magnifying glasses expand her eyes.

Tommy is startled. He cautiously closes the plastic cover and gently puts it down.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

(awkwardly)

My bad.

Beat.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Do you need any help?

JAMIE

No.

TOMMY

I don't have to touch anything. I could help write things down like your assistant!

Jamie takes off her magnifying glass headset.

JAMIE

The next 3 weeks will go much faster if you just hang with your mom.

She grabs her bag and walks upstairs leaving Tommy alone.

INT. DINING ROOM - NIGHT

The open windows let in cool ocean air. Rain can be heard outside. Richard sits inspecting the wooden table top. It's clear he hasn't sat at the table in a long time. On either side of him is Jamie and Tommy. They are glaring at each other.

Richard is about to break the ice when--

MARY (O.S.)

Who's ready for dinner?

Mary enters placing a plate of baked salmon and vegetables on the table.

GRANDPA (O.S.)

Mary is quite the chef!

Grandpa enters with more dishes.

GRANDPA (CONT'D)

Does anyone want any extra mango from this morning?

MARY

Sorry Tommy is really allergic. That's why he has an EpiPen.

Grandpa makes a nervous face. Tommy closes his eyes in embarrassment.

MARY (CONT'D)

Tommy have you seen their dinosaur museum?

Tommy nods.

GRANDPA

(to Jamie and Tommy)

You two should go digging tomorrow morning.

Grandpa turns to see Richard giving him an annoyed look.

The tension is high.

Tommy looks up at Jamie with hopeful eyes.

It's enough.

JAMIE

(under her breath)

No.

Tommy's head sinks back in. Mary doesn't feel prepared to step in.

RICHARD

Jamie, you could just show him around on the beach.

JAMIE

No.

Her mind is about to snap.

MARY

Rich, it's not a big deal.

RICHARD

Jamie, you said you would try...
Maybe--

Snap.

JAMIE

No! I don't want him touching my things!

RICHARD

Honey, please...

JAMIE

I don't want another brother!

SILENCE.

Jamie realizes what she has said. She follows through and leaves the table.

Richard follows her out to the porch.

Tommy hangs his head down. Grandpa pats his back.

GRANDPA

It's just a process for all of us.

Grandpa looks up to Mary who is wearing tired smile.

EXT. LIGHTHOUSE PORCH - CONTINUOUS

Jamie bundles herself outside. The wind chimes DANCE around faster and faster. Richard walks out the front door and approaches Jamie.

RICHARD

Jamie?

Jamie refuses to turn around.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

I never said your brother was going to be replaced.

Richard turns to the window and spots Mary and Grandpa talking.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

But we have to move on.

Jamie turns around.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

We have to move on with our lives. That's what he would've wanted. Mary and Tommy lost someone too.

Richard bends down to her level.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

I haven't seen you smile in so long. We need to let others in.

JAMIE

You're giving up on him.

RICHARD

What? Jamie it's been 2 years.

JAMIE

You're giving up!

RICHARD

Jamie, we are having a funeral for him.

Beat.

JAMIE

(stunned)

What?

RICHARD

Part the reason why Mary and Tommy are here is for his funeral.

The rain pours down heavier than before.

THUNDER ECHOS across the ocean.

Jamie is tearing up. Richard gently hugs her. She doesn't even lift her arms.

She spots her fossil on the beach covered in water.

JAMIE

My fossil!

Jamie pushes him off and runs down the steps.

EXT. DINOSAUR COVE - CONTINUOUS

The rain is pouring down. Jamie runs down the steps tripping over herself.

JAMIE

No!

Jamie runs across the beach. Lightning reveals the fossil she was digging up is completely underwater as well as her bag.

Jamie climbs in the hole and attempts to scoop out the water.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

NO!

Jamie pulls the bag out of the water. She checks the Fossil Finder.

Its green light is still flashing, she puts it back in the bag.

She collapses on the sand and begins to cry.

Lightning flashes revealing the letters stitched into the bag: JEREMY

JAMIE (CONT'D)

(to the bag)

Why did you have to go!?

The bag sits collecting rain.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Why did you have to leave me!?

We get a close up on Jeremy's name.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Just give me a sign you're here.

Lightning flashes followed by a CRACK of thunder.

Jamie slowly gets up and walks towards the Lighthouse.

A subtle BEEP is heard under the rain.

Jamie turns around.

BEEP.

She slowly approaches the bag.

BEEP.

She opens it and pulls out the Fossil Finder. She flicks open the panel. It reads: LAST LOCATION REGISTERED

Underneath is a map of all the spots along the beach she scanned fossils.

But something is off...

There's a dot in the ocean...

She clicks on it...

FOSSIL FINDER
DINOSAUR SCANNED: WANNANOSAURUS...
2 YEARS AGO.

Jamie looks across the ocean and starts walking to the shoreline.

A flash of lightning whips across the sky revealing an island. It disappears into the dark with a CRACK of thunder.

She can't believe it. She keeps watching.

Another flash of lightning reveals the island is really close.

She glances back down to the digital map showing the dot in the ocean.

Jamie excitedly grabs her bag and heads to the Lighthouse!

INT. JAMIE'S BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

The door bursts open activating the bedside lamp. Jamie runs into her room, her shoes SQUEAK across the wood floor. She begins packing a bag similar to how Jeremy did.

She pops in new batteries in the Fossil Finder and slides it in the inside pocket of her denim jacket.

For first time in awhile she feels a grin on her face.

INT. LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

The porch light reveals Tommy sleeping on the couch. Jamie comes running down the stairs, she grabs the boat keys and pauses.

She kneels next to the couch.

JAMIE

(whispering)

Hey Tommy!

Tommy doesn't budge.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

(whispering louder)

Tommy!

She shakes him. Tommy darts his head up. His hair is a mess and only one of his eyes is open.

TOMMY

What?

JAMIE

Shhh!

TOMMY

(whispering)

What?

JAMIE

Can you start a boat?

TOMMY

What boat?

JAMIE

My dad's. It's a--

TOMMY

You're running away from home!?

Jamie cups her hand over his loud mouth.

JAMIE

No! I just need you to start the BOAT! I'll be by the pier.

She leaves out the front door.

Tommy blinks in confusion watching her leave.

EXT. LIGHTHOUSE PIER - LATER

The rain sprinkles across the wooden sailboat. Tommy is running down the pier all dressed with a backpack. Jamie is preoccupied staring into the dark sky.

The island is gone...

She flicks open the Fossil Finder. The location is fading.

There isn't much time.

TOMMY

This is a really nice boat!

Jamie turns around.

JAMIE

So can you start it?

Tommy realizes he's needed for once in his life.

TOMMY

Oh yeah! You got the keys?

Jamie points to the keys already in it.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Oh! Right! Does it have gas?

JAMIE

Just start it!

TOMMY

Okay!

Tommy begins flipping random switches back and forth. It's clear he doesn't know what he's doing.

JAMIE

We're losing the island!

TOMMY

What island? There's nothing out there!

The rain begins coming down harder.

Jamie is losing her cool and gives him an infuriated glare.

Tommy gets the hint and tugs at on the start cable.

The cable yanks back...VVVVVRrrr.

Nothing.

Jamie glances up to the Lighthouse and catches a bedroom light turn on.

Tommy stretches out his right arm and grips the start cable again.

VVVVVRrrr.

Nothing.

JAMIE

Hurry up!

TOMMY

I'm trying!

JAMIE

Aren't you supposed to choke it or something?

TOMMY

Oh yeah!

Another light turns on in the Lighthouse.

VVVVRRRRRRR!!

The boat comes to life!

Tommy floors it off the pier.

INT. BOAT - CONTINUOUS

The little boat moves across the ocean. They bounce up and down on the violent waves. Tommy wipes the water off his face.

TOMMY

Which direction?

Jamie flips open the Fossil Finder and spots the faint dot.

JAMIE

(points out)

That way!

Tommy steers the boat. Jamie gets one last look at the Lighthouse as it disappears into the fog leaving only a warm swirling light.

TOMMY

I don't see an island!

JAMIE

Hang on!

TOMMY

Are you sure you saw something? It's so dark maybe--

JAMIE

I saw it! Just let me find it.

The map is now showing a large land mass ahead. Dinosaur Cove slowly fades away from the digital map...

She turns around to see the Lighthouse disappear in the rain.

Before she can say anything the rain stops.

Out of the fog is a green covered land mass. The sun is cresting over the other side of it.

Jamie and Tommy are speechless.

TOMMY

I thought you said this was an island...

She looks to either side. It seems to stretch for awhile.

Jamie smiles to herself.

JAMIE

(to herself)

I made it, Jeremy.

EXT. BEACH - DAWN

The early morning sunlight is already burning off the fog. Green trees spread across the beach. A little boat is being tugged onto the beach by Jamie and Tommy.

Jamie throws on her backpack and checks the Fossil Finder.

Tommy wrings out his soaked socks. He pulls out a bandana and ties it around his neck. Jamie laughs when she sees it.

JAMIE

(teasing)

Is that a Boyscout bandana?

TOMMY

Yeah, it's my only one.

Jamie looks back to her Fossil Finder.

JAMIE

I don't get where it should be.

TOMMY

I can help! I got a badge for tracking lost campers.

JAMIE

(without looking up)

No, I'm good.

They are slowly approaching the forest. Tommy spots something and walks deeper in the trees.

Tommy inspects six giant eggs in a nest bigger than him.

TOMMY

Wa-What kind of animal lays eggs this big?

Jamie approaches the nest and looks around at more nests.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I'm gonna get a picture!

Tommy pulls out his Kodak disposable camera and climbs in the nest.

JAMIE

Tommy, let's go.

He trips and his foot slides into an egg, cracking it open.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

What did you do!?

TOMMY

I'm sorry, I think I broke one!

JAMIE

You think!? Just get out of there!

Something big STOMPS in the distance.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

C'mon!

TOMMY

I'm trying! It's so muddy!

Jamie reaches and pulls him out. Tommy's feet knock over another egg.

