

## American Assassin

This film is based on a book « american assassin » written by Vince Flyn in 2010.

It's a psychological thriller and an action movie. This film is not recommended for children under 12.

The director of this film is Michael Cuesta. The film was release on 15 september 2017 in USA. This movie was shot in different place like London, Birminghan and Rome.

It stars dylan O'brien in the role of

Mitch Rapp who is the main character. Michael Keaton and Taylor Kitsh also played a personnage important in American Assassin.

This movie won many awards like « Golden Trailer Awards » and « World Stunt Awards ».

#### The Story:

The movie take place in Middle East.

A young boy name Mitch Rapp is traumatis by a beach bombing, which killed his wife. After that he become an agent of the CIA to avenge is wife. He is training by a old man very strong and strict. Mitch gonna be suffering a lot with this training.





I think the plot is atypical because we are not use to see a movie where an assassin is finaly a good guy. The movie is stunning and gripping. This film is action packed which are amazing. If you like action film, that is defintly for you. I recommend this film for its fight scenes. In my opinion all the actors are very convincing which make the movie real. To my mind the director has made a very successful script which makes the film captivating. The camera shots and angles shots are very well done and go well with the action and fight scenes. The special effects are impressive and mindblowing. I can't say that the music is the best because it wasn't catchy. it's a shame that the only important woman in the film commits suicide. Over all the movie was amazing. Go and watch it, you'll have some stress.

## Identity card:

- <u>Title</u>: Forrest Gump
- Based on book : Gump from Winston Francis Groom - <u>Directed by</u>: Robert Zemeckis
- Release date: 1994 in America

- Awards: 6 academy awards and 1 british film academy award

Life is like a box of chocolates ... In 80's, a man named Forrest Gump recounts his life story to

strangers at a bus stop.

During his life, Forrest Gump lives a lot of adventures, becomes vuring ins me, ruttest aump mes a 101 vi auventutes, decomes american football champion, does Vietnam War, plays ping-pong american inoman champion, noes vietnam war, plays ping at international level and meets different presidents like J.F.K and NIXON.

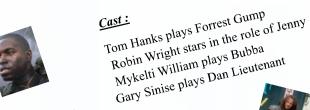
We are considering this film as a monument of cinematography for differents reasons. Firstly the strength of the characters presented in this film is unique. Forrest Gump is the main one and his story is just amazing. He is also well seconded by brillant characters like Jenny, Dan Lieutenant and Bubba who bring additional relief to the whole story. One additional reason to consider as a masterpiece is because of the human values it relays:

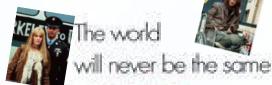
In fact, the movie is against various types of discriminations that Forrest Gump faces due to his little intellectual difference. For exemple, in the bus scene almost nobody want to meet him because they are afraid of someone different.

This film shows that anybody can succeed and there is no unique form of intelligence.

Secondly the movie takes position with brio against war and defends peace especially in the « Pentagon speech scene ».

Finally the movie speaks about friendship and team spirit in the different scenes of Vietnam war, like when Forrest saves the life of his comrades. .





seen it through the eyes of Forrest Gump.



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We are fond of how the director uses special effects, especially in the scene when Forrest meets president J.F.K. Indeed Tom Hanks was embed in the white house archive footage.

Personally, we love the flashback sequences showing adult Forrest depicting previous moments of his life to foreigners. This cinematographic process provides more emotion for spectators.

The only negative point we can find is the music. In fact, even if the overall music is good we do not consider as hauting as it should be for this type of film.

In conclusion we can say that is the best film of the year and it's totally worth your money.

This movie has every qualities of a good film, he shares a lot of strong messages conveyed with humor and makes it a committed movie. We can compare this movie with « The Great Dictator » of Charlie Chaplin because they both share a lot of commons values like peace and friendship. Finally, I would recommend this movie to everybody since it has a lot of references for adults and can speak to child as well through humor.

# **AVATAR**

## Is it worth seeing?

## About the film:

Avatar is a sci-fi film directed by James Cameron. It was shot in 2005 and it released 4 years later in 2009. It's an american blockbuster. The two main characters: Jake Sully and Neytiri are played by Sam Worthington and Zoë Yadira.

