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True Blood Season One The small town of Bon Temps, Louisiana boasts a wide array of colorful locals. Meet Sookie Stackhouse (Academy Award winner Anna Paquin), a sweet and innocent waitress who hides her powerful ability to read minds; Bill Compton, a 173-year-old vampire who's just moved back to town; Sookie's brother Jason, a ladies' man who can't seem to stay out of trouble; tough-as-nails Tara, Sookie's loyal best friend; Sam, the owner of Merlotte's who tries to keep his feelings for Sookie to himself; Lafayette, a man about town who's always cooking up something illicit and 'off the menu' and a quirky cast of characters who each hide their dark secrets in the shadows of night in the series that's like no other. Disc 1 includes the following episodes: "Strange Love" and "The First Taste." Additional Actors: Michael Raymond-James, Lois Smith, William Sanderson, Lynn Collins, Chris Bauer, Jessica Tuck, Danielle Sapia, Jessica Stroup, Jim Parrack, Adina Porter, Jeffrey Nicholas Brown, Randy Oglesby, John Billingsley, Karina Logue. Disc 2 includes the following episodes: "Mine" and "Escape From Dragon House." Additional Actors: Roberta Orlandi, Graham Shiels, Aunjanue Ellis, Andrew Rothenberg, Nicholas Gonzalez, Raoul Trujillo, Dale Raoul, Scott Alan Smith, Melanie MacQueen, Kevin McHale. Disc 3 includes the following episodes: "Sparks Fly Out," "Cold Ground" and "Burning House of Love." Additional Actors: William Sanderson, Lizzy Caplan. Disc 4 includes the following episodes: "The Fourth Man in the Fire," "Plasir D'Amour" and "I Don't Wanna Know." Additional Actors: Stephen Root, John Billingsley, Todd Lowe, Aisha Hinds, Kristin Bauer, Jessica Tuck, Zeljko Ivanek, Deborah Ann Woll. Disc 5 includes the following episodes: "To Love is to Bury" and "You'll Be the Death of Me." Additional Actors: Lizzy Caplan, William Sanderson, Michael Raymond-James, Chris Bauer, Jim Parrack, Adina Porter, Michelle Forbes, Mehdad Brooks, Lynn Collins, Lois Smith. **HBO Hawaii Five-O 6th Season One** of TV's longest-running crime dramas (only *Law & Order* would surpass its record-setting 12-year run), the 1970s television series *Hawaii Five-O* captivated audiences with its smart and stylish take on the standard policier formula. Filmed entirely on the Hawaiian Islands, the action-packed series followed the crime-fighting adventures of an elite state-police squad anchored by quintessential tough guy Steve McGarrett (Jack Lord) and his detective team of Danny "Danno" Williams (James MacArthur), Chin Ho Kelly (Kam Fong), and Kono Kalakaua (Zulu). Almost single-handedly rewriting the book on police dramas, the series distinguished itself with intricate plotting, inventive cinematography, exotic locations, and, of course, an indelible theme song and timeless catchphrase ("Book 'em, Danno!"). In Season 6 of the popular procedural set in America's own paradise, Detective Steve McGarrett (Jack Lord), Detective "Danno" Williams (James MacArthur) and the rest of the Five-O squad continue to foil the bad guys, including con men using fake diamonds to scam tourists. Hawaii's finest also take on a crooked federal agent who resorts to murder, a vigilante who targets criminals the cops can't convict and an outbreak of the bubonic plague. Disc 1 includes the following episodes: "Hookman," "Promo," "Draw Me A Killer," "Charter For Death" and "One Big Happy Family." Additional Actors: Herman Wedemeyer, Richard Denning, Harry Endo, Elliott Street. Disc 2 includes the following episodes: "The Sunday Torch," "Murder Is A Taxing Affair," "Tricks Are Not Treats" and "Why Wait Till Uncle Kevin Dies?" Additional Actors: Lyle Bettger, Tom Simcox, Kwan Hi Lim, Michael Anderson Jr. Disc 3 includes the following episodes: "Flash Of Color, Flash Of Death," "A Bullet For El Diablo," "The Finishing Touch" and "Anybody Can Build A Bomb." Additional Actors: David Simmons, George Voskovec, Glenn Cannon, Linda Ryan. Disc 4 includes the following episodes: "Try To Die On Time," "The \$100,000 Nickel," "The Flip Side Is Death" and "The Banzai Pipeline." Additional Actors: Yankee Chang, Peggy Ryan, Hildy Brooks, Eugene Troobnick. Disc 5 includes the following episodes: "One Born Every Minute," "Secret Witness," "Death With Father" and "Murder With A Golden Touch." Additional Actors: Ed Flanders, Michael Strong, Lynette Mettey, Tom Fujiwara. Disc 6 includes the following episodes: "Nightmare In Blue," "Mother's Deadly Helper," "Killer At Sea," "30,000 Rooms, And I Have The Key." Additional Actors: Casey Kasem, Katherine Justice, John Beck, Clarence Garcia. *Paramount/CBS*