STOMPS grow louder. Jamie skims the forest for the animal.

JAMIE

Let's get out of here.

They run through the trees. Tommy slips in the mud again.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

C'mon!

Tommy gets up and keeps looking back in what he slipped in...

It's a massive footprint.

Bigger than his whole body.

EXT. FOREST - LATER

Insects BUZZ throughout the wet forest. Jamie is leading with her head buried in her Fossil Finder. Tommy is blown away by everything he sees.

TOMMY

Jamie! Look at that plant! It looks like it's from an alien planet!

Jamie doesn't look.

Tommy runs ahead and picks up an odd, apricot-like fruit off the ground.

He gives it a smell.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Gnarly! Jamie smell this!

JAMIE

I can smell it from here.

Tommy walks over to her.

TOMMY

No, you have to really smell it!

Jamie leans in and sniffs.

Immediately she squints her face.

JAMIE

Gross.

Jamie looks curiously at the fruit.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Hold on!

She holds the Fossil Finder over the fruit.

Beep! Beep!

FOSSIL FINDER

One moment please...

The device rings.

FOSSIL FINDER (CONT'D)

This is a Ginkgo Biloba. Still found today, but once found everywhere in the late cretaceous period...

TOMMY

Neat!

Jamie plucks a few and puts them in a ziplock bag.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Gross. What are doing?

JAMIE

(without looking)

Could be a snack I guess.

Jamie continues the walk.

Tommy slides on some old Ginkgo fruit on the ground. He looks down at his slimy sneakers then up at Jamie.

TOMMY

Hey could I see the Fossil Finder?

Jamie looks at Tommy, unsure of whether to trust him and hands it over.

Tommy pinches on the map zooming in and out.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

It looks like the dot is just up ahead!

JAMIE

It's still kinda--

TOMMY

It's so close!

Tommy runs ahead and trips. He starts sliding down the side of the hill!

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Jamie!!

Ahead of him is open air.

He's rushing to a cliffside!

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Jamie! Ah!

EXT. CLIFFSIDE - CONTINUOUS

Tommy's hands catch a branch with his tip toes barely touching the edge of the cliff.

Tommy takes a breath of relief.

The branch starts to SNAP!

TOMMY

Uh oh.

The branch SNAPS!

Tommy YELLS!

Jamie slides in and grabs his backpack.

He's dangling off the cliff.

Tommy's eyes are closed and his feet are kicking. He's still YELLING.

His toes barely touch the wall. He turns to see Jamie holding him and another branch.

A smile stretches across his teary face. His eyes open wide as he's pulled to safety.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I could've died!

Jamie's eyes move from Tommy to something else behind him.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

What are you looking...

A pack of huge birds are flying towards them...

They're not birds...

They're Pterodactyls!

TOMMY (CONT'D)

...at...

Under the Pterodactyls is a herd of dinosaurs. They are all herbivores drinking from the pond below.

The HEAVY MOANS come from the Brachiosaurus.

The Hadrosaurids BELLOW to one another.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I'm so close...

Tommy reaches out his hand.

A SQUAWK echoes louder and louder.

A flock of Pterodactyls shoot up from under the cliffside into the sky.

Tommy freaks out and falls back on Jamie.

Beat.

They both sit by the cliff staring at the dinosaurs.

Jamie looks through her binoculars. Tommy's face hasn't changed.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

So did we go back in time?

JAMIE

I don't know.

TOMMY

Or is it some island that hasn't been found yet!?

JAMIE

I don't know! Jeremy just told me about this place.

TOMMY

Hmmm... so can we touch them?

JAMIE

I think so!

TOMMY

So why are we just sitting here!?

They begin climbing back up to the path.

EXT. FOREST PATH - LATER

Jamie and Tommy walk along the path. Tommy is being more cautious where he steps. The sun streaks through the leaves above their heads. Tommy has his backpack flipped over his chest so he can eat potato chips from it.

TOMMY

(mouthful)

It's so hot in the Jurassic Period.

JAMIE

Actually I think this is the Cretaceous Period.

TOMMY

Oh yeah, totally. So what are the dangerous dinosaurs in the Createrous Period?

JAMIE

A lot actually.

Tommy slows down and looks around the trees surrounding him.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Hey, look! Dinosaur footprints!

They both look down at very small prints on the ground.

Something moves in the bushes ahead...

YMMOT

Awe, it must be a cute little guy!

Tommy approaches the bushes.

JAMIE

Let's be careful.

TOMMY

It's probably just a baby--

Something dashes across the bushes in front of him.

BANG!

The tree ahead of him shakes. Tommy shrinks down, excitement has left his face.

JAMIE

(whispers)
Get back here!

Tommy turns and nods. He begins walking back.

Something HONKS next to him.

Tommy freezes and looks into the bush.

Something is definitely there!

The HONKING grows louder and LOUDER! Something begins charging directly towards Tommy!

TOMMY

AHHHHHHH!

It springs out from the bush pouncing on Tommy knocking him to the ground.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

AHHHHH! NO!

The creature's head is eating off his chest.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

WHY!? AHHH! HELP!

Jamie rolls her eyes at Tommy. He looks up at the green dinosaur staring inches from his face.

It's eating the Ginkgo fruit in his backpack.

JAMIE

Get up, you baby.

Tommy gets to his feet. The green dinosaur exchanges looks between both of them. It's about 4 feet tall and has big eyes.

Jamie can't believe it, the dinosaur seems to be wagging it's tail in excitement.

She takes out her Fossil Finder and scans the face of the dinosaur.

BEEP. BEEP. The dinosaur stares curiously at the device.

FOSSIL FINDER

Wannanosaurus. An herbivore from the late cretaceous period... It used its hard skull to defend against predators.

TOMMY

So it's a tree predator!

JAMIE

Well no it's--

TOMMY

Can we name him?

JAMIE

We should probably keep going. It's going to get dark soon.

TOMMY

His name should be Wanna!

JAMIE

C'mon let's...

Jamie spots something hanging off it's neck.

It's a necklace with a tooth on it. Just like the one Jeremy gave her!

Jamie slowly approaches the dinosaur and kneels down to his height. She inspects the necklace and pulls her's out.

TOMMY

Woah...

Nearly identical.

JAMIE

Have you seen Jeremy?

Wanna tilts his head.

TOMMY

What are you doing? Wanna can't talk.

She notices her hands are shaking holding Wanna's necklace.

JAMIE

Everyone thought my brother disappeared. No one believed me.

TOMMY

Well, I believe you.

Jamie grins at Tommy.

JAMIE

Now we just need Wanna to take us to him.

Wanna is readying himself to charge in the background.

TOMMY

You think he's that smart?

JAMIE

Yeah, all animals are--

BANG!

Jamie and Tommy turn to see Wanna smack his head into the tree. Some Ginkgo fruit falls down and he starts eating.

TOMMY

There's hardly any brain left!

JAMIE

Got any other suggestions?

Wanna sneaks behind Tommy and sniffs his backpack.

TOMMY

(completely unaware)

I could build a fire and make smoke signals!

JAMIE

Knowing you, you'll burn down the whole forest!

TOMMY

You're talking to a Boyscout who survived with berries, no tent, five days--

Wanna snatches his backpack and runs off.

Jamie and Tommy look at one another and chase after him.

MONTAGE - JAMIE AND TOMMY CHASE WANNA

A) Forest path - Wanna gallops with Tommy's backpack in his mouth. Jamie is close behind him.

JAMIE

Hurry!

Tommy is running much slower.

TOMMY

I'm trying!

B) River - Wanna runs across a log bridging a river. Jamie carefully moves across the log. Tommy stops at the log and tries to climb up.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Awe c'mon!

C) Forest - Jamie is catching up to Wanna. We cut back to Tommy still struggling across the log.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Jamie?... Wanna?

END OF MONTAGE

EXT. FOREST CLIFF - CONTINUOUS

Wanna runs to the edge of the cliff and grinds to a halt. Jamie stops and catches her breath.

JAMIE

Okay Wanna. Drop the baq.

Wanna gestures to the rest of the island.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

C'mon Wanna.

Wanna points it's head toward the cliff at the other side of the island.

Jamie follows Wanna's head and spots smoke in the distance.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Is that Jeremy!?

Wanna blankly tilts his head.

Tommy enters the clearing with a wheeze and a cough.

TOMMY

Aw man you two got lucky. You caught me on bad day!

He let's out a long wheeze.

JAMIE

I think I see Jeremy's camp.

Tommy stands beside Wanna and stares off the cliffside.

The faint smoke moves up the hill towards the smoking volcano nearby it.

He looks over to Jamie is who is full of excitement and on the verge of tears.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Well now we just have to find a way off this cliff!

Tommy and Wanna look down the cliff.

TOMMY

Uhh... maybe there's a way around it.

JAMIE

That's miles away. We wouldn't get down there till tomorrow.

TOMMY

Maybe we should camp here then!

JAMIE

Why?

TOMMY

There could be scary dinosaurs at night. It's better to be high up!

Jamie sighs and looks at the smoke.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I know you're really excited to see him.

Jamie nods.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

How about this? You work on making a rope to climb down the cliff and I'll make a fire!

JAMIE

Maybe Jeremy will see it!

TOMMY

Maybe! I think we should make a tent soon. Those are rain clouds.

JAMIE

Right.

EXT. FOREST - LATER

Tommy tosses his back pack on the ground and pulls out a ginkgo fruit. He holds it in front of Wanna who has a stick in his mouth.

TOMMY

Okay. Now bring the stick to Jamie and you'll get a smelly snack!

Wanna nods and runs off.

Tommy smells it and makes a horrible face. He begins pulling another branch off a tree.

EXT. FOREST CLIFF - CONTINUOUS

We follow Wanna running over twigs and ducking under branches. He enters the clearing.

Jamie is twisting vines together on the cliffside.

JAMIE

Hey Wanna!

Wanna drops the stick and walks over to Jamie.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Luckily there's a lot of vines on this cliff. Maybe we can find a way to bring you down too.

