

HURRICANE "CONNIE"

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Violent and destructive, Hurricane "Connie" strikes at the North Carolina shore.

Hundred mile an hour winds, heavy seas and torrential rains send residents fleeing for their lives. The savage storm smashes houses into splinters. Damage in North Carolina alone totals four million dollars. Hundreds are homeless.

Virginia Beach is lashed by the wild, "pin wheeling" winds as the erratic "Connie" weaves her destructive path.

Norfolk, too, is flooded by the record rainfall and mountainous tides.

New York City escapes the storm's full force, but wind and water batter the city. More than forty are dead and damage tops fifteen million dollars before Hurricane "Connie" finishes her frightening journey.