Voyage To The Bottom of the Sea Season 4 Volume 1 Based on "Master of Disaster" Irwin Allen's 1961 movie of the same name, the 1960s television drama *Voyage To The Bottom Of The Sea* was one of the most popular sci-fi series of its day. The adventure series centered on the brave and fearless Captain Crane (David Hedison) as he and his seafaring crew went on dangerous missions that often found them saving the world and battling fierce underwater monsters. The courageous crewmembers of the nuclear submarine *Seaview* go on all sorts of new adventures and face a variety of challenges in these episodes from the fourth and final season of producer Irwin Allen's popular action-packed series. Escapades include encounters with berserk gorillas, a villainous puppet master and androids traveling through time, along with interplanetary abductions. Richard Basehart and David Hedison star. Disc 1 includes the following episodes: (Side A) "Fires of Death," "The Deadly Dolls," "Cave of the Dead," "Journey with Fear" (Side B) "Sealed Orders" and "Man of Many Faces." Additional Actors: Victory Jory, Vincent Price, Warren Stevens, Harry Harris. Disc 2 includes the following episodes: (Side A) "Fatal Cargo," "Time Lock," (Side B) "Rescue" and "Terror." Additional Actors: Jon Lormer, Woodrow Parfrey, John Crawford, Don Dubbins. Disc 3 includes the following episodes: (Side A) "A Time to Die," "Blow Up," (Side B) "Deadly Amphibians" and "Eleven Days to Zero." Additional Actors: Robert Sparr, Justus Addiss, Joe E. Tata, Don Matheson. Thirteen episodes of the series about the *Seaview* crew embarking on uncharted waters. Bonuses: unaired pilot episode, stills gallery. *Fox*

Kicking The Dog Strip poker, keggers and high jinks: That's what summer is made of -- at least for the friends in this film, who are spending their last months together before heading off to make their way in the world. Life-changing decisions play out against a backdrop of mind-altering partying as the 12 characters celebrate life, love, dreams and memories in this sweetly raucous comedy co-starring Carl T. Evans, Elizabeth Schmidt, Vedette Lim and Scott Laska. *MTI*

Not Easily Broken The path of true love never runs smoothly. Dave and Clarice Johnson realize this. After many years of marriage, their affection for each other is severely tested by life. After a car accident temporarily sidelines Clarice, the couple must come to grips with physical temptations, financial pressures and emotional challenges that threaten their love for each other. Ultimately they must determine whether or not their vows are easily broken in this soul-stirring film based on the inspirational best-selling novel by T.D. Jakes.. *Sony*

Mask of the Ninja When a genius behind an advanced weaponry superpower is killed, it leaves his company vulnerable to a band of ninja assassins desperate to steal his secret code for a biological weapon. But as Detective Jack Barrett discovers, the mystery of the ninjas reaches back to World War II, to their ancestors, and to a calculated plague that is about to be unleashed once again. Stars: Casper Van Dien and Kristy Wu. *Genius*

Driven to Kill Years after leaving behind a life as a Russian mobster, crime novelist Ruslan Drachev (Steven Seagal) returns to his idyllic home one day to discover that his daughter is engaged to marry his old enemy. In the blink of an eye, Drachev's deadly past comes crashing back, and his once-safe family is now at the mercy of a viciously transgressive force. However, as his criminal ex-cohorts will soon be reminded, Seagal's Ruslan Drachev is the most formidable antihero of the iconic aikido master's bone-crunching oeuvre since the days of *Marked For Death* and *Out For Justice*. Seagal is truly back in action and driven to kill. *Fox*

Plague Town While unearthing their ancestral roots in Ireland, members of a dysfunctional American family (David Lombard, Erica Rhodes, Josslyn DeCrosta and Lindsay Goranson) find themselves stranded in a remote country setting, surrounded by a sinister secret. The locals are creepy, to say the least. But could they be hiding a far more frightening truth about their own children? David Gregory directs this freak-filled gore-fest. *MPI*

The She-Beast When an accident forces a young couple's car into a lake, the wife (Barbara Steele) emerges possessed by the evil spirit of a vampire witch executed in the water centuries ago. As the bloodthirsty monster exacts her revenge with a murderous rampage, the husband's (Ian Ogilvy) only hope to reclaim his wife's soul is an exorcism. John Karlson also stars in the 1960s horror film directed by Michael Reeves. *MPI*