Wanna HONKS and runs off.

Jamie laughs twisting the vines around.

A CRACK of thunder echoes from the impending storm.

She looks back down to her vines and quickly ties off a big knot.

EXT. FOREST CLIFF - NIGHT

Rain pours on the leaves above. Dinosaurs in the distance MOAN. We crane down to Jamie and Wanna around a small fire.

Tommy attempts to keep a few massive leaves held together. His flashlight shakes around violently under it.

JAMIE

Are you sure you don't need any help?

TOMMY

Everything's...OKAY!

Tommy makes struggling sounds while covered in leaves.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

It's done!

He climbs out to admire his creation.

It looks like a pile of massive leaves held together by vines.

JAMIE

Is that art?

TOMMY

It's a tent!

JAMIE

Maybe we should fix it after dinner.

TOMMY

Fine. Wait a minute... Are we eating dinosaur meat!?

JAMIE

Something better!

Wanna licks his lips.

Jamie holds out a handful of ginkgo fruit.

Tommy makes a barfing sound.

TOMMY

No gross!

JAMIE

(laughing)

Calm down.

(MORE)

JAMIE (CONT'D)

I read on the fossil finder it's supposed to be cooked. Maybe Wanna will like them too!

Tommy pouts and sits next to the fire. Jamie gathers the ginkgo fruits by the flame.

TOMMY

So... are you okay?

JAMIE

With what?

TOMMY

You know... you're brother...

Jamie quietly adjusts the fruit with a stick.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Like what are you gonna say to him?

JAMIE

I don't know... everyone wanted me to move on. I knew he was still there.

TOMMY

You knew... If I saw my dad again I would ask him something.

JAMIE

What?

TOMMY

I'd ask him if he was proud of me.

Jamie sits there silently.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I know I mess up a lot. I just want to know if I still would make him proud.

Jamie scoots over and hugs him.

JAMIE

Thanks for coming with me.

TOMMY

You didn't make it easy.

Wanna rests his head on Tommy's other shoulder.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Wanna, you have some gnarly breath.

JAMIE

Which reminds me!

Jamie pulls the smoking ginkgo fruit from under the fire.

She picks one up with two sticks held together like chopsticks. She offers it to Tommy.

TOMMY

Get that away from me!

Jamie smiles and blows off the smoke. She takes a bite.

JAMIE

(mouthful)

That's really good!

Tommy looks grossed out.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

It doesn't even smell that bad!

She hands one to Wanna who scarfs it down quickly.

Wanna HONKS with excitement.

Tommy's stomach GRUMBLES, he looks to Jamie eating another fruit.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

You want one now?

Tommy nods defeatedly.

Jamie pulls out a piece of ginkgo fruit and drops it into Tommy's hands.

He takes a big breath and a bite of the fruit. He closes his eyes while swallowing it.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

See, you're such a big baby.

TOMMY

Hey, it smelled bad before.

Tommy eats the whole thing. He grabs another. Right before eating it, Wanna's nose gets really close to Tommy's face.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Okay, you get half!

Tommy takes a bite and hands over the rest.

Wanna licks his hand clean.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

(Tommy coughs)

Gross!

Jamie and Tommy laugh.

A long MOAN echoes from the valley below. Smaller dinosaurs CHIRP quickly almost like they're in danger.

Jamie, Tommy and Wanna look off the ledge. The trees shake below them as they hear dinosaurs running away.

The rain pours harder.

JAMIE

What spooked them?

Tommy coughs, scratching his neck. Jamie looks to Wanna who sits there frozen.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Wanna do you see something?

Tommy begins to wheeze and cough violently.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Tommy, cut it out.

He begins clutching his throat.

Something is wrong.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Is something caught in your throat?

Tommy shakes his head.

TOMMY

I...can't... breath

Jamie freaks out and opens up the fossil finder.

She clicks on scanned entry: GINKGO FRUIT

FOSSIL FINDER

GINKGO BILOBA: It's the oldest living tree.

Jamie presses another button.

FOSSIL FINDER (CONT'D)

Cross- reacts with Anarcadaceae species including Rhus trees and Mangos.

Jamie's eyes widen.

JAMIE

You're allergic to mangos right?

Tommy nods making a harsh wheeze every time he takes a breath.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Oh man! Where's your allergy shot thing?

Tommy stares blankly.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Your EpiPen!?

He looks around.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Tommy where's your backpack?

He points to the dark forest ahead.

Lightening flashes. Thunder quickly follows with a CLAP!

JAMIE (CONT'D)

I'll be right back.

EXT. FOREST - CONTINUOUS

Rain drops pitter patter on leaves above. Jamie runs with a Tommy's flashlight into the forest. The light moves around the wet logs and bushes.

Out of breath, Jamie searches the area with her light.

JAMIE

C'mon. C'mon.

A flash of lightning illuminates the area.

Boom! The thunder ROLLS overhead.

It's almost as if something else is making the booming sound...

Another flash of lighting!

Jamie spots the backpack and runs to it.

The thunder ROLLS.

BOOM! The ground shakes. That wasn't thunder.

Jamie looks around behind her. It feels like she's being hunted.

She grabs the bag and runs.

BOOM.

EXT. FOREST CLIFF - CONTINUOUS

Jamie runs into the clearing. The fire is barely hanging on under the rain. Wanna is trying to nudge Tommy who is lying on the ground.

JAMIE

Tommy!

Jamie slides next to him and turns him over. The flashlight rolls on the ground lighting up his face.

The rain drops hit his face but he isn't reacting.

Jamie grabs the backpack and dumps it upside down spilling out its contents.

She starts sifting through the binoculars and magazines.

Wanna licks Tommy's forehead in an attempt to help.

Jamie grabs the EpiPen from the mess.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Okay... directions!

She scans the small font.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Pop off cap and listen to medical instructions...

Jamie struggles to pop off the cap.

Lighting flashes on Tommy's motionless face.

The thunder CLAPS as she pops off the cap.

The EpiPen starts flashing red followed by a LOUD SIREN.

Jamie winces from the sound.

CUT TO:

AERIAL OVER TREES.

The SIREN ECHOES through the forest. A small flock of pterosaurs CHIRP as they escape from the trees.

Something seems to be moving through the trees...

BOOM. BOOM.

EXT. FOREST CLIFF - CONTINUOUS

Wanna nudges Tommy who still lies motionless on the ground. Jamie examines the EpiPen.

EPIPEN

CALL 911 IMMEDIATELY! POSITION VICTIM ON THEIR BACK!

JAMIE

C'mon!

EPIPEN

PULL OFF SECOND CAP NOW!

Jamie pops off the back end cap revealing the syringe.

The SIREN changes to a rapid tempo.

EPIPEN (CONT'D)

POSITION EPIPEN ON THE OUTSIDE OF RIGHT THIGH. PREPARE TO THRUST NEEDLE INTO LEG.

The EpiPen shakes as Jamie aims the needle right next to his leg.

The SIREN feels like it's growing louder.

EPIPEN (CONT'D)

ONCE NEEDLE IS IN THIGH PRESS THE RED BUTTON TO RELEASE EPINEPHRINE. HOLD FOR 30 SECONDS THEN RELEASE NEEDLE.

She looks down at shot.

EPIPEN (CONT'D)

3...2...

Her breath quickens.

EPIPEN (CONT'D)

...1...

Jamie takes a big breath and jams the EpiPen into Tommy's thigh.

She presses the red button and looks up to Tommy's face.

Nothing.

Jamie scoots over Tommy's face shaking him.

JAMIE

C'mon Tommy!

The fire slowly smolders out.

BOOM.

Jamie and Wanna both look up into the dark forest.

It's so dark you can't see a thing.

Jamie quickly looks down at Tommy shaking him.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

C'mon!

BOOM.

BOOM!

Wanna begins running in circles HONKING at Jamie. She looks around for cover.

She spots the tree behind them.

She grabs both of Tommy's arms and begins to pull. Wanna grabs a part of his shirt and tugs too.

BOOM!

Jamie looks at the dark forest while pulling Tommy.

They approach the tree. Jamie sits Tommy against it, and runs and grabs the backpack.

She quickly puts in a few items and runs back to the tree.

She harnesses it to Tommy's back and begins to push him up the tree.

BOOM!

Jamie looks back at the forest expecting something big to be standing there.

Nothing.

She quickly climbs up a branch of the tree and begins pulling Tommy up. Wanna pushes his head into Tommy's chest to help.

A RUMBLING BOOM.

Tommy's eyes begin opening up.

YMMOT

What's happening?

He looks up to see Jamie pulling him up.

JAMIE

Tommy!?

Tommy can barely keep one eye open. She pulls him onto the branch she's on.

She quickly hoists him to the next one.

TOMMY

Why are we in a tree?

BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

TOMMY (CONT'D)

What's that?

Beat.

Wanna helplessly runs around the tree.

JAMIE

Wanna!

Wanna looks up to Jamie who's a few branches up with Tommy.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Wanna run!

Wanna looks around.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Get out of here!

Wanna reluctantly takes off into the bushes.

The rain drips through the tree branches.

Jamie grabs the branch above her. Her fingers slide trying to get a grip. She pulls Tommy up onto the next branch with a CRACK.

Tommy slowly adjusts his butt on the branch.

BOOM! CRACK!

Tommy grips his right thigh where he got the shot.

TOMMY

Jamie, I'm really scared.

JAMIE

SHH! It's here...

BOOM! SNAP! A nearby tree collapses crushing the fire pit they made.

LIGHTNING flashes revealing the shadow of the monster on the ground. All Jamie can see is the shadow of the head and its large open mouth.

Jamie closes her eyes and clutches the tree.

It STOMPS across the open ground.

They hear it SNIFFING the tent Tommy made.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

(whispering)

We-we have to get higher.

Tommy's hands shake from the epinephrine in his system. He reaches for the branch above him.

Jamie helps lift him so he can grab the next branch. She grabs the next branch herself.

Through the leaves she barely can see the creature's massive tail swaying around.

They both hoist themselves up onto the branch.

