







TIME...

...YES...

...NOW THAT IS
THE PROBLEM,
ISN'T IT?





THAT WAS A MOST *INVIGORATING* BATTLE...

...THE LIKES OF WHICH OCCURS WHEN TWO PIRATE CAPTAINS FACE EACH OTHER ON THE OPEN SEA!



UH... THANKS FOR THE ASSISTANCE BUT...

...WHO EXACTLY ARE YOU?

I MEAN... I KNOW WHO YOU LOOK LIKE--



--BUT YOU'RE *DIFFERENT*.

CAREFUL NOW HORNET, I HAVE KILLED MEN FOR LESSER AFFRONTS.

AND YOU *KNOW* WHO I AM!

THE BLACK TERROR OF THE SEAS!



YOU ARE ME, ARE YOU NOT?

YOU DO REALIZE THE POTENTIALLY *DEVASTATING REPERCUSSIONS* OF ENCOUNTERING EACH OTHER.

YES, WE ARE ONE AND THE SAME...

...AND YET WE ARE NOT.



WHILE YOU AND YOUR COMPANIONS HAVE BEEN TRAPPED HERE IN THIS TIME...

...OUR GROUP HAS BEEN *MANY* PLACES AND *MANY* TIMES.