

MORE MIXED REVIEWS

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GREAT EXPECTATIONS expert stage action [M Boltizar]
 THE GREAT MOUSE DETECTIVE gee, movie rated "the cutest" [MJ Hazard]
 THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH Heston weathers the argot [D Sandler]
 HALLOWE'EN o, a new hell [M Hall, R Pivarnik] awe! hell, no [L Picarella, S Bickerstaff]
 HAMLET tale? hm... [B Gothro]
 HARDBODIES bored, I dash [R Warner]
 HARLEY DAVIDSON AND THE MARLBORO MAN non-manly movie! drab, harsh, dread a lot! [D Rollman]
 HARVEY ha! very! [P Bourgoquin, J Spencer] ah, very
 HEAVEN'S GATE she gave a "ten" [J Dudman]
 HEARTBREAK RIDGE brake! earth dirge [JL Eddy]
 HEIDI I hide [R Pivarnik]
 HELLRAISER real relish! [J Severson]
 HELP! pleh! [M Amara, D Reed]
 THE HEIRESS eh...she tires [S Lubick]
 HOFFA ha! off!; ah, off
 HOME ALONE oh, lame one; ho, lame one!; a Noel? oh, me!; oh, me - an olé [R Southworth] oh, lo - enema! [E Brown] oh, olé (amen) [P Sherich]
 HOME ALONE TWO woe, lame! hot? no [K Talon] new? oh, too lame [R Mann]
 HOME ALONE TWO: LOST IN NEW YORK hey, wow! more solo kin! no talent [JP Voillelque]
 HONEY, I SHRUNK THE KIDS he is kinky! end hot! rush! [L Early]
 HOUSE OF GAMES oof! a huge mess [C Sarantakos]
 HOUSESITTER rush to see it! [J Young] see this rout [J Sullivan]
 HOWARDS END downer! dash! [J Dudman] had wonders [JT Hart] darned show [C Cush]
 HOWARD THE DUCK whoa, dreck (thud!) [G Lenker] o, duh! what dreck! [M Poire, P Sarrett]
 HOW GREEN WAS MY VALLEY Welsh way: rave only! gem! [B McDermott]
 THE HOWLING low thing, eh? [MJ Hazard]
 HOW TO STUFF A WILD BIKINI I find bit awful, wish to KO [J Gilbert]
 HUD duh!
 HUDSON HAWK hunk (how sad!)
 THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME bent he-man; church faked, too [M Boltizar]
 ICEMAN nice, Ma! [R Pivarnik] anemic [E Berman]
 I, MADMAN I'm a "damn" [D Allen]
 INDIANA JONES AND THE LAST CRUSADE ah, just seen action and riddles (an A) [JT Hart] outlandish jest, and an ace in dares [KJ Hemphill]
 INDIANA JONES AND THE TEMPLE OF DOOM no, no, no! a jaded film, set, theme. I do pan [P Wiemiller]
 IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE I found it swell fare [M Boltizar] file it as "wonderful" [JT Miller] fun, wit for all - I'd see! [S Liss] real lift - use if "down" [R Chaney] flaw? solid, true, fine [K Robertson] a win - it's full of Reed [R Friedman] if low, end is tearful [D Longenecker]

INHERIT THE WIND the winner? it hid [B Levenson]
 INNER SPACE nice 'n' spare [K Holly]
 IRONWEED i.e., downer [P Peterson] weird one [M Amara]
 IT'S A MAD, MAD, MAD, MAD WORLD Ma! Dad! most wild drama! mad! [R Southworth]
 IT'S ALIVE a vile sit [A Sterling]
 JURASSIC PARK "jackass" I purr [M Callum]
 THE KILLERS skill there [L Stoffel]
 KINDERGARTEN COP pin "great dreck" on [R Pivarnik] kid genre? not! crap! [F Tivin] dank creeping rot [M Callum] tripe! dreck! a con! N.G. [C Gersch]
 LA CAGE AUX FOLLES focal sexual gale [L Picarella]
 LADY BEWARE a bawdy reel [J Smith]
 LAD: A DOG glad ado [P Bourgoïn]
 LADY SINGS THE BLUES lush gin-based style [F Thompson]
 THE LAND BEFORE TIME men hate...I left, bored [R Prevade]
 LASSITER steal, sir!c [B Hebert]
 THE LAST OF THE SECRET AGENTS see! get hot, cast! fresh talent [R Chaney]
 THE LAST DRAGON had strong "tale" [C Bright]
 THE LAST OF THE MOHICANS the film has one hot cast*[G Disch] film hastens toothache [M Callum] hot - the fans came (Shalit) [D Everly]
 L.A. STORY o, sly, apt! [K Moran]
 THE LAST PICTURE SHOW a rich plot (thus, sweet) [CL Young]
 THE LAST PROSTITUTE lust? it's top theater! [R Chaney]
 LAST TANGO IN PARIS got Parisian slant [M Callum]
 THE LAST TEMPTATION OF CHRIST con! protest that atheist film! [J Leavy]
 LATE FOR DINNER Lord, a fine rent! [M Tabak]
 THE LAUGHING POLICEMAN cinema poll: a huge thing [L Bailey]
 LAWRENCE OF ARABIA a win! ace fable! roar! [S Kirycki]
 A LEAGUE OF THEIR OWN Geena a howl, if outré [NB Nordtvedt] we agree: no foul hit! [J Spencer]
 LEAP OF FAITH hit! ape offal! [R Prouser] a hi-fate flop [P Weiner, J Mayle] a thief! a flop!