## Our Review:

The plot of the film is nice but it's rather common, it's the classic story of the bad humans who destroy nature so the peaceful nature has to fight back. But overall, the plot allows for some really emotional and epic moments like—the moment where he had tamed the giant bird and brought it to the air fight !! The special effects are amazing. This film stunned me for a film that was made in 2005. If your looking for a visually interesting film... It should be for you! I would recommend watching it in 3D.

The characters are amazingly well played even if we can't see the real actors because their represented as digital characters. And even the detail on them are mind blowing. The music reflects perfectly the scenes. It's present and gripping in every epic scene witch is really hard to achieve.

Overall, this movie is a true masterpiece. It is truly the best film I've ever seen.



## The Summary:

In Avatar humans invade Pandora for it's resources because planet earth has no more. Pandora is home to the Navi and a hole ecosystem of plants and incredible wildlife. The Navi fight to protect the ecosystem of the planet because their linked to it. The humans tear down nature for resources and develop Navi spies that are called Avatars, that's when the film starts.

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## **SUPER MARIO BROS**

Super Mario Bros is a film based on a video game.
It 's an animated film. It is directed by Aaron Horwath and Michael Jelenic, it was released on April 5th one month ago.
It's an American-Japanese film, it didn't receive any award but it was quite successful.

In the film, Mario and Peach are the main characters, they are quite funny characters, living the most exciting adventures, I have ever seen.

#### **SUMMARY**

The story takes place in Mushroom Kingdom, an imaginary place, and in Brooklyn.

In the film Mario wants to save his brother, Luigi.

So, he goes and meet Princess Peach, and together, they train to become stronger, because they want to fight against Bowser.

They have to win a star to save Mushroom Kingdom and Luigi.

#### MY OPINION

In the film, there are many scenes which are like playing a video game.

I enjoyed the scene when Mario trains all day long to save his brother: jumping on small rocket, jumping on pirhana plants.

It's very funny and captivating. You identify with Mario and you want him to win.

The scene shows how Mario is trying hard to save his brother.

There are no special effects in the film, it's all computer generated pictures with several types of shots; extreme long shots, but also full shot and close up shots.

The dialogues are very easy to understand, and Mario is very popular but he's not a real actor.

The music is just like the usual music of video-games.

#### **CONCLUSION**

I really enjoyed the film, it's a film with the most numerous references to videogames, I have ever seen.

The characters are amusing, we feel inside the adventure with them and we want them to win.

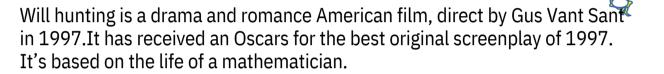
The film is very entertaining, the animated scenes are amazing
It's both for adults and children.
If you love video-games, don't miss it.
In my opinion, it's totally worth your money.



Story:

Photography:

Music:



Of course, some of your favorite actors: Matt damson, who plays the hero: will

rings to his door...

-Robin William, who plays the psychologist Minnie driver, who plays Will's girlfriend

-Stellan Skarsgard, who plays the mathematician Gerald Lambo Ben Affleck, who plays will's best friend



A professor discovers that the caretaker of the MIT called Will is a math's genius and ask at his psychologist friend to help Will to fight against his demon who scare and block him. Witch gives a formidable romance and drama story.

A positive point is that the story is based on the evolution of the characters. It has for effect to affect the spectators all the long the story. Beside the fact that there are a lot of close up shot to show the emotions of the characters gives an emotional effect on the spectators. There are also a lot of full shot and medium shot to show the differents characters of a scene or of a discussion and to show their costumes.

Another quality of the film is the music in the moments without dialogue. It is a little melancholic and makes the characteristic dramatic of the film.

The dialogues are a pillar of the film, they reflect the emotions and the relations between the characters amazingly. The biggest skill of « Good Will Hunting » is the amazing acting of the characters in the emotions scenes.

It is without a doubt one of the best romance/drama film ever. We think that everyone can watch it but not before 10 years old because there is a little bit of violence. The fans of «TITANIC » will love this film even if it's much shorter.

All begins when Will is quietly reading a math book when a dusty old blue car parks in front of his house. A man comes out and

## **Inception: Stay at home or go to the movies?**

In this review, you will see if you think that the movie is worth seeing.

