

Treasure Island – Character Descriptions

Long John Silver – formerly Flint’s quartermaster and now leader of the *Hispaniola*’s mutineering pirates. He is hired as ship’s cook after meeting Jim and Squire Trelawny at his tavern. He has a wooden leg and a parrot named Flint.

Doctor Livesey – A trustworthy and honest man and friend of Jim and his mother. He is always true to his word, and is protective of Jim.

Squire Trelawny – A wealthy man and friend of Doctor Livesey. Impulsive and somewhat naïve, he buys the *Hispaniola* and then hires the crew almost entirely on Long John Silver’s advice.

Captain Smollett – an experienced no-nonsense ship’s Captain. Even though he thinks something might be odd with his new crew, he goes on the voyage anyway.

Benn Gunn – A half-insane old Pirate who was marooned on Treasure Island for 3 Years before Jim and the crew find him.

Billy Bones – ex-mate of Captain Flint’s ship and possessor of the map of Treasure Island. He dies of fear upon receiving the “black mark” from pirates who have come to steal the map from him.

Israel Hands – Another of Flint’s men who is now a member of the *Hispaniola* crew. He tries to kill Jim but Jim kills him instead.

Blind Pew – a blind ex-pirate who comes looking for Billy Bones and the map at Jim’s mother’s Inn.

Harry, Dirk, Tom Morgan – Pirates on the *Hispaniola*