The branch CRACKS.

The monster stops SNIFFING around the tent.

Jamie and Tommy stop moving. Jamie is trying to take smaller breaths.

She notices Tommy's bag is open.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

(whispering)

Hold still.

Tommy nods. Jamie reaches his backpack and begins zipping it shut. Half of his binoculars stick out of his zipper. She tugs on the zipper and the binoculars begin falling out!

The binoculars fall out of the bag but stop. The leather strap is caught on something.

Jamie reaches for the binoculars.

She barely touches them when the strap gives out. She watches the binoculars tumble down the branches onto the ground.

Jamie closes her eyes.

BOOM!

The beast STOMPS towards them.

Tommy and Jamie see the snout of the monster below them. It sniffs the binoculars.

They look at one another and begin climbing. Jamie's hand slips as she grips the next branch.

Jamie looks down and the snout is gone. She stops Tommy from climbing higher.

The leaf covered branches begin SHAKING. It's trying to get through...

Jamie and Tommy crawl across the branches to the other side of the tree.

They try and keep the center of the tree between them and the monster.

Tommy stops... his bag is caught on a branch!

TOMMY

(whispers)

Jamie!

She turns and carefully crawls back to Tommy. He is freaking out trying to tug on the branch.

We follow the leaves from the branch shake as he yanks on it.

Jamie grips the bag and begins to pull.

SILENCE.

The only sound that can be heard is DRIPPING rain down the tree.

Jamie hoists herself to get a better view of the backpack. She notices a large dark opening in the branches behind Tommy.

She stares into the darkness of it. She hears herself breathing quickly.

Her hand is pulling on the backpack strap. She leans close to the dark empty spot to grab the end of his strap.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

(whispers)

What is it?

Jamie leans closer staring at the dark empty spot.

Lightning flashes revealing the head of adult T-REX!

Jamie SCREAMS!

With a CLAP of thunder, the T-REX lunges forward and SNAPS it's massive jaw in front of Jamie.

She jumps back.

Tommy SCREAMS!

The leaves around them shake violently.

BANG!

The whole tree shakes violently. Leaves fall everywhere.

Jamie looks down and sees the T-REX tail smack the tree.

BANG!

Jamie slips clutching the wet branch.

SNAP! CRACK!

THE TREE SNAPS!

Jamie feels the whole world flip as the tree topples over!

WHAM! The tree stops and bounces.

Jamie slips on the branch barely clutching it.

She looks down to see her feet dangling over the cliffside! She fights to climb up the branch.

JAMIE

Tommy!?

Tommy is lying on his back pinned on a branch. He slowly shakes his head.

He tries to sit up. His backpack is still stuck.

TOMMY

Jamie I'm stuck!

JAMIE

Hold on!

Jamie fights to swing her leg on the branch.

The rain pours heavier.

Tommy hears something but his vision is blocked by the branch above him.

BOOM!

SNAP!

The branch covering Tommy is ripped off and flung into the air. He looks up and SCREAMS!

The branch collapses on the ground.

The lightning flashes and reveals the T-REX standing over the tree. It lets out a HEAVY ROAR.

Tommy is face to face with the beast.

Tommy tries to pull his arm out of the backpack strap.

Jamie climbs through the slippery branches.

The T-REX's foot stands on the base of the broken tree. The roots begin to SNAP!

The T-REX lunges forward snapping off the last branch covering Tommy.

Tommy slips his arm out of the strap.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Tommy!

Tommy looks below him to see Jamie. He quickly slips his left arm out.

CRACK!

The branch is flung through the air!

The tree begins to CRACK under pressure.

Tommy quickly squeezes himself under the branches. He glances up to see the T-REX's mouth opening up!

Tommy screams!

He tucks his head between his legs. The T-REX's teeth grip the branches around him and yank up.

Tommy climbs down by Jamie. They both begin climbing to the end of a tree branch.

Lightning flashes revealing the drop below them

TOMMY

Oh my god!

Jamie spots the rope she was coiling before. It's just out of her reach!

Tommy's fingers begin to slip.

The T-REX lets out a GROWL while flinging the branch with Tommy's backpack off the cliff.

The last of the roots begin to SNAP.

Jamie's fingers reach for the rope.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Hurry!

Her fingers graze the rope.

Almost there!

Tommy looks up and see the T-REX turn it's head toward him.

It's staring right at them!

Jamie grabs the rope.

JAMIE

Got it!

TOMMY

Jamie!

She looks up to the T-REX's jaw snap right over her head.

Jamie screams clutching the rope letting go of the branch. Her legs dangle and she tries to get a grip of the soaking wet rope.

Tommy's fingers slip as the T-REX rears back to bite at him again!

JAMIE

You need to swing yourself and jump!

Tommy begins to sob and swing his body.

Jamie looks up to see the T-REX leaning back down to snap at them.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

JUMP!

Tommy looks up to see the T-REX snap its teeth onto the branch he's holding.

Tommy screams as the branch is pulled up toward the T-REX.

The roots SNAP!

Tommy screams and lets go of the branch.

He grabs onto Jamie, who loses her grip and slips down the rope.

Tommy is still screaming!

Jamie catches the rope with her legs.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Got it!

TOMMY

Duck!

Jamie looks up to see the tree SNAP and tumble down off the cliff.

The tree swings around and smashes into the ground below.

They both look up to the T-REX staring at them.

Slowly they climb down the rope.

The T-REX lets out a EAR SHATTERING ROAR!

EXT. ROPE - MOMENTS LATER

Jamie and Tommy scoot down the rope silently. They both reach the bottom.

Tommy is pretty shook up. Jamie puts her arm around him and look up at the cliff. The T-REX is gone.

Jamie grabs Tommy's backpack off the fallen tree branch. She turns to see Tommy shaking in the rain.

Jamie spots a small cave in the cliffside.

EXT. CAVE - CONTINUOUS

Jamie and Tommy both climb in and Tommy soon falls asleep in the cave opening.

Brachiosaurs MOAN like whales in the distance.

Tommy shivers a bit from the cold. Jamie rubs his back while keeping watch.

She tries to stay awake but her eyelids get heavier and heavier...

FADE OUT.

We see clouds moves across the night sky.

EXT. LIGHTHOUSE PORCH - NIGHT

A helicopter searches the water with a searchlight. Divers come up for air off boats. Flashlights scan through trees.

POLICE OFFICER

Ja-amie!? Tommy!?

Mary stands on the porch with a blanket on. She's covered in sand.

Grandpa walks out of the house and approaches Mary. He passes her a cup of tea.

She looks down at the faded cup, feeling defeated.

GRANDPA

Rich is still out there?

Mary coughs. She's lost her voice calling out her son's name all day.

MARY

(without looking)

Yeah... they told him to take a break but you know Rich...

Grandpa looks down at Mary's shaking hands.

GRANDPA

We'll find them.

MARY

I just don't know where they could've gone. Jeremy disappeared the same way.

Beat.

GRANDPA

When I was a kid I hated my father. I felt like no one cared about me. I decided to run away from home...I packed a few clothes and my comic books and took off one night.

He has Mary's attention.

GRANDPA (CONT'D)

It was cold that night. I chickened out and stayed in my best friend's treehouse. The next day I came home to find neighbors and my parents worried sick. It was the only time I ever saw my dad cry.

He takes a breath.

GRANDPA (CONT'D)

Rich and you care so much. I see it on your faces everyday. The reason I'm saying this is because sometimes children feel stuck and they just want a little change. I don't know where they are but I know they're okay.

He holds Mary's hand as they watch the police search.

INT. DINOSAUR COVE, CAVE - CONTINUOUS

Flashlights scan the interior of the cave. Richard is leading the group. A police officer walks up to him and hands him a water bottle.

POLICE OFFICER
We're going to wait here and
regroup with the other team to
begin searching the woods.

Richard nods without emotion.

A younger police officer stops and picks up a fossil off the ground. Richard spots him.

RICHARD

We uh, get a lot of dinosaur fossils around here.

The young police officer examines it.

YOUNG POLICE OFFICER This can't be a dinosaur fossil.

RICHARD

Why not?

YOUNG POLICE OFFICER It's way too clean. It's recent.

Richard glances at the fossil.

RICHARD

How recent?

YOUNG POLICE OFFICER Only a few years old if that. I have no idea what this is...

Richard stops and inspects the fossil with his flashlight.

POLICE OFFICER

Okay! Team is outside! Let's start going through the woods.

They leave the cave, we crane down to see another fossil.

EXT. CAVE - EARLY MORNING

Water rushing can be heard from a nearby stream. Jamie opens her eyes to see a heavy fog is covering the ground. A splashing sound begins to grow. She looks around. Tommy is gone!

JAMIE

Tommy!?

Nothing.

Jamie wanders around the foggy wilderness. The sun hasn't even come up yet.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

To-ommy!

EXT. STREAM - CONTINUOUS

Jamie runs along the cold river.

TOMMY (O.S.)

(far away)

Hey little quy.

Jamie turns around and walks past a bush to see Tommy leaning over a small pond.

In the pond is a dinosaur that almost resembles a sea otter. With it's big eyes, the creature stares at Tommy.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Where is your family? You look like you're far away from home.

Jamie quietly walks closer. Tommy reaches his hand out to the tiny creature.

The creature slowly inspects his hand. It sniffs his finger tips.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Sorry if my fingers smell like ginkgo fruit.

The creature's nose sniffs all over his hand.

Tommy begins to laugh.

A SPLASH is heard from further out in the pond. A head of a similar creature is looking at him. It curiously tilts its head.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Is that your sister or brother?

The slimy creature keeps staring at him.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

You guys are alright. You have each other. I wish I could bring you back home with me but my mom would freak out. She's probably freaking out already.

The small creature dips into the water.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

(smiling)

Well, bye then.

The fin of the creature skims across the pond and meets with the other one.

Tommy turns to see Jamie sitting by the tree.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Sorry I left you in the cave. I just wanted to investigate the splashing.