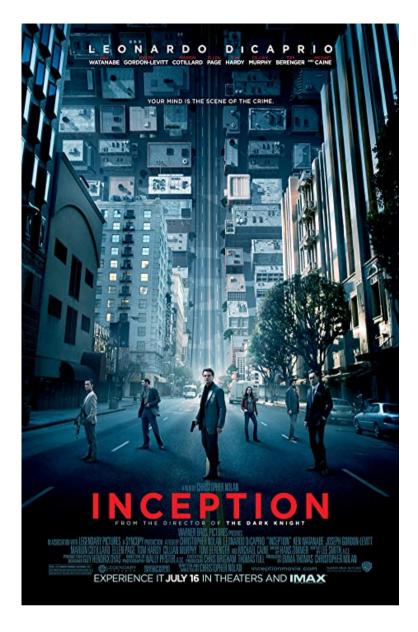
Inception, an amazing science fiction action film,

directed by the world-famous Christopher Nolan, who did many world-wide fames, like "The Dark Knight". Inception was released in July 2010 in the USA. It received four academy awards (cinematography, sound editing, sound mixing, visual effects). It stars Leonardo DiCaprio in the role of the main character: Dom Cobb.

The music was made by Hans Zimmer.

Cobb and Arthur are "extractors" who perform corporate espionage. They use experimental dream-sharing technology to infiltrate the ir targets' subconscious a nd extract information.

It takes place in the city of New York, the year isn't precise but I think that it's in a close future.



In my opinion, it's an ingenious and original plot

(The screen writer is very talented) but the screenplay is very

complicated. The plot stages very interesting scenes with many actions everywhere, so we can see the advance of each one.

In this film there are many stunning special effects. When Cob is in the dream, they can control it (In a dream there's no limits) so the scenes are unforgettable (like in the film poster).

There are a lot of long and aerial impressive shots to see the whole dream, there are not a lot of emotions in this film but the actors in the action scenes are very convincing, we really believe it. To my mind there are not enough dialogues and more they are useless.

The music really reminds me because for me the pleasant music reflects perfectly the calm moments of the story like "time" by Hans Zimmer.

Overall, according to me Inception is an unforgettable film thanks to its originality and all the reflection behind it. Everything is perfectly blend in this amazing story. Each element keeps us in suspense until the end.

I would recommend this film for peoples who likes complicated films with a lot of reflections and a story out of the ordinary accompanied with beautiful music.

# THE REVIEW

MOVIE OF THE WEEK

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Audrey and Nick Spitz

## WOULD MURDER MYSTERY BE THE BEST MOVIE?

Murder mystery is not based on a book, it's a blockbuster created by Kyle Newacket. We can see Jennifer Aniston and Adam Sandler play the main characters, there is also Adheel Akhtar and Gemn Aftertoon. Its was released in 2019 and it's Americ Murder Mystery received awards as the Favorite Comedic Movie and it is nominated too. The movie a lot of awards but is it deserved?

# Summary of the story

At the beginning it is set in
United States, and the
character travels in Europe for
a honeymoon. In the plane,
Audrey comes in the first class
and meets Charle Gavendish, a
rich man. They speaks. And he
invites Audrey and her
husband on a yatch with his
rich family. Audrey accepts
with a lot of negociation with
her husband. But aboard, a
mysterious murder comes to
ruin their honeymoon, or not?

## The opinion

if you want a comic movie to watch with your family, it is definetely for you! Murder Mystery is hilarious with the duo Audrey and Nick because they are attachant. It is the movie we the best crime scenes of the world, they are more than 250 visual effects. The types of shoot are mind-bloggling because put the actor in evidence and we can feel the emotion of the actor. The dialogue are very funny and I laughed because the actors play well. About the plot: I think it's convincing. I real appreciate the scene when Audrey met Charles it's the beggining of the story and I can't spoil but the end is very captivating and thrilling.

But Murder mystery is the most predictable movie I have ever seen, I guessed the end. There is not a lot of music and i and bored of this. The dialogue are hilarious and not very serious

### CONCLUSION

Murder Mystery is the funniest movie ever. You can watch it in family or alone but I am sure that you will laught. It's a good movie, great and captivating but it isn't the most excellent film of all. This is not a intellignet film, isn't for to learn a thing it's just for to laught. There is Murder Mystery 2 too, but it is not so good.



## THE BATMAN

The film is named «The Batman», it is based on a comics-book edited by DC-comics. The film isan action and crime

film. The director was Matt Reeves. It was released in 2022, it comes from USA. Batman and Catwoman are the

main characters Batman is played by Robert Pattinson. Zoë
Kravitz is in the role of Catwoman. Colin Farrell (The Penguin) and Paul Dano (The Riddler)
starred in it.