The Centerfold Girls When she agrees to pose nude in a prominent men's magazine, beautiful nurse Jackie (Jaime Lyn Bauer) couldn't possibly have predicted that she'd attract the unwelcome attention of madman with two things: bloodlust and a straight razor. Before long, other babes who've bared it all in the magazine become the deranged killer's next targets. Can anyone stop him before he slays all the centerfolds? John Peyser directs this classic exploitation film. *MPI*

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Valkyrie Based on the true story of cadre of Nazi officers who grew to oppose Hitler's murderous pursuits and made several attempts to kill him in the late stages of WWII, *Valkyrie* features a top-flight cast, with drama and suspense in equal measure. The film is a stylistic departure for director Bryan Singer and star Tom Cruise, with a screenplay by Christopher McQuarrie (*The Usual Suspects*) and Nathan Alexander that is constructed like a heist film, with a team of like-minded men coming together for a common purpose and facing incredible odds. It is 1943, and though he has come to be disgusted by Hitler's campaign of evil, Count Claus von Stauffenberg (Tom Cruise) has risen to the level of lieutenant colonel in the German army. Convinced that Hitler must die, Von Stauffenberg requests a transfer to Tunisia, where he loses his left eye and right hand during an Allied air raid. Falling in with a group of similarly disillusioned officers including Major General Henning von Tresckow (Kenneth Branagh), General Friedrich Olbricht (Bill Nighy), General Friedrich Fromm (Tom Wilkinson), and Colonel General Ludwig Beck (Terence Stamp), Stauffenberg is at the center of several attempts on Der Fuhrer's life, culminating in a bombing that kills a handful of his officers and leaves Hitler only slightly injured. Though advance photos of Cruise in Nazi uniform brought *Valkyrie* negative publicity, his restrained performance is at the heart of this well-crafted, thinking person's action movie. *MGM*

Seth MacFarlane's *Cavalcade of Cartoon* Comedy Seth MacFarlane (creator of TV's animated hit "Family Guy") offers up this collection of outlandish cartoon shorts from his YouTube venture, featuring all-new episodes deemed too outrageous for TV or the Internet. These fearless clips are uncensored, so they may not be appropriate for all family members. Fellow "Family Guy" vets Rachael MacFarlane, Alex Borstein, Mike Henry and Jeff Bergman provide vocal talent. *Fox*

Muhammad *The Last Prophet* A father tells the story of Muhammad to his little girl in this animated family film. The film chronicles Muhammad's life story, beginning with his retreat from Mecca's decadent streets to a cave where he prays and is visited by the archangel Gabriel. Told by Gabriel that he's a prophet meant to preach charity and the religion of Abraham, Muhammad returns to Mecca and quietly gathers followers, but Quarysh leads an army against the man of peace. *MPI*

Is There Life On Mars This fascinating documentary rounds up eye-opening evidence of the potential for life on Mars collected by NASA's Phoenix lander, a probe sent to Mars in 2008 to join the twin robot explorers Spirit and Opportunity. Just two months after it arrived, the Phoenix confirmed the presence of ice on Martian soil, fueling scientists' belief that the planet is or once was capable of sustaining life. *WGBH Boston/Nova*

Street Warrior War vet Jack Campbell returns to his hometown to find it a capital of corruption owned and controlled by a greedy businessman. The main attraction is the Gauntlet, the most notorious underground fight club in the county, which has already counted Jack's brother among its casualties. Jack wants bare-fisted revenge--and the plan begins in the Gauntlet. Stars: Max Martini and Nick Chinlund. *Genius*

Sesame Street *Being Green* Elmo Goes Green To Help the Earth Funnyman Paul Rudd turns up in a comically large costume in this latest adventure with Elmo. The furry little guy is gung-ho about saving the environment by recycling, re-using, and conserving resources. But even he didn't expect to literally "go green" when Abby, excited by the situation, turns him the color of Oscar the Grouch--and can't remember how to change him back to his normal (and preferred) hue of fire-engine red. *Genius*

Sergeant Preston of the Yukon *1st Season* From the creators of "The Lone Ranger" and "The Green Hornet" comes this beloved 1950s TV series about the adventures of a Royal Canadian Mounted Police officer in Gold Rush-era Alaska. With his horse, Rex, and his faithful sled dog, King, by his side, the dashing Sgt. Preston (Dick Simmons) proves that the Mounties always get their man. Season 2 finds Preston fending off a devious banker, killers in disguise and sub-zero conditions. Disc 1 includes the following episodes: "Vindication of Yukon King," "Rebellion in the North," "Trouble at Hogback," "Incident at Gordon Landing," "Bad Medicine," "Hidden Gold," "Last Mail From Last Chance" and "The Assassins." Disc 2 includes the following episodes: "Golden Gift," "Cry Wolf," "Girl From Vancouver," "Treasure of Fifteen Mile Creek," "The Boy Nobody Wanted," "The Mad Wolf of Lost Canyon" and "One Bean Too Many." Disc 3 includes the following episodes: "Crime at Wounded Moose," "Dog Race," "Phantom of Phoenixville," "Trapped," "Justice at Goneaway Creek" and "Skagway Secret." Disc 4 includes the following episodes: "Relief Train," "Totem Treasure," "One Good Turn," "The Cache," "Cinderella of the Yukon" and "Go Fever." Disc 5 includes the following episodes: "The Fancy Dan," "The Coward," "Father of the Crime," "Remember the Maine," "Love and Honor" and "All is Not Gold." *Infinity / Falcon Pictures*

