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STUDENT BOOK REVIEW

The Wings of Merlin

By T.A. Barron

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The Wings of Merlin is an amazing book. It's the fifth and final book in the Lost Years of Merlin Series. It's a nonstop adventure full of mystery and magic!

Merlin receives a vision of the great spirit, Dagda.

Dagda tells Merlin that Fincayra, the island Merlin lives on, and the other world are going to collide in two weeks, and evil spirits will start to enter Fincayra. It's up to Merlin to gather and unite everyone in Fincayra to fight off the spirits.

While gathering allies, Merlin finds out about a mysterious Sword-arms hunting down Fincayra's children; so Merlin sets off to find Sword-arms and protect the children.

As time ticks away, Merlin starts to panic. He hasn't convinced a single person or creature in Fincayra to join him, because no one will listen, and he hasn't gotten rid of Sword-arms! He's heavily relying on his sister, Thia and Hallia, the deer woman, to find enough creatures to save Fincayra.

Can Merlin save the children, get rid of Sword-arms, save Fincayra, and maybe even discover the secret of the ancient Fincayrians? Read the book and find out!



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