On Halloween, the mayor of Gotham city, an imaginary place, is murdered. The city is full of dangerous criminals and corrupts people. Bruce Wayne alias Batman is a very rich billionaire but he has a sad past because he was an orphan. Batman decides to investigate on the murder. Then, on the crime scene, a lieutenant discovers a message for Batman: it is signed by the Riddler. The Riddler is a sadic serial killer. The following night, the Riddler kills another person. Later he meets Selina Kyle alias Catwoman and The Penguin, the boss of a night club.

The plot is quite simple but very efficient. It looks like a detective story. The film is very dark and action-packed. I liked the fighting scenes, they are well choreographied and thrilling. I liked the moment when Batman chases the Penguin in car and goes through flames because the action scene is breath-taking. In the movie, there are a lot of close up shot: it is used for see the facial expressions and emotions of the actors. There are also full shot because there are many fighting scenes. What I like the best was the special effects. They are just mind-blowing. The actors performance was gripping: it reflects the characters perfectly. I thinkthe dialogues were great but a bit boring. The costumes of the movie arethe

most beautiful, particularly that of Batman because it's very dark and in the night scent that looks amazing. I think the music is not the best in this movie.

Conclusion:

Overall, I really enjoyed watching this film. If you like action filmsthen "The Batman is definitely for you, it is totally worth your money. I would

recommend this film to those who like super-heroes.



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# Gravity Film review

We watched Gravity and we loved it. It is a Sci-Fi and thrilling film. The film was directed by Alfonso Cuarón. It was released in 2013. It isn't based on a life or a book. It was an americano-british film. The film received more than 100 awards. It won 10 Academy awards of which The best director, The best special effect and The best sound mixing.

The movie takes places in outer space. It tells the story of two astronauts, Ryan Stones (played by Sandra Bullock) and Matt Kowalski (played by Georges Clooney) who are in a routine spacewalk when their spaceship is destroyed by debris from satellite. The two astronauts are left standed in space with no communication with Earth and limited oxygen.

In my opinion, the plot is great but the problem is the story is simple and predictable. When Ryan is in security in the ISS, she curls up and turn arond herself: I love these scene because the shot is beautiful. The special effect and cinematography are the best I ever seen with stunning visual that combine the magic and the danger of space and that is mind-blowing. However, some things are not realistic like the Earth because the model's border is visible. The first person views are awesome and make the film immersive. There are a lot of scene with extreme long shot for show to viewers the beauty of space, the earth and the spacestations. The actors played incredibly great and that is impressive.

Overall, « Gravity » is a entertaining and visually impressive movie that is well worth

# Daily News

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### Strange at the cinema

I suggest you to watch « Miss Peregrine's home for peculiar children » movie directed by Tim Burton. It is based on a book with the same name written by Ransom Riggs an American writer. This is a Science fiction and an Adventure film. It was released on the 5th of October 2016. This is an English film. He received 2 Awards and he was nominated for 12 Awards like "Globe de Cristal Awards" and "Teen Choice Awards". The main characters are Eva Green as Miss Alma Peregrine, Samuel L. Jackson as Mr. Baron one of the villain and Asa Butterfield as Jacob Portman, a child who conducts the investigation.



The film takes place in England. The grand-father of Jacob is killed by a mysterious creature and just before dying he tells Jacob to look for Miss Peregrine in Cairnholm, Wales. He goes there with his father and he discovers that Peregrine's home was destroyed in 1945 by the Deutsch Army. But the peculiar children come to take him into the past. He meets Miss Peregrine and tries to learn more about his grand-father story. What will he discover? Does he have a peculiar gift?

The plot is very gripping because we want to now more about Jacob's past and the origin of the creatures and what they want. There are a several flashbacks to when he was a child. I like the children, they are great and unpredictable. But, for some of them, their powers are strange and unusual. The special effects are very realistics and impressives. It is probably the best special effects I have ever seen. The realisator didn't used much the arial shot. He used the close up shot to see the expressions of the characters. The actors are brilliants. The villain is very ugly but in the film there is no blood. For me the costumes go very well with the characters and their times. Dialogues are simple and short. The music is very captivating and terrific at certain times.

If you love science fiction film, watch this film! You must see it because it is very entertaining. I would recommend for children from 12 years old.

This film shows that even if we are different we can help each other. But you can make your own opinion.