The Riches *Season 2* Minnie Driver and Eddie Izzard star in this critically acclaimed FX series based on the concept of what happens when a family of traveling con-artists finds its way into a wealthy suburban community, fooling everyone around them into thinking they belong while trying to convince themselves of the same thing. Driver plays Dahlia Malloy, a wife and mother who at the start of the first season was released from prison for a crime her husband, con-man Wayne (Izzard), committed. Understandably bitter, Dahlia self-medicated and regularly stole to protect her children before ending up on the run from a scary crew of extended family. When a crazy coincidence gave Wayne and Dahlia the keys to a new life and identity, they seized it, mistakenly figuring life in the suburbs would be a piece of cake. Now in the second season, the Malloys--er, Riches--have come closer together as an unlawful family unit and continue their cheerfully criminal adventures. Like a mixture of *Desperate Housewives*, *Weeds*, and a *Coen Brothers* comedy, *The Riches* offers wide appeal. This box set contains all seven episodes of the show's second and final season. *Fox*

Beverly Hills *90210 Seventh Season* Created by Darren Star, the glitzy series chronicled the coming-of-age dramas of Minnesota siblings Brandon (Jason Priestley) and Brenda Walsh (Shannen Doherty) as they adjusted to their new lives in the affluent environs of the zip code of the title, where they attended the fictional West Beverly High with a tight-knit group of teenage friends: goodnatured jock Steve Sanders (Ian Ziering); naive virgin Donna Martin (Tori Spelling); aspiring DJ David Silver (Brian Austin Green); blonde siren Kelly Taylor (Jennie Garth); and troubled bad-boy Dylan McKay (Luke Perry). Like *DEGRASSI*, the series attempted social commentary by crafting storylines featuring a wide range of issues affecting '90s teens, including alcoholism, drug abuse, sex, and depression. Disc 1 includes the following episodes: "Remember The Alamo," "Here We Go Again," "A Mate For Life" and "Disappearing Act." Disc 2 includes the following episodes: "Pledging My Love," "Housewarming," "Fearless" and "The Things We Do For Love." Disc 3 includes the following episodes: "Loser Take All," "Lost In Las Vegas," "If I Had A Hammer" and "Judgment Day." Disc 4 includes the following episodes: "Gift-Wrapped," "Jobbed," "Phantom of C.U.," "Unnecessary Roughness" and "Face-Off." Disc 5 includes the following episodes: "We Interrupt This Program," "My Funny Valentine," "With This Ring," "Straight Shooter" and "A Ripe Young Age." Disc 6 includes the following episodes: "Storm Warnings," "Spring Breakdown," "Heaven Sent," "The Long Goodbye" and "I Only Have Eyes For You." Disc 7 includes the following episodes: "All That Jazz," "Mother's Day," "Senior Week," "Graduation Day: Part 1" and "Graduation Day: Part 2." *Paramount/CBS*

Dark Secret When a celebrity couple's daughter goes missing, everyone including the police believes a serial killer is the culprit. The truth, however, is not so cut-and-dried. With no clues or ransom note, detectives must look to old demons for answers. Alex Walker plays Alex Blight, a paparazzo whose knowledge and connections raise suspicions, and Steven Elliot and Ben Shockley play the detectives assigned to the case in this taut thriller. *MTI*

Swamp Devil A young lady returns to her southern hometown to learn that her estranged father is in hiding, accused of murder in the swamps. But when the real culprit emerges, an inhuman, killing mass of mud and vines, more surprises emerge from the bog--those of a town healer, of secret buried years ago, and of the true identity of the vengeful Swamp Devil. Stars: Oscar-nominated Bruce Dern and Cindy Sampson. *Genius*

Ron White *Behavioral Problems* Drunken tomfoolery, the beautiful invention of the bidet, and a novel approach to funding the Iraq War are just a few of the many comedy morsels served up by funnyman Ron White in this hilarious stand-up set. White, whose star rose as a member of the Blue Collar Comedy Tour, also scored successes with his popular Comedy Central special *You Can't Fix Stupid* and his runaway hit *They Call Me Tater Salad*. *Paramount*