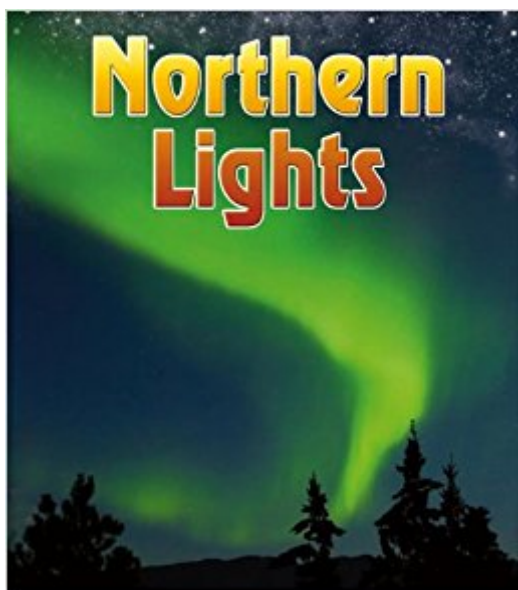


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# Northern Lights (The Night Sky: And Other Amazing Sights In Space)



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