

Red Jacket: The Autobiography of Calista Antoine (Paperback)

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Bongo Books, 2014. Paperback. Condition: New. Mark Bondurant (illustrator). Language: English. Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. It s 1892, the fourth and nastiest year of the Civil War. With war prices for some things going through the roof, there are some cargoes that are too tempting, tucked down in places too risky, and a ship captain has to weigh both if he wants to make a profit and stay afloat. Last I saw my parents, they were going to do the sugar run to Jamaica. Up in the cold North sugar cane simply doesn t grow. You have to go where it s warm and for us in the U.S., that means the Caribbean, which is unfortunately down next to the Confederate States of America and we have to sail right past Florida with its people doing their best to be unpleasant. I won t kid you. It s a dangerous run. Normally, they would have been back in port a week ago, but they re overdue. Nothing to worry about yet - much.





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