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Captures the dramatic beauty and danger of the Sahara Seated atop his camel, Ali felt the desert roll beneath him. Three days' ride ahead lay the Moroccan market town of Rissani, at the edge of the Great Sahara, where Ali and his father would sell their camels.

Aladdin Disney film In the first film, street rat Aladdin meets a girl in the marketplace. He falls deeply in love with her at first sight, but he gets into trouble when their meeting is interrupted by guards who arrest him. She reveals that she is actually Princess Jasmine. In prison, Aladdin meets an old man who is actually Jafar in disguise who mentions a cave filled with treasure and that he needs Aladdin to enter it. The old man reveals a secret exit, and Aladdin escapes with him and follows him into the desert. He enters the Cave of Wonders, where he meets a sentient magic carpet and is commanded to only get a magic lamp. Aladdin, Abu, and the carpet are left in the cave. Abu delivers the lamp to Aladdin, and when he rubs it, a giant blue Genie appears, telling Aladdin he will fulfill three wishes. The Return of Jafar[edit] Main article: Meanwhile, Jafar is freed from his lamp by a socially awkward bandit named Abis Mal, and immediately plots his retribution against Aladdin. Aladdin TV series [edit] Main article: Aladdin TV series An animated series was created for Disney Channel and Toon Disney which aired from to , based on the original feature. The series picked up where The Return of Jafar left off, with Aladdin still living on the streets of Agrabah, engaged to Jasmine. In the Aladdin television episode The Lost Ones it is shown that he had a childhood friend named Amal. The episode Seems Like Old Crimes shows that when Aladdin was sixteen, he fell in with a group of circus performers where he met his pet monkey Abu. Aladdin and the King of Thieves[edit] Main article: At the climax of the film, Jasmine and Aladdin are finally wed, and Aladdin reconciles with his father. The Return of Jafar and Aladdin and the King of Thieves together serve as bookends to the Aladdin TV series as its prologue and epilogue , respectively. In other media[edit] Aladdin was formerly a member of the Disney Adventurers franchise targeted at young boys sold by the Disney Store from , which sold various merchandise, mostly including toys. Hercules and the Arabian Night is set after the end of King of Thieves as Jasmine refers to herself as married. Aladdin appears in various video games, including the game versions of the film. Aladdin has also appeared in the acclaimed Kingdom Hearts series of games. He wields a scimitar as his primary weapon and can utilize Abu to solve puzzles when he is an active party member. In the first game, Princess Jasmine is kidnapped by Jafar and Maleficent. Aladdin teams up with Sora to save her. In Kingdom Hearts II , Aladdin is found experiencing deep depression due to his loneliness after Genie went to see the other worlds. When Genie comes back all is well again. The player may also collect a number of Aladdin-themed items and clothing pieces. Aladdin also appears at the Walt Disney Parks and Resorts as a meetable character. He is a frequently-seen character, and often accompanied by Jasmine, and occasionally Genie. Though he goes barefoot in the film, he wears moccasins in his street rat clothes. In the Broadway musical adaptation, Aladdin is played by actor Adam Jacobs. A Second Flowering", pages A New Tradition", pages The Making of Aladdin Documentary. Aladdin Platinum Edition Disc 2: Buena Vista Home Video.

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Ali and his father are traveling by camel through the Sahara Desert to market, when a sandstorm whips up out of nowhere, separating them. Alone in the desert with his camel, Ali comes upon a Berber and his grandson, Abdul and Youssef.

Summary Captures the dramatic beauty and danger of the Sahara Seated atop his camel, Ali felt the desert roll beneath him. But suddenly, out of nowhere, the wind came howling, and the whirling sand swallowed the sun, the camel herd, and his father. Stranded on the vast Sahara, Ali must summon all his courage to first find food and shelter, then his father. In the process, he learns the true nature of the desert and its people. He received a Masters Degree in Social Sciences but never formally studied literature or creative writing. He began to consider himself a writer about the time he graduated from college. After college he became a dancer in a modern dance company and worked at numerous low-paying jobs as a laborer or counselor. He wrote poems and short stories for adults, earning next to nothing despite being published in many literary magazines. After writing down the tale *The Owl Who Became the Moon* in , London began to wonder if other people might want to read it. Surprisingly enough, they wanted to publish him. Working with different illustrators, and occasionally with co-authors, London has produced literally dozens of books. Most have appeared under his name, but some have come out under a pseudonym, which still remains a secret. He has published over forty books and has earned recognitions from organizations like the National Science Teachers Association. The survival adventure tale gets a desert setting in this picture book about a boy in the Sahara. Ali is on a long ride with his father to sell their herd of camels at a Moroccan market town when a sudden dust storm swallows the sun and Ali finds himself lost in the dunes with his camel, Jabad. With night coming, Ali fears hyenas, jackals, and snakes, as well as thirst, but he gets help from an old Berber goatherd, who shelters the boy and helps him find his father. Author and artist have traveled in the area, and they tell the story of sizzling sun and lonely darkness in realistic detail. The sandstorm nearly wipes out color and line; when the storm is over, the warm browns and reds and shifting shadows are restored. The camels are drawn in all their jointed awkwardness and grace; many kids will envy Ali his mount. When a sudden sandstorm separates them, the boy finds shelter and solace with Abdul, an old Berber goatherd, and his grandson. That night, Abdul entertains and awes Ali with tales of his life as a young warrior. In the morning, Ali chooses to wait in the desert in the hope that his father will find him, rather than accompany the goatherd to the summer pasture. The musket shots Ali fires all day to draw attention to his position alert his father, and the two are joyously reunited and enter the market town together.

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While helping his father take the camel herd to market, young Ali becomes separated from him during a sandstorm. In an exciting, tense story, Ali literally has to make life-and-death decisions. In a fine melding of text and pictures, the illustrator expands the story through his excellent.

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