Jamie walks over and hugs Tommy.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

(quietly)

I really thought we were gonna be eaten last night.

JAMIE

You were really brave. Thanks for--

TOMMY

Shh!

JAMIE

What?

TOMMY

Shut up!

Jamie listens...

A HONKING grows in the distance.

JAMIE

Wanna!

They run along the rushing stream.

The sun begins to come out.

TOMMY

Wanna!!

HONK! HONK!

They peak over a hill and spot Wanna on the other side of the stream.

Wanna is running around in circles with excitement.

JAMIE

I don't think it's safe for him to cross. The current looks tough.

TOMMY

Oh, man!

Wanna tries placing his foot on a rock which slides out into the water.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Wanna! Stay there! We'll find a way across!

Tommy turns to Jamie.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

(whispers)

What are we gonna do?

JAMIE

Why are you whispering? He doesn't speak english.

Wanna sits alone patiently on the other side of the river.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

Let's see if we can find a bridge!

FADE TO:

An aerial shot following a baby pterodactyl struggling to keep up with its family.

The baby pterodactyl CHIRPS as it soars over the landscape.

Jamie is staring up at the sky watching the pterodactyl fly.

Tommy and Jamie are walking along the stream. Tommy looks over at Wanna.

TOMMY

Almost there buddy!

A low BELLOW echoes through the air.

Jamie and Tommy look at one another cautiously.

SCREECH!

Jamie scans the hill it's coming from.

JAMIE

Wait here.

Jamie crouches and moves up the hill. Tommy follows behind, Wanna makes sad HONK sound.

Jamie and Tommy both climb up the hill. They are stunned.

A herd of different dinosaurs are in a pond drinking.

TOMMY

Holy crap!

They both have huge smiles on their faces.

JAMIE

That's a para-parasaurolophus!

Jamie watches the massive duck-billed dinosaur drinking water with it's family.

YMMOT

Triceratops at 2 o'clock!

JAMIE

I'm not sure what that one is.

She points to a spiky reptile drinking water.

TOMMY

Let's find out!

Tommy climbs up and walks over.

JAMIE

Tommy!

EXT. DINOSAUR POND - CONTINUOUS

There had to be at least a dozen dinosaurs at the pond. Jamie could see more in the distance at other ponds.

JAMIE

These are all herbivores.

TOMMY

So, they wont't eat each other?

JAMIE

Nope!

Tommy looks at the spiky dinosaur near them.

TOMMY

Can I borrow the fossil finder?

Jamie pulls out the fossil finder. On the back it reads: JEREMY

She looks at it.

JAMIE

Let me give it a try.

Jamie walks up to it and hits the scan button.

The fossil finder begins to BEEP.

The spiky dinosaur hears the BEEPING and turns towards her. Jamie falls on her butt staring up at the big creature.

FOSSIL FINDER

This is a herbivorous reptile from the late cretaceous period... the Euoplocephalous.. It could grow up to 20 feet long and weighed close to 2 tons!

It's big nose sniffed at Jamie.

TOMMY

Pet it!

JAMIE

Shut up!

TOMMY

No I'm serious! It wants to know if you're a friend!

Jamie looks at the big scaly head and sticks her hand out.

She closes her eyes.

The big reptile shoves its nose under her hand. Tommy's mouth is hanging open.

Jamie opens her eyes.

The Euoplocephalous stares right at her. It lets out a long MOAN almost like a cow.

Jamie giggles for the first time in awhile. She scratches its boney chin.

She looks over to see Tommy pet its side. He feels its bones sticking out of its shell.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

This is the coolest thing ever.

JAMIE

He's like a giant cow.

TOMMY

Like a tank cow! I bet he could knock a car over with his tail!

The Euoplocephalous pushes its head next to Jamie's. She looks down and reaches into her pocket.

JAMIE

I know what he wants!

She pulls a ginkgo fruit and the huge reptile eats it immediately.

It slowly backs up from Jamie and Tommy and walks into the herd.

They look at one another with excitement.

A tongue licks Tommy's ear.

TOMMY

Gross, Wanna!... WANNA!?

Tommy turns to see Wanna wagging his tail with excitement.

Jamie and Tommy both hug Wanna.

JAMIE

How did you get here Wanna?

CUT TO:

EXT. BRIDGE - CONTINUOUS

The violent water rushes over rocks. A creaky handmade bridge rocks over the stream. Wanna, Jamie, and Tommy stare at it.

Wanna runs to the entrance of the bridge.

TOMMY

You're nuts if you think I'm going on that!

Jamie runs over and inspects the bridge.

JAMIE

Jeremy made this!

TOMMY

You think so?

JAMIE

Yeah! He made the bridge to the pier with my dad!

Jamie starts walking across the bridge. Tommy nervously looks at the bridge.

TOMMY

Are you sure there's no other way across?

JAMIE

C'mon Jeremy has to be close by!

Wanna HONKS and begins pushing Tommy onto the bridge.

YMMOT

WANNA, NO! BAD WANNA!

Tommy is making nervous squeaks as he walks across.

JAMIE

C'mon, you just faced a T-rex last night! This is nothing.

TOMMY

Yeah, well I didn't have a choice last night! Not to mention I had an allergic reaction!

JAMIE

So you just need some incentive huh?

Wanna keeps pushing Tommy.

TOMMY

What does that mean?

Jamie begins rocking the bridge back and forth.

Tommy SCREAMS and hugs the rail.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

STOP IT!

JAMIE

(teasing)

Not until you cross!

Tommy closes his eyes. He begins contemplating in his head.

Wanna HONKS loudly in his ear.

Tommy SCREAMS and runs across the bridge.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

See that wasn't too tough right?

Tommy is pouting looking at Wanna and Jamie.

EXT. HILLTOP - LATER

Jamie, Tommy and Wanna make it atop of a grassy hill. Wanna begins eating the tall grass.

TOMMY

(to Wanna)

What's wrong with you!?

Wanna looks up at him with a tilted head and a mouthful of grass.

Wanna sneezes and bunch of grass covers Tommy's face.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Ugh! Nasty!

He looks up to Jamie who is looking up at the smoking volcano ahead of them.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

What now?

Jamie ties her hair back and begins tying her shoes.

JAMIE

You see that volcano there?

TOMMY

(sarcastically)

Nope... I don't see a giant erupting volcano ANYWHERE!

Jamie rolls her eyes.

JAMIE

Calm down, it isn't erupting. The campfire smoke we saw is on the other side of the volcano. We can take a short cut and walk by the volcano.

TOMMY

Now I have to be worried about LAVA!?

JAMIE

No! The smoke will cover us and we can't be snuck up on like we were in the forest.

YMMOT

Okay, just don't try to feed me any smelly fruit.

JAMIE

Deal.

They begin walking towards the volcano.

Wanna takes one last bite of grass.

TOMMY

Wanna c'mon!

Wanna chases after them.

EXT. DINOSAUR COVE - SUNSET

The police are still searching the area. Volunteers are in boats with megaphones.

FISHING BOAT VOLUNTEER

Ja-mie!?

Grandpa pours more coffee for volunteers. He looks off the porch and spots Richard staring off the pier.

Grandpa walks to the pier with an extra jacket. Richard turns to see him and shakes his head.

RICHARD

Dad, you should be upstairs.

GRANDPA

So should you.

Grandpa hands Richard the jacket.

The waves CRASH ahead of them. The wind WHIPS around the flag Jamie and Jeremy made.

RICHARD

Dad...

Grandpa puts an arm over his shoulder.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

I don't know if I can do this...

Beat.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

This is my fault. I should've been there for Jamie. She wouldn't have run away.

GRANDPA

Jeremy took a toll on all of us. I think you've been keeping a lot of it in.

Richard begins to cover his face.

RICHARD

I can't lose them. I can't.

Grandpa hugs him.

EXT. DINOSAUR BEACH - CONTINUOUS

Mary spots Grandpa and Richard hugging. She walks with a group of police officers. They are scanning the beach with a metal detector.

A police officer's walkie talkie begins SQUEALING.

WALKIE TALKIE

We have no sign of the boat by Rockwell Beach. Over.

BEEP.

BEEP.

The metal detector found something!

The officer rescans the area. It begins BEEPING like crazy.

Another officer takes out a shovel and begins digging.

They keep digging and digging until--

CLING!

The officer reaches deep down and picks up a piece of rock covered in sand. Ancient, dead barnacles cover it.

POLICE OFFICER

What the hell is it?

Mary leans in amongst the other officers.

He flips it over...

POLICE OFFICER (CONT'D)

Is that hand writing?

The flashlights skim the rock...

The plastic case reads: FOSSIL FINDER

Mary picks it up and examines it. She finds etched in the back: JEREMY

POLICE OFFICER (CONT'D)

This thing looks ancient... what the hell is going on here?

Bewildered, Mary stares at the corroded device...

EXT. VOLCANIC RIDGE - LATER

Smoke fills the trees. Small dinosaurs scurry the ground. The sunlight breaks through the tree branches leaving beams of light. We follow the Fossil Finder bouncing around in Jamie's hand.

YMMOT

Man this place stinks almost as bad as those fruits!

Wanna sneezes in agreement.

JAMIE

Can you please zip it for two seconds?

TOMMY

How about I give directions for a change?

Jamie stops and stares at the ground.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

How about that, Wanna?

JAMIE

(worried)

Please be quiet.

TOMMY

What?

Tommy looks at the ground where Jamie is staring...

It's a massive claw print.

Wanna begins to WHINE.

Jamie opens up the Fossil Finder and starts scanning the claw print.

BEEP.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

(his eyes darting around)

Can we please go?

BEEP.

JAMIE

One second, let me know what we're up against.

BEEP.

FOSSIL FINDER

PLEASE ENTER MORE INFORMATION.

Jamie begins typing in information.

JAMIE

How big do you think that print is?

TOMMY

Looks like three feet across...

Wanna WHINES again. Small rocks begin rolling down the hill ahead of them

TOMMY (CONT'D)

What is it Wanna?

Tommy glances up the ridge and freezes.