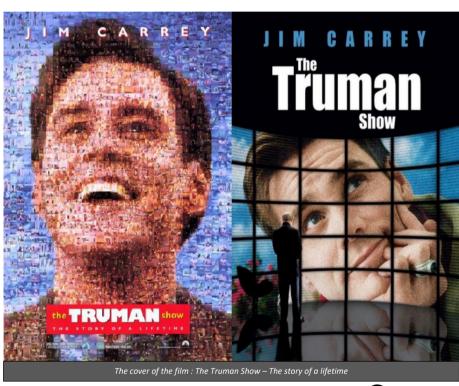
## The presentation of the film

« The truman show » is an american comedy-drama directed by Peter Weir, released in 1998. The main character, Truman Burbank, is played by Jim Carrey. The second roles are played by Laura Linney as Meryl: Truman's wife and Ed Harris as the director of the Truman Show in the movie.

Thanks to this movie, the Golden Globe awarded Jim Carrey for

- « The best performance by an actor ». Ed Harris won the award of
- « The best performance by an actor in a supporting role ».

Finally, the composers Burkhard von Dallwitz and Philip Glass got a reward for « the most original music score ».







## An original plot



The movie takes place in the 90's on a peaceful island named Seahaven. It's a story about Truman Burbank, a maried insurance agent who has a perfect life. What he ignores is that his life is a TV show watched by millions of spectators 24h/24.

All along the movie, he discovers strange phenomenes while he is looking for a woman that he loved during his teenagehood. All those events, like radio talk about what he's doing, lights falling from the sky, people passing through the streets several times make him understand that something isn't normal in his life...

## Our opinion of this film

What we can't take away from this film is the originality of its story: a man whose whole life is reality TV without him knowing it, it's a genius idea!

The film is captivating and full of suspense, we want to know if Truman will learn the truth and if he will come out of this lie!

As for the special effects, they are very realistic despite the age of the film. We can for example cite the storm at sea very well staged and probably the most realistic scene with special effects.







We loved the staging, because a lot of shots are used. Some scenes are filmed with the hidden cameras they use to spy on Truman. This is perfect to engage viewers in the film.

So we have some very original shots filmed from the bottom of

a

pencil sharpener, a garbage can transported by the neighbor or the handlebars of a bicycle. Shot sizes are therefore almost all used, more particularly full shots and close up shots.

With regard to the camera angles, we see a lot of high angle shots or low angle shots, which allows the viewer to that the same as are hidden.

Next, the duration of the film of 1h40 is perfect. It shouldn't be shorter or longer. We must also congratulate the actors for their performances, because they had to play actors.



Special mention to Ed Harris, who plays the role of producer, for his superb performance which is the best of the movie.

The film gives us several messages, like always having our own opinion of things, and not letting anyone change our perception of the world.

Our favorite scene of the film is also the saddest: it's the one where Truman argues with his wife because Truman wants to know the truth about what is being hidden from him. He starts to get violent.

We then realize the psychological consequences that

Truman discovers has on him. He feels like he's going crazy, and he can't trust anyone anymore.

destroys a life to satisfy the viewers

We then realize the cruelty of the director's concept, which



## The Conclusion

This movie is definitely awesome. It is incredibly well staged.
We go from laughter to tears while admiring the superb acting of the actors.
The music and the camera shots together make this the most moving movie we've seen in a long time! You will



Our rating for this movie :



Our suggestion:





So, if you want to see a funny and upsetting movie, watch The Truman Show! It is totally worth your money!

Thank you for reading our review, and « In case I don't see ya, good afternoon, good evening and goodnight! »

## MUST SEE ..?

WEEKLY REVIEW FOR CINEPHILE BY TALANTUOUS AMATEUR JOURNALISTS

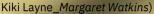
## BLOG BY: Karla and Lola - 3eC

Hey guys! Today we're here for another «MUST SEE..?» and today we're going to see Don't Worry Darling. This American psychological thriller

released in 2022 was directed by Olivia Wild who also played in it.

(I leave you a little piece of the cast here:

- -Florence Pugh\_Alice Chambers
- -<3Harry Styles<3\_Jack Chambers
- -Olivia Wild\_Bunny
- -Gemma Chan\_Shelley
- -Chris Pine\_Franc



So this little dystopia takes place in the late 50s, and tells the story of Alice and Jack, the most handsome couple you can imagine. They have been living for a short time in Victory, California, a little company town in the middle of the desert. Every morning, Alice and the other wives, watch their husbands leave for a work witch they can't ask about. So during the day, they can enjoy lounging and luxuries while caring for their homes and kids during the men's absence.

