Famous Pirates — Captain Kidd

One of the most well known pirates of all time was William Kidd or Captain Kidd. Kidd actually started out being a "good guy". He was asked by the King to set out and capture all the pirates. While at sea, Kidd had a terrible fight with his crew who threatened him. He fought with one of the crew members and killed him. After this, Kidd changed and became a pirate himself.

Kidd wanted to capture a giant treasure ship called the Quedagh Merchant. After a terrible battle, Kidd and his crew took over the ship and captured the greatest pirate treasure ever! Little did Kidd know, but most of the treasure he had stolen belonged to some very powerful people. He was captured and sentenced to die by hanging.