JAMIE

Okay that should do it!

She presses another button... BEEP!

BEEP.

JAMIE (CONT'D) (noticing Tommy)
What's wrong with you?

BEEP.

A long GROWL echoes the surrounding. Jamie searches the smoke, not seeing a thing.

More rocks rolls down the hill ahead.

Then she spots it.

A MASSIVE SHADOW stands in the smoke...

The three of them slowly back up.

FOSSIL FINDER
SEVENTY PERCENT MATCH TO... THE
TYRANNOSAURS REX. IT HAD THE
STRONGEST BITE--

Jamie attempts to muffle the loud Fossil Finder. They back up, Tommy doesn't see anywhere to hide in the smoke.

The head of the beast emerges revealing it's not the same one that attacked last night. This one has white skin along it's face resembling that of a massive skull.

Jamie notices the shoulders and bones protrude more from this one.

The WHITE T-REX slowly crouches towards them ready to pounce if they run.

Trapped.

TOMMY

W-what do we do?

JAMIE

I don't know...

CRACK!

More pebbles slip behind them. Wanna turns around and stares into the empty smoke.

The predator approaches them. Only thirty feet away...

A LONG MOAN grows into a WHINE. The sound is coming from behind them.

Jamie and Tommy turn around to see nothing.

The WHITE T-REX takes another step towards them.

THE LONG MOAN comes back LOUDER.

THE WHITE T-REX stops and stares at the dark smoke.

TOMMY

What's that?

JAMIE

I think something else is claiming us as food.

THE WHITE T-REX GROWLS and STOMPS away into the smoke.

TOMMY

Look!

Jamie turns around... A figure is behind them. In the smoke you can see it has two long horns protruding from it's sides.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

What is it?

JAMIE

I've never seen it.

Wanna tilts his head staring at it and runs towards it.

TOMMY

Don't be a hero!

Wanna goes into the smoke with the figure. It looks back at them.

THE FIGURE

Jaaamie?

Tommy's mouth hangs open. Jamie squints staring at the Figure as it approaches them.

It was a man... he took off the big triceratops skull covering his body revealing--

JAMIE

Jeremy!?

Jeremy is covered in leaves and dinosaur bones. The bones CLINK as he walks to them.

Jamie runs and hugs him.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

I knew you were here.

Jeremy hugs her and looks over at Tommy curiously.

JEREMY

I missed you so much! I knew you would unblock it!

TOMMY

Unblock what? IS THAT A TRICERATOPS HORN?

JEREMY

The cave! The- the portal!

Jeremy looks at Jamie and Tommy realizing they don't know what he's talking about.

JAMIE

We didn't come here through a cave...

Tommy is staring at Jeremy's dinosaur bone armor.

TOMMY

DID YOU HUNT DINOSAURS!? THAT'S SO COOL!

JEREMY

You guys didn't come here through the cave?

JAMIE

What cave?

JEREMY

C'mon!

Jeremy snatches the dinosaur helmet Tommy is holding and runs. Jamie and Wanna follow.

Tommy sighs and starts running.

TOMMY

Can we slow down guys!?

EXT. CAVE ENTRANCE - LATER

Pteranodons sore overhead letting out long CAWS. A small brachiosaurus struggles to pull a root out of the ground. Jeremy and Wanna run over the hilltop in front of the cave. Jamie follows behind.

JEREMY

What's it like back home? Dad must be worried sick.

JAMIE

Jeremy you've been gone for awhile...

JEREMY

Yeah you look so much older!

JAMIE

I still can't believe it's you.

JEREMY

What happened back home?

Tommy runs over the hill with a WHEEZE.

TOMMY

Thanks for waiting Wanna!

Wanna tilts his head.

JEREMY

You named him Wanna?

TOMMY

Yeah! Did you name him something else?

JEREMY

I thought he was more of a Rufus.

Jeremy continues to the cave.

TOMMY

RUFUS!?

Wanna yanks his head to look at Tommy.

Jeremy and Jamie stare into the cave.

JAMIE

You came through here?

Jeremy nods. Jamie examines the rubble.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

What happened?

JEREMY

It caved in that night I left..

JAMIE

How?

JEREMY

A pretty big dinosaur caught my scent. I accidentally wandered into its nest.

HONK!

They turn to see Tommy attempting to put his cap on Wanna's head.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Who's he?

JAMIE

He's Mary's kid.

JEREMY

Dad got married!?

Jamie gives an exhausted look to Jeremy. He looks at the wrecked cave.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

So how did you two get here?

TOMMY

By water!

JEREMY

By what!?

EXT. VANTAGE POINT - CONTINUOUS

Jeremy, Jamie, Tommy and Wanna stare off the cliffside at the beach in the distance. The wooden boat is on the beach rocking back and forth with the waves.

Wanna shakes his head furiously trying to get his hat off.

JEREMY

Oh man...

JAMIE

What's wrong?

JEREMY

Your boat... That's the T-rex nesting ground.

TOMMY

Told you those eggs were big!

JEREMY

Did you touch them!?

TOMMY

Tommy looks down at his shoe.

JEREMY

(his hands run across his forehead)

Jeez!

TOMMY

Can't we just wait till the T-REX leaves?

JEREMY

No that's not your biggest problem. Did you see the boat?

Tommy and Jamie take a look at the boat. It rocks back and forth with the waves.

JAMIE

What's wrong with it.

JEREMY

It's nearly taken by the tide. In a few hours it's gonna be swept away!

Jamie angrily looks at Tommy.

TOMMY

My bad...

JEREMY

Okay we gotta move fast if we're gonna get out of here. Those storm clouds aren't gonna help us.

EXT. FOREST - LATER

Jeremy, Jamie, Tommy and Wanna move through the forest.

TOMMY

I don't mean to sound like an idiot...

You always sound like an idiot.

TOMMY

Aren't we going the wrong way?

JEREMY

We are making a quick stop!

TOMMY

And that is...?

JEREMY

My camp...

Tommy excitedly looks to Wanna and to Jamie.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

So Tommy, right?

TOMMY

Yeah!

JEREMY

How have you liked being at the lighthouse?

TOMMY

It's pretty cool...

JEREMY

Have you checked out the Dino Museum? I'm sure its grown a lot since I've been gone.

TOMMY

(glaring at Jamie)

I didn't get much of a chance to check it out...

JEREMY

They must be worried sick about me. I can't wait to see my room again.

Jamie is resisting herself from admitting something.

YMMOT

Oh, I don't think your room is still there.

JEREMY

What?

Tom.

JEREMY

My room isn't there?

Beat.

Jamie is looking down.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Where do they think I am? Do they know I'm alive?

Jamie stands quietly unable to find words.

Jeremy's shoulders sink. He's broken.

Jeremy keeps walking forward.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

I can't believe they gave up on me. It hasn't even been a year!

JAMIE

It's been two...

Jeremy is hit by that statement.

JEREMY

Two years...

They begin to enter a clearing.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Did they have a funeral for me?

JAMIE

No, but we're supposed to this month.

JEREMY

I... I don't blame them.

A SILENCE covers the group. Tommy looks up and spots possibly the coolest thing ever...

EXT. JEREMY'S CASTLE - CONTINUOUS

Tommy is stunned staring at the intricate wooden door ahead of them. Wooden pieces cover openings between trees creating a wall that stretches in a circle. Jeremy and Jamie approach the entrance followed by Wanna.

This is the coolest fort ever!

Jeremy is silent as he unlocks the door.

TOMMY

It's more than a fort!

Tommy checks out all the bones covering the walls. Massive leg bones barricade the walls.

He spots a huge axe made of bone stuck in the wall.

Jamie sees the bed of leaves he must sleep in. She sees a picture sitting beside the bed. It's of Jeremy, Jamie and Richard all smiling.

JAMIE

We all missed you back home.

JEREMY

I missed you guys so much. I knew it was awhile. I had no idea how long I was gone. I'm sorry I wasn't there for you.

Jamie looks down.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

But I told you where I was going why didn't you tell them?

JAMIE

What was I gonna say?

JEREMY

At least they wouldn't think I was dead!

A HORN BLOWS. Wanna's head darts up.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Put that down!

Tommy is standing dressed up in dinosaur bone armor with a horn in his hand.

TOMMY

Sorry...

JEREMY

That horn doesn't just scare away dinosaurs... If you don't do it right it lures them to you!

Tommy carefully puts the horn down looking around. He begins taking off the armor.

JAMIE

Jeremy, I'm sorry. I should've--

JEREMY

Let's just qo.

Jeremy tosses the horn as well as few other items in the bag.

EXT. GRASSY FIELD - SUNSET

Jeremy and Wanna run across the field with Jamie and Tommy close behind. Wanna's head bounces up and down as he gallops.

An Apatosaurus spots them letting out a soft MOAN.

Jeremy lets out a mimicking MOAN in an attempt to talk back.

The group enters the surrounding trees.

EXT. DINOSAUR BEACH - NIGHT

Waves crash along the rocky shore. Lighting flashes in the distance over the ocean. Wanna, Jeremy and Jamie stop behind a bush.

Jamie stands up but Jeremy holds her shoulder.

JEREMY

Wait.

Tommy runs up behind them.

TOMMY

Hey quys!

JAMIE

(whispering)

Shut up!

They all look across the beach at the CREAKING boat. It's nearly free from the shore.

Jamie looks at the big waves then she notices a flash of light in the distance.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

I see it. I see the lighthouse!

JEREMY

It's been so long since I've seen it...it's so close.

The Lighthouse begins to fade under the storm.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

I don't know how long we have to get back.

Wanna begins to WHIMPER.

TOMMY

What's wrong buddy?

CREAK!

The boat has broken free from the beach and is drifting into the water!

JAMIE

No!

JEREMY

Crap. Let me think...

TOMMY

What do we do?

JAMIE

Let him think!

JEREMY

Shut it, both of you!

Wanna WHIMPERS again.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Something's bothering him... Something big is nearby.