One day, Alice witnesses the suspect death of Margaret, one of her friends who was sort of an outcast, but she is took away by men in red jumpsuits who works for Frank, Victory's enigmatic founder, before she can reach her body. Since then she is victim of weird vision and decide to do what is necessary to get answers even against the will of her husband... (I wont say more, go and watch it!)



For me the plot is quite entertaining and I LOVE the weird atmosphere all around the film in its globality.

The very end of

the film might be a little infuriating for some but I think that it's pretty cool to have place to imagine what's going to append

next. The different types of shots are really well used and perfectly emphasize the stunning acting of

actors like Harry

Styles and Florence Pugh. The settings and the music are so well done that we're totally immersed in this retro and fairly

disturbing universe.







# So now we're going to talk about my celebrity crush, Harry Edward Styles <3

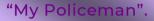
He was born on the first February 1997 in Redditch.

He's British. My love is a fabulous singer, model, composer

and actor. He started his career when the best boys-band eve was created: The One Direction.

But in 2016 they decided to make a break so, at the same moment, Harry decided to start his cinema career and he starred in his first movie: "Dunkerque".

Five years from now, he resume his activity in the cinema world in the Marvel's Studios when he's played in "The Eternals". In 2022 he starred in "Don't Worry Darling" (of course) and



We seriously hope it's just the beginning!!

But are we also talking about his wonderful voice? Of course we are babe!

He also decided to continue his singer

career solo when the band broke up for the greatest good of humanity!! So he made his first solo album: "Sign of The Time"

in 2017. But he didn't stop here and two years later, he released his second album: "Fine Line" (witch is the best in my opinion) and

"Harry's House" in 2022. He started the biggest and the loveliest tour In 2021, and it ends in 2023 (I'M GOING TO SEE HIM!!)

I hope I made the haters change their minds. Now it's the end,

Go watch "Don't Worry Darling" because it was the reason why you're reading this in the beginning,

Treat people with kindness,

And I think I'll just and up with four simple words:

YOU MUST SEE HIMMM !!!(yes I changed it just for him don't judge

me)

BYEEEEE









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TO ALL THE BOY I'VE LOVED BEFORE IS BASED ON A BOOK OF THE SAME NAME WHRITTEN BY JENNY HAN .THIS MOVIE IS A ROMANCE AND THE DIRECTOR IS SUSAN JOHNSON.THE FILM WAS REALISED IN TWENTY-EIGHTEEN AND IT'S AN AMERICAN FILM.IT WON THE MTV MOVIE AWARD OF THE BEST FILM.THE MAIN ACTORS ARE :LANA CONDOR WHO PLAYS THE MAIN CHARACTER LARA JEAN, NOAH CENTINEO WHO PLAYS PETER AND ANNA CATHCART WHO PLAYS KITTY.

THE FILM TAKES PLACE IN THE POINT GREY SECONDARY SCHOOL IN VANCOUVER IN OUR ERA. IT ABOUT THE STORY OF LARA JEAN, A TEENAGER WHO LIVES WITH HER FATHER AND HER TWO SISTERS MARGOT AND KITTY. HER LIFE IS CALM, BUT SHE HAS A SECRET, LARA JEAN WRITES A LETTER WHEN SHE FEELS AN INTENSE PASSION FOR SOMEONE AND PUT IT IN HER CLOSET. ONE DAY SOMEONE SENDS THE LETTERS. IT WILL MAKE HER ANNOYED, ANGRY BUT AT THE END EXITING. WILL SHE FIND THE PERSON WHO SENT THE LETTERS?

I really like this film but dislike some of the scenes of the film ,like when Lara jean felt on the most popular boy of the school :Peter. It was the most cliché scene I have ever seen. The scene that I like the best was when her older sister left home at the begining of the story because, it was the most emotional scene of the film ,nevertheless I didn't cry. The shots are definitely diversified, they totaly suit the scene where they are use. In my opinion all the actors and especially Lara jean, are really convincing. We can feel the emotions of the characters trough the eyes of the actors. According to me the dialogues are sometimes so funny and this film makes obviously laugh anybody, It's one of the funniest movie of romance i've ever seen. If you want to ear an American style of music, it's definitely for you. Also the music fits very well with the film. The clothes are a bit old fashioned but it' because the film was shot before 2018. Finely I'm defenetely sure that it's the best american romance film of the world, so you have to watch it! Good film!!!