 LEPRECHAUN a "reel" punch [CJ Smith, E Weingart]
 LETHAL WEAPON oh, all went ape [A Momrik] whee! anal plot [W Jones]
 LET IT RIDE elite dirt [AH Terl]
 A LETTER TO THREE WIVES trite sweetheart love [M Callum]
 THE LION IN WINTER the winner in toil [D Downer]
 LITTLE BIG MAN ballet timing [K Robertson]
 THE LITTLE MERMAID demerit: little ham [M Callum] matter I'll deem hit [SF Douglas]
 LOOKER OK role [P Bourgoïn]
 LONESOME DOVE one some loved [T Colletta]
 LORENZO'S OIL o, li'l snoozer [M Wisniewski] or I'll snooze [G Gardner]
 LOVE AMONG THE RUINS hot movie gleans run [JD White]
 LOVE AT FIRST BITE taste for evil bit [S Lambert]
 LOVE STORY o, very lost
 LUST FOR LIFE rule off list [CB McIntyre]
 MAD DOG AND GLORY drag, and gloomy (D) [J Dudman]
 MADONNA TRUTH OR DARE her tour and drama - not! [M Boltizer] a random rut and rot, eh? [CP Johnson] a dame - not! (nor a Dr Ruth) [NL West]
 THE MAGNIFICENT SEVEN he-men, vets - fine acting! [CP Johnson]
 MAGNUM FORCE gun-mom farce [J Smith]
 A MAJORITY OF ONE o, I enjoy a format [GH Wienecke]

MALONE no! lame! [G Collins]
 THE MALTESE FALCON talent? feels macho! [J Davis]
 THE MAN WHO SHOT LIBERTY VALANCE Stewart: he both melancholy, vain
 [C Wiederhoeft]
 THE MAN WITH TWO BRAINS ha! ten bows with Martin! [W Jones]
 MARTY my! art! [L Stoffel]
 MARY POPPINS sappy in romp [N Wetter] primo! snappy!
 MASH sham!; hams
 MATADOR o, mad art [J Fishman]
 MATA HARI ah, I'm a rat [B Ringer]
 MEATBALLS male blast [P Bourgoïn] lame blast [B Gothro]
 MEET ME IN ST. LOUIS lissome "tune time" [M Boltizar] lo, must see in
 time [D Ruge-Hutson]
 MELINDA lame din [K Wickremasinghe]
 MEN AT WORK rank 'em "two" [R Warner]
 MERMAID dare I? mm.. [F Tivin]
 METEOR remote [B Panetti]
 MIDNIGHT LACE light - dam' nice! [MH McCoy]
 MISERY yes, I'm "R" [R Pivarnik]
 MO' BETTER BLUES Lee's utter bomb
 MO' MONEY o, no Emmy? [M Sandeval]
 MONTY PYTHON AND THE HOLY GRAIL phony myth: art in theology-land [L Zissos]
 MOONSTRUCK moron stuck [M McCarter]
 MR. DESTINY deny it, Mrs. [R Pivarnik]
 MR. SATURDAY NIGHT thy rushing drama [M Callum]
 MR. SMITH GOES TO WASHINGTON a gem! strong show! oh, it's mint! [L
 Shapard] now it might get mass honors [G Wienecke]
 MURDER BY DEATH dumber yet? hard! [K Robertson]
 MURDER IS EASY sure is dreamy! [B Levenson]
 THE MUSIC LOVERS let's crush movie! [MJ Hazard]
 MY BLUE HEAVEN hey, men, value "B" [J O'Leary]
 MY BRILLIANT CAREER try lame-brain relic [M Callum]
 MY FAIR LADY ay, a dry film [C Stroup] yay! rad film! [M Sisti]
 MY FRIEND FLICKA damn fiery flick! [J Sullivan]
 MY OWN PRIVATE IDAHO how dirty a movie! nap [P Martinez] a dim, very
 hot pain (ow!) [J Severson]
 THE MYSTERIANS merits the "nays" [S Welsh]
 THE NAKED GUN gee! (and thunk) [W Jones] aged hunk: "ten" [L Kirk]
 NATIONAL VELVET a live (non-TV) tale [H Trosclair]
 THE NATURAL unreal, that [S Welsh]
 THE NASTY GIRL trashy tingle [R Prouser]
 NEIGHBORS he's boring [ML Welch, K Stephenson]
 NEVER ON SUNDAY sunny endeavor [M Callum] on day seven, run! [J Moss]
 A NIGHT AT THE OPERA ha-ha! top rate! get in! [S Kirycki] ha-ha! I rate
 "G", top ten! [MJ Hazard]
 A NIGHTMARE ON ELM STREET lame, garish teen torment [P Sarrett] a gem?