They scan the dark empty beach.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

(pointing to the trees)
Okay here's the plan. I'm going to
run there. Once I blow the horn
it's going to distract it. You take
your brother on the boat--

JAMIE

No! He's not my brother... YOU are!

Tommy's head sinks down.

JEREMY

He is. Just take him outta here.

Tommy closes his eyes.

JAMIE

I came here for you!

JEREMY

I'm dead anyway!

CREAK!

The boat is already drifting a few feet from the shore.

Without thinking, Jamie climbs out from the bush and chases the boat.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Get back!

Wanna lets out a WHINE.

Jamie runs to the stern of the sailboat and begins to push it back on the beach.

Jeremy and Tommy get up and run to help her.

They both stop instantly when they see it.

Jamie spots them not moving.

JAMIE

Guys! C'mon!

JEREMY

Jamie! Get out of there!

Wanna begins to HONK loudly.

They are all looking right behind her...

She turns around to the waves crashing behind her. Then a flash of lightning stretches across the sky silhouetting the monster.

It was the T-REX from before and she has nowhere to run.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Jamie!

Another flash of lightning reveals the T-REX moving towards her!

She quickly lets go of the boat and runs onto the beach.

She can't make it to the boys.

STOMP. STOMP. STOMP!

Jamie turns around, slipping in the sand.

The enormous shadow approaches her.

She climbs in the boat and tucks herself under the wooden lip of the boat.

The T-REX spots her.

Jeremy and Tommy watch helplessly from a distance.

The T-REX shoves it's head in the boat struggling to grab her. It GROWLS in frustration.

Jamie watches the massive teeth move right next to her.

The T-REX bites down and tears off a chunk of wood from the bow.

TOMMY

What do we do!?

Jeremy just shakes in fear.

The T-REX wraps its teeth on the mast breaking it clean off the boat.

The T-REX shoves its head back in the boat right next to Jamie.

She SCREAMS!

HONK!

The T-REX looks up from the boat to Wanna standing right in front of it.

HONK! HONK!

The T-REX tilts its head and begins STOMPING towards Wanna.

Wanna begins to shake nervously.

A LONG MOAN grows from nearby.

Wanna turns to see Jeremy with the horn.

JEREMY

TREES! GO TO THE TREES!

Wanna HONKS and rushes deep into the forest.

The T-REX looks to Jeremy. Jeremy rushes into the dark forest.

The T-REX ROARS and follows them.

The STOMPING begins to fade away. Tommy crawls out from the bush. He looks from the forest entrance to the torn up boat.

Tommy approaches the quiet boat wreckage.

TOMMY

Ja-amie?

The only sound from the boat is itself rocking against the sand.

Tommy climbs on the side of the boat.

He hears CRYING. He looks in the boat and finds Jamie curled up in a ball.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Hey...

Jamie looks at him.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

It's okay. The T-REX is gone now.

JAMIE

Where's Jeremy?

TOMMY

He had to go in the forest.

Jamie sits up and crawls across the boat. She moves past Tommy and stumbles onto the beach.

She stares at the dark trees swaying in the wind.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

He had to lure the T-rex away.

Jamie doesn't have the strength to even look at him.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

He'll be back. I know it.

I lost him again.

TOMMY

No. He's gonna come back.

JAMIE

You should have never come with me.

TOMMY

What?

She turns to Tommy.

JAMIE

The boat! You're so stupid you couldn't park it! Now it's ruined!

Tommy is getting upset.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

I wish I never brought you!

TOMMY

Jamie, I--

JAMIE

Shut up! I would be going home with my brother if you weren't here! My real brother!

YMMOT

I just wanted to be your friend.

JAMIE

You're not even that!

Beat.

The wrecked boat CREAKS to it's other side.

Jamie stares at the wreckage then looks at Tommy who's visibly upset.

Before she can say anything. SNAP!

CRACK! Some leaves from the forest begin to shake.

They both look to the shaking leaves.

Wanna pops out from the forest. He is limping.

They both run over.

TOMMY

Wanna!

Wanna limps and falls into the sand. Tommy lifts Wanna's head from the sand.

Wanna lets out a WHIMPER.

JAMIE

What happened?

TOMMY

He was trying to distract the T-rex from you.

Jamie stares at Wanna in pain and walks away.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Wait! Jamie don't leave.

Jamie disappears in the forest.

EXT. STREAM - CONTINUOUS

Moonlight streaks through the tree branches above. Jamie walks through the trees and sits on a log. She stares at the rushing water.

Alone.

She buries her head down.

Insects BUZZ in the air.

Distant MOANS from Brachiosaurs sing in the distance.

EXT. DINOSAUR COVE - NIGHT

Police cars drive off down the road away from the Lighthouse. Mary is about to enter a police car when she spots Richard at the end of the beach.

She hesitates then makes a move down the beach.

Richard is staring off at the ocean ahead. Mary approaches him.

MARY

Rich.

He stands still. She notices where he's looking... Police boats head North beyond the cliff wall.

RICHARD

They won't find them up there. It's against the current.

MARY

Rich, please we need to join the search party.

RICHARD

And I'm telling you it's a waste of time. They're out there somewhere.

Richard begins walking towards the dock

MARY

Rich, we need to join the group.

He walks up on the dock and begins untying his fishing boat.

RICHARD

I'm not stopping you. I'm going to look South.

MARY

We need to stay together.

RICHARD

I'm not going in that car. I relied on them to find Jeremy...

Mary is silent.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

...I'm not making the same mistake.

Richard climbs on the boat and readies the motor.

MARY

When something traumatic happens we need to stay together. I almost got lost with Tommy's dad.

Richard stands still listening.

MARY (CONT'D)

The only thing that kept Tommy and me going was having each other.

Richard approaches Mary and holds her hand.

RICHARD

Then let's take this boat and find our kids.

Mary looks up to him teary eyed.

They embrace.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

I swear we're going to get our kids back.

CRACK!

They both look to the ocean.

Lighting flashes and thunder booms across the ocean.

Mary climbs aboard.

Richard yanks the throttle.

Mary turns the boat lights on and the boats starts up with a ROAR.

They move fast out of the dock and into the dark, open, ocean.

EXT. STREAM - NIGHT

Rain trickles down the massive forest leaves. Covered in sand and dirt is Jamie. Her tangled hair hangs over her face as she looks down.

Wanna slowly enters the clearing and limps to her, sitting by her side. He licks her arm, Jamie sits up and looks to Wanna.

He gently rests his head in her lap.

Jamie looks to his injured leg.

JAMIE

I'm sorry.

Wanna closes his eyes.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

It was my fault. I just wanted to get the boat so bad. I'm sorry you got hurt... You just were trying to protect us.

Jamie pets Wanna's head and tears a big leaf down from above her. As she does a bunch water splashes off it.

She begins carefully wrapping it around his exposed cut.

She gets up and ties the leaves on with thick grass.

As she ties it Wanna WHIMPERS.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

I'm sorry...

She rests her head on Wanna's side.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

...I just wanted to have a brother again...

She slowly raises her head, looking up to see Tommy standing in the rain.

Tommy shakes in the cold rain and starts walking to her. He kneels down in front of her and pets Wanna.

TOMMY

Is he gonna be okay?

Jamie nods.

Tommy takes a breath relief. Before he takes his next breath he's caught off quard by Jamie's hug.

The hug feels like the one Jeremy used to give.

Beat.

Wanna rests his big head on them.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I think Wanna wants to hug too!

They both scratch under Wanna's chin.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

No one is gonna believe this.

JAMIE

I can't think of anyone.

Jamie looks down Wanna's neck to his necklace. She holds it in her hand.

TOMMY

He's gonna be okay. He knows dinosaurs better than anyone.

JAMIE

(nodding)

Yeah.

TOMMY

He's probably on his way back here now.

Jamie gives a faint smile.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I just don't know what we do now.

Jamie inspects the claw and thinks for a moment. She spots Tommy's sailboat badge.

JAMIE

How well do you know boats?

EXT. BEACH - LATER

Waves crash onto the shore. Fish swim under wooden planks. The sailboat rocks back and forth with each wave. We crane over the boat to reveal Wanna, Jamie and Tommy inspecting it.

Tommy climbs on the bow of the boat.

TOMMY

I don't think we can call this a sailboat anymore.

JAMIE

What about the engine?

TOMMY

I don't see it here.

Jamie spots the Lighthouse beaming in the distance.

There's still a chance.

JAMIE

Do you see any paddles?

TOMMY

Any what!?

CUT TO:

EXT. BEACH - CONTINUOUS

PADDLES land in the sand by Wanna. Jamie and Tommy stare from on top of the boat.

Jamie looks at the damage to the hull then up to the Lighthouse.

JAMIE

If we can fix the stern we should be able to make it passed those waves.

Tommy looks up to the vicious longshore waves ahead.

TOMMY

They look pretty tough.

JAMIE

Trust me, we can do it. We have to make it before Jeremy gets back.

Tommy nods.

CUT TO:

MONTAGE

Wanna pulls a wood plank out of the water and drops it in a pile of planks. Jamie pulls a few of the boards and passes them to Tommy who's on top of the boat.

Jamie begins to thread grass and reinforces the wood planks.

CRUNCH!

END OF MONTAGE

They look to the woods and hear something STOMPING around.

JAMIE

We need to hurry.

Jamie hops off the boat and so does Tommy. They begin inspecting the hull.

TOMMY

I think we're close!

BOOM.

Jamie pulls Tommy on her side of the boat.

They look over the boat and down the beach...

The T-REX is off in the distance sniffing through bushes.

It's searching for them.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

Crap!

Jamie climbs in the boat and begins tying down the support knots.

JAMIE

(without looking)

You need to keep watch.

She ties the next knot.

TOMMY

Jeremy?

Jamie excitedly looks up to the tree line.

Bushes shake but nothing emerges.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

I could've sworn I saw him...

Wanna makes a HONK.

JAMIE

Shhhh Wanna!

TOMMY

Hey Jamie?

JAMIE

What?

TOMMY

Where's the T-Rex?

