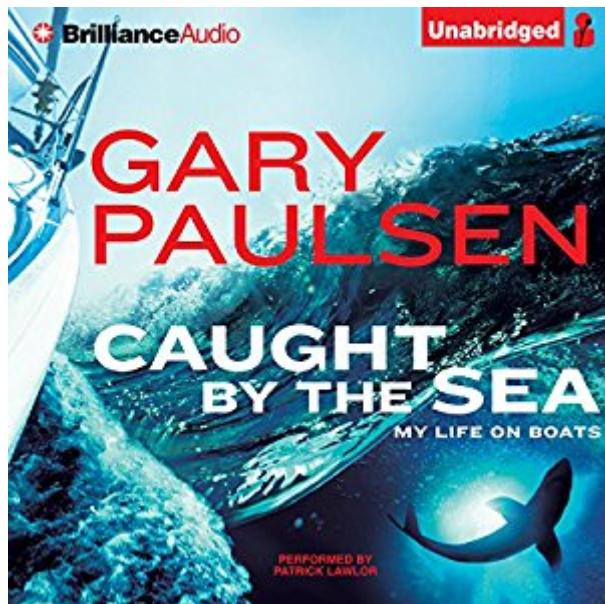


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# Caught By The Sea: My Life On Boats



## **Synopsis**

Another such wave could easily be the end of us. I had to do something, fix something, save the boat, save myself. But what? Gary Paulsen takes listeners along on his maiden voyage, proving that ignorance can be bliss. Also really stupid and incredibly dangerous. He tells of boats that owned him, good, bad, and beloved, and how they got him through terrifying storms that he survived by sheer luck. His spare prose conjures up shark surprises and killer waves as well as moonlight on the sea, and makes listeners feel what it's like to sail under the stars or to lie at anchor in a tropical lagoon where dolphins leap, bathed in silver. Falling in love with the ocean set Gary Paulsen on a lifelong learning curve, and listeners will understand why his passion has lasted to this day.

## **Book Information**

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## **Customer Reviews**

I bought this book for my daughter to read, on her request. She had read another book by this same author and really enjoyed it. That book was called Hatchet. She didn't get into this book like she did the other. We ended up donating it to the school library.

Paulsen's non-fiction rivals his outstanding fiction! All his books range from good to outstanding. I can't stop reading his work!

Wonderful but not as much depth as the Hatchet Series or Winter Dance. To me, it seemed like a filler book without much meat. Still it was an enjoyable read from an author that has a true gift for

writing. His words move like butter over warm toast.

A lively memoir for all ages/levels, and one of the most successful books I've found for ESL with adults, especially those who know something about sailing. What I didn't expect, though probably should have, was that because Paulsen's prose is so direct, and lyrical at just the right moments, it inspired enthusiastic writing from students who'd otherwise been reluctant to pen anything.

As a sailor, I found it be an easy fun read. Some laugh out loud segments.

Very short book by a great author about his own experience learning to sail. A copy should come with every sailboat.

What's not to like about a Gary Paulsen story, unless you wanted more length to the book! He is a fantastic writer that makes you feel like you're right there with him as he shares his extraordinary adventures.

I thoroughly enjoyed reading this novel.

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