 nil! monster theater! [R Taylor] a girl, monster theme: a "ten" [T Bress]
 NINE TO FIVE fine: vote in [MA Mullen, J-P Rebillard]
 NORMA RAE mean roar [C Sarantakos]
 NO TIME FOR LOVE o, not for me - evil! [D Allen]
 NOTORIOUS riotous? no [M Callum]
 NOWHERE TO RUN we hot rerun? no! [JL Eddy] oh, true renown [M O'Reilly]
 NOWHERE TO HIDE oh, new (i.e., red-hot) [MH McCoy]
 AN OFFICER AND A GENTLEMAN neat, fine romance (glad fan) [L Barton]

fanfare ending, a lemon act [J Yonus] off-center and inane, a glam [K Robinson]
 OF MICE AND MEN a "commend" - fine [NB Nordtvedt]
 ODONGO no good [J Howald]
 THE OMEGA MAN the mega-moan [C Sarantakos]
 OKLAHOMA! ah, Ma! look! [JD White, K Buckel] look: a ham! [P Hickman]
 THE OMEN no theme [S Kirycki, G Wienecke] eh? not me [J O'Leary]
 ON BORROWED TIME too morbid! renew! [G Wienecke]
 ONCE UPON A TIME IN AMERICA I cope in one cinema trauma [CL Young]
 ONE FLEW OVER THE CUCKOO'S NEST o, Fletcher scene won vote...us: OK!
 [K Talon] even once worth fees! cult? so, OK! [C Thornton]
 ON THE TOWN hot - won "ten" [G Collins]
 ONE MILLION YEARS B.C. silly cinema (bore on!) [T O'Rourke]
 OPERATION THUNDERBOLT bon! true plot on the raid! [B Nowacki]
 ORDINARY PEOPLE line: dreary poop! [T Incantalupo] o, real drippy on
 [M Woznicki] nearly dire poop! [D Larson]
 ORPHANS OF THE STORM stop! harsh! not for me [F Thompson]
 OTHER PEOPLE'S MONEY on poor sleepy theme [J Wright]
 THE OUT-OF-TOWNERS often the sour two [M Boltizar]
 OUT ON A LIMB I'm a loon, but... [A Knight]
 PACK OF LIES fickle "soap" [K Wickremasinghe]
 PAINT YOUR WAGON I pout, yawn, groan [F Thompson]
 PALE RIDER real pride [ML Welch]
 PAL JOEY pale joy [R Dayton]
 PAPILLON poll: pain! [J Slack]
 THE PAPER CHASE heap apt! cheers! [D Brann]
 PARADISE praised (A) [A Mason]
 PARENTHOOD poor? had "ten" [H Huie] ah, to ponder [D Sandler] drat!
 no hope [C Bright] o, drop a "ten" [R Prevade]
 PASSION FISH oh, finis! pass! [P Sherich]
 PATRIOT GAMES I am great! tops! [J Hungerford] at most, a gripe [G Ede]
 PATTON not apt [W Bunge]
 THE PEARL rate: help! [B Parietti]
 PEEPING TOM pigpen, to me [B Ringer]
 PEEWEE'S BIG ADVENTURE budge, see a preview - "ten"! [J Sullivan] need
 preview - be a guest [F Thompson]
 PET SEMATARY master type (A) [R Prevade]
 PHYSICAL EVIDENCE speedy vain cliché [J Davis]
 THE PHILADELPHIA STORY hi! her happy tale is told [J Thom]
 THE PIRATE hate tripe! [L Stoffel]
 PLANES, TRAINS AND AUTOMOBILES a bust! lame plot is so inane*[J Leavy]
 is not all bad, nor a pain: must see! [N Zimmer]
 PLAN NINE FROM OUTER SPACE us: inane plot, performance [B Jaccino] ample
 fun, tripe. Oscar? none [M Sisti]
 PLATOON "A" on plot*[D Brann, J Dudman] Plato? no [B Johnson, E Nemmers]
 nap tool [MB Randall] o, plan to [R Pivarnik] a plot? no!