They look to see the predator is missing from the dark beach.

JAMIE

Oh no.

EXT. OCEAN - CONTINUOUS

The motorboat skims across the water. Richard and Mary bounce with the boat. Mary has a high powered light scanning the water.

Thunder CLAPS echoing across the water.

Richard notices his compass begin to spin.

With his free hand he flicks on his map console.

The electronics are going crazy. He slows down the boat.

RICHARD

Something's up with the system!

Mary moves to get an angle on the scanner.

RICHARD (CONT'D)

Its never done this before!

MARY

Can we see the map?

RICHARD

I doubt we'll get anything.

He flicks a few switches.

The compass seems to spin faster.

The map slowly generates on green scan lines moving down the screen.

MARY

What's that?

RICHARD

I don't know...

The scan shows a land mass in the middle of the map...

RICHARD (CONT'D)

It says we're right next to a land mass but there shouldn't be anything out here...

MARY

How far away are we?

RICHARD

3 miles.

Their eyes meeting. Richard punches the throttle and they head to the land mass on the map...

EXT. BEACH - NIGHT

Lightning flashes across the chaotic waves. Rain is coming down harder across the boat. We crane down to see Jamie and Tommy looking across the beach.

JAMIE

C'mon Jeremy, where are you?

Wanna HONKS.

They all look to the beach.

TOMMY

Is something there Wanna?

They stare across the dark and thick trees surrounding the beach.

JAMIE

We have to get the boat in the water.

Jamie and Tommy begin pushing the boat. Their feet begin to slip in the sand.

TOMMY

It's too heavy.

Wanna looks up at the boat then limps to the tree line. He begins to kick up sand. He tilts his head down.

Tommy notices Wanna lining up his head behind the boat. Before he can say anything Wanna charges forward.

Wanna lets out a HONK and slams his head into the boat pushing it forward! The sailboat meets the water with a massive splash.

Tommy and Jammie look at one another then at Wanna.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

That. Was. Awesome!

Wanna HONKS again happily.

A LONG ROAR echoes from the trees.

Everything becomes quiet except for the pitter patter of rain on the sailboat.

BOOM.

Jamie, Tommy, and Wanna move behind the boat and stare at the tree line.

BOOM. CRACK!

A tree collapses out onto the beach.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

We gotta get in the boat.

He'll be here.

The T-Rex emerges over the toppled tree. It stomps around the sand sniffing. It's much closer...

Jamie notices her rope isn't tied on tight enough to the boat. She carefully moves to the side of the boat and starts retying the knot.

Her fingers pull on the rope securing it.

The sailboat CREAKS.

The T-Rex looks directly at the boat.

Jamie moves behind the boat next to Tommy. The T-Rex is moving closer... and closer...

It's nose sniffing on the other side of the boat.

Jamie notices Tommy is shaking with fear.

BOOM!!!

The boat shakes... The T-Rex stops and turns to look at the tree line.

TOMMY

(whispering)

What was that?

JAMIE

I don't know...

BOOM!!!

The T-Rex turns from the boat to look at the tree line.

BOOM!

Out from the trees Jeremy comes out holding something.

JAMIE (CONT'D)

WATCH OUT!!

Jeremy looks to the T-Rex ahead of him. He doesn't stop running from the tree line.

He places a huge egg in the sand.

BOOM!

The T-Rex watches Jeremy run to the boat.

It GROWLS. It's about to roar when something breaks through the trees!

It's the WHITE T-REX from before!

JEREMY

Get the boat!

Jamie, Tommy and Wanna begin to push the boat deeper in the water. Jeremy joins them pushing.

Jamie turns around to see the WHITE T-Rex look down at her egg then back to the other T-Rex.

It lets out a ROAR. The massive beasts circle each other snapping at one another.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Get in the boat!

Tommy climbs in the boat and grabs a paddle. Jamie climbs up and grabs the other one.

A wave comes up and smacks the sailboat to the left.

Jeremy pushes the boat forward into the waves. Jamie paddles forward, she looks back at the T-Rexs fighting. The WHITE T-Rex is losing.

Wanna HONKS next to her struggling to swim.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Wanna qo back!

Wanna HONKS loudly in the water.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Here comes the first set of waves! Get ready!

Jamie and Tommy brace themselves.

The boat punches through the wave knocking Jeremy off.

Jeremy swims back to the boat and begins pushing it again.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Second wave is coming!

Wanna HONKS!

A ROAR BOOMS from the beach. Jamie watches the T-Rex charge towards the WHITE T-Rex. Before they clash a wave rises blocking her view.

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Jamie! Get ready!

The second wave is much bigger and slams the boat at an angle. Jamie and Tommy are thrown from the boat.

Jamie's head pops up from the water. Jeremy's head pops out of the water. Wanna pops up with his jaws locked on Tommy's shirt collar.

TOMMY

Oh man!

A LONG SCREECH comes from the beach.

Jamie, Tommy and Jeremy look to the beach.

Lightning flashes as the WHITE T-Rex lands on the beach. The mother T-Rex is staring at Jamie and them. Another wave rises blocking her view.

Jamie's eyes widen. They all swim to the boat. Tommy, Jamie, and Jeremy climb on to the boat.

They begin paddling out toward the next wave.

The next wave begins to swell.

HONK!

Jamie turns to see Wanna struggling in the water.

JEREMY

(looking at the next

wave)

We need more push...

Wanna pushes his head to the side of the boat.

JAMIE

Wanna you have to go back to shore. You can't come with.

Wanna just looks confused.

TOMMY

I'm sorry Wanna. I promise we'll see each other again.

Jeremy pets Wanna's head. Wanna looks sadly and everyone and let's out a HONK.

Wanna dips into the water.

BOOM! BOOM!

The group looks to see the T-Rex moving into the water towards them!

They begin to paddle faster towards the wave.

JAMIE

We're not going fast enough!

TOMMY

What do we do!?

Jeremy passes his paddle to Tommy.

The wave approaches.

Jeremy hugs Jamie.

JEREMY

I love you so much. Promise you'll come back.

Jeremy climbs into the water.

JAMIE

What are you doing!?

JEREMY

Start paddling!

The wave is growing bigger.

ROAR! The T-Rex stomping towards them!

Jeremy dunks his head in the water and begins to push against the back of the boat.

The wave hits the boat with tremendous force. The bow climbs the wave and slams into the water.

They made it!

JEREMY (CONT'D)

Paddle quick!

Jamie turns to see Jeremy in the distance.

JAMIE

Jeremy!

BOOM! CRASH!

Out of the wave behind them bursts the T-Rex. It begins stomping towards them.

Jamie and Tommy begin to paddle faster!

Jeremy begins WHISTLING and making noises. The T-Rex glances to Jeremy then back to the boat.

The T-Rex stomps towards them slowly sinking deeper in the water.

JEREMY

Faster!

Jamie can't even see Jeremy anymore under the rain.

They paddle harder.

The T-Rex sinks completely underwater.

JAMIE

It's too deep for it!

SPLASH! The enormous head of the T-Rex emerges from the water. With open jaws it slams the side of the boat.

They both scream.

The boat is knocked from behind.

TOMMY

We're gonna tip over!

The T-Rex head comes back up on Jamie's side. She grips her paddle and hits the T-Rex in the snout.

It GROWLS back!

The boat is smacked from behind the boat nearly tips over.

JAMIE

Faster!!

Jeremy and Wanna watch from the shore.

JEREMY

(to himself)

C'mon.

The T-Rex moves along the water.

JAMIE

Get ready to hit it!

TOMMY

Wait!

The T-Rex's head tears through the water on Tommy's side.

Tommy screams as the jaws open up. Jamie and Tommy lunge to bow of the boat.

The T-Rex bites down on the stern breaking off pieces of wood.

The whole boat begins to dip towards the T-Rex. Jamie begins to kick it's snout, Tommy follows.

They begin kicking its enormous snout. The T-Rex shakes breaking off a piece of the boat.

They keep paddling forward. The T-Rex fights for air as it dips up and down struggling to find footing.

Jamie watches the T-Rex struggle for a moment then continues her paddling.

Jamie and Tommy keep going towards the Lighthouse.

They see it slowly get covered by rain clouds.

JAMIE

No!

TOMMY

Were we too late?

A smaller light grows in the distance.

TOMMY (CONT'D)

What kind of dinosaur is that?

JAMIE

Sounds like an engine!

It's Richard and Mary driving the boat towards them.

RICHARD

Jamie!?

JAMIE

Dad!?

Richard pulls Jamie and Tommy up. All four hug on the boat.

TOMMY

Mom... I missed you so much.

MARY

Oh honey.

Richard opens his eyes just in time for a flash of lightning to reveal the island.

A faint ROAR is heard in the distance. Everyone looks towards the sound.

On the radar we see the land mass disappear off the screen.

They hold together, floating in the ocean.

FADE OUT.

EXT. DINOSAUR COVE - MORNING

Seagulls caw out to one another overhead. The sun burns off the morning fog.

Jamie, Tommy and Richard walk across the beach toward the caves.

Mary and Grandpa sit on the porch drinking tea.

GRANDPA

You said it was an island?

MARY

Or something.

GRANDPA

Hmmm...

INT. CAVE - CONTINUOUS

A rock unhinges. Richard pulls it out from the cave. Tommy is struggling to carry a little rock. Jamie peers into the dark cave opening.

JAMIE

He said he would be here.

Richard pats her back.

TOMMY

I know he will. I'm sure he just...

JAMIE

Just what?

TOMMY

Don't these footprints look like Wanna's?

They look down at the paw prints leading out of the cave.

RICHARD

Who's Wanna?

Jamie and Tommy look at one another excited and run out of the cave.

They run down the beach following the paw prints.

Mary lets out a SCREAM from the Lighthouse.

INT. LIGHTHOUSE - CONTINUOUS

Jamie opens the screen door looking past camera. Tommy, Richard, Mary and Grandpa are behind her.

Jamie and Tommy have big smiles on their faces. They hear the familiar:

HONK! HONK!

END