 THE PLAYER "hype" alert [JF Besnard]
 POINT BREAK bore (nap kit) [J Bourne] bank o' tripe [J Bourne]
 POLICE ACADEMY comedy - I place "A" [R Pivarnik]
 POLICE ACADEMY, PART FOUR lippy tour de farce - a coma [S Muldrew]
 POLLYANNA nap on, y'all! [I Doherty]
 POLTERGEIST it spelt "ogre" [M Callum]
 THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE pure hit on odd sea event [T Eisele] ha! odd,
 even pretentious [C Wiederhoeft] it's a put-on; never do heed [R DeLuce]

THE POSTMAN ALWAYS RINGS TWICE Lange's new pic may hit two stars*[L Stengel] a hit! script's meaty 'n' Lange's wow! [R Brightly]
 PREDATOR rated pro [B Davis, C Bright]
 PRELUDE TO A KISS pleasure to kids [A Mason] o, stale, rude: skip [B Quigley]
 PRETTY WOMAN raw? tempty? no [M Olmanson]
 THE PRIME OF MISS JEAN BRODIE fine; Smith does a premier job*[D Yerkich]
 PRINCE OF THE CITY perfect in coy hit [J Yonus] cheer it - nifty cop [B Morton]
 THE PRINCE OF TIDES find other pic t' see [K Richardson] the piece drifts on [S Grossman] often, I heed script [J Yonus] deficient - stop her! [M Callum]
 THE PRODUCERS crude sport, eh? [M Boltizar]
 PSYCHO chopsy
 QUEST FOR FIRE risque effort [T O'Rourke]
 THE QUIET MAN quaint theme [M Callum, D West]
 RADIO DAYS rad, I do say [D Gerber] o, sad diary [P Sarrett]
 RAGTIME I'm great! [P Bourgoins]
 RAIDERS OF THE LOST ARK Ford! rest are OK (Shalit) [D Salvia] hot desert lark. so...fair [S Muldrew] o, that rare Ford (Siskel) [D Everly] Ford, the real star, is OK*
 RAIN MAN man, I ran [G Kubina, BW Myers]
 RATTLES startler [D Clarke]
 REAR WINDOW raw wonder, I [B Levinson]
 RED DAWN wander'd [B Parietti]
 RED RIVER re: driver [JD White]
 REPO MAN pan more [D Gerber] nap more [A Thrasher, J Yonus]
 THE RESCUERS DOWN UNDER rendered cute show - runs [L Picarella]
 THE RESTLESS YEARS three-star? less? yes [L Shapard]
 REVENGE OF THE NERDS never hedges - for "ten" [P Angiolillo]
 REVERSAL OF FORTUNE severe oral turn-off [R Taylor] a surer, novel effort [CL Young]
 RHINESTONE the snore-in [D Reed]
 RING OF FIRE in for grief [D Huge-Huston]
 RIO GRANDE dire groan! [S Welsch]
 A RIVER RUNS THROUGH IT raves right! run! our hit [W Edwards] R.R. rave - turnout is high [MJ Hazard]
 THE ROBE the bore [J Nesmith, J Sullivan]
 ROCKY cry "OK"; corky
 THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW oo! pure shocker! rich, worth try [M Pengelly]
 ROBIN HOOD oh, borin' "do" [S Pearlman]
 ROBIN HOOD, PRINCE OF THIEVES hip Costner, hero of video bin [JP Discenza] bored of his voice, I pen "thorn" [P Shawhan]
 ROLLER BLADE roll reel? bad! [R Banner]
 A ROOM WITH A VIEW o wow! rave! I'm a hit! [D Everly] oh, raw hit - a movie! [J Bender]
 ROMANCING THE STONE rants on...nice hot gem! [F Ernst] note cinema throngs [T Mentock]
 THE ROSE so there! [E Lewis, B Parietti]
 RUBY bury!
 SABOTEUR our beast [A Lee]
 SANTA CLAUS CONQUERS THE MARTIANS no! scant, squat aliens hurt cameras [D Longenecker]