

New On DVD & Blu-Ray

Cedar Rapids A childlike insurance salesman discovers his inner grown-up in this comedy from director Miguel Arteta and producer Alexander Payne. Tim Lippe (Ed Helms) sells insurance for a living. He's passionate about his career, so when the top salesman at the company dies on the eve of a big industry convention in Cedar Rapids, IA, his boss, Bill (Stephen Root), decides that Tim should take the trip to represent their company, and possibly accept a major award. Trouble is, not only has Tim never been on an airplane before, but he's in such a state of arrested development that he's even started sleeping with his former elementary school teacher Mrs. Vanderhei (Sigourney Weaver). Arriving at the convention ready to put his best foot forward, Tim hits it off with his hotel roommate Ron (Isiah Whitlock Jr.), but is soon thrust out of his comfort zone when he learns they will be sharing a room with their amoral, hard-partying colleague Dean (John C. Reilly), whom Tim has been instructed to avoid at all costs. Later, when the three unlikely roommates meet up with fellow insurance slinger Joan (Anne Heche), the chemistry just clicks. However, when the ultra-conservative president of the entire organization (Kurtwood Smith) catches Tim in a compromising position, it all starts to fall apart. Now, if Tim can just shed his illusions and finally see the truth about the people he always looked up to, perhaps he can find the courage to recapture his integrity, and return home and face the future with a newfound sense of self-assurance. *Fox*

New York, New York Is a sparkling, nostalgic look at the big-band era of the 1940s, as well as the MGM musicals of the 1940s and 1950s. The story concerns Jimmy Doyle (Robert De Niro), an aspiring saxophonist who meets and is at first rejected by singer Francine Evans (Liza Minelli). When they continue to bump into each other, a friendship blossoms, followed by romance, and then marriage. All the while, both musicians struggle to succeed at their craft, which begins to put an unbearable strain on their relationship. Eventually, this weight becomes too heavy to handle, leading the couple into a traumatic separation. Scorsese's obvious love for this era of music--as well as cinema--is overflowing throughout the picture, from the set pieces to the costumes to the musical numbers. Most striking is the brutally realistic depiction of a disintegrating marriage, filmed in a series of long, tense takes. De Niro and Minelli jump headlong into their characters, which results in a film that is a challenging viewing experience but emotionally rewarding to the dedicated viewer. *Fox*

Ceremony A young man wants a second chance at love, though the object of his affection isn't sure there was ever any love in the first place in this independent comedy. Sam (Michael Angarano) is a relentlessly confident would-be author in his mid-twenties who stumbled into a short-term relationship with Zoe (Uma Thurman), a beautiful woman in her late thirties with a bad habit of dating men who aren't right for her. While Zoe is very much over Sam, he's convinced they were truly in love, so he's upset to learn she's engaged to marry Whit Coutell (Lee Pace), a successful but colossally arrogant director of wildlife documentaries. Sam wants another chance with Zoe, so he persuades his best friend, Marshall (Reece Thompson), to join him for a trip to Long Island, where they'll hang out with some of their buddies. What Sam really has in mind, though, is to crash Zoe and Whit's weekend-long wedding festivities and convince her that he's the right man for her. However, Zoe's immediate reaction suggests that persuading her to leave Whit for Sam is going to be a very tough sell. *Magnolia*

Beastly A curse transforms a handsome and arrogant young man into everything he detests in this contemporary retelling of Beauty And The Beast. Wealthy Kyle Kingson (Alex Pettyfer) has everything a teenager could want in life, but he still gets off on humiliating the weaker and less attractive. When Kyle invites his misfit classmate Kendra (Mary-Kate Olsen) to an environmental rally at their school, she questions his motivations but reluctantly accepts. Later, Kyle blows Kendra off, prompting the spurned goth girl to cast a dark spell on the swaggering egotist. The spell causes Kyle to transform into an unsightly creature that strikes fear into the heart of everyone he meets, and the only way to reverse it is for him to find someone who can love him for who he is on the inside. Subsequently sent by his repulsed father to live in Brooklyn, Kyle forges a tenuous friendship with his kindly housekeeper (Lisa Gay Hamilton) and his blind tutor. When Kyle witnesses a drug addict in a desperate struggle with a menacing dealer, he intervenes, promising to protect the addict under the condition that his beautiful daughter, Lindy (Vanessa Hudgens), comes to live with the unsightly recluse in his sprawling Brooklyn home. Over time, the two forge a relationship that grows much deeper than anything Kyle has ever experienced before. *Sony*

The Boondock Saints Truth & Justice Edition Experience the raw power and heart-pounding thrills of The Boondock Saints like never before with this must-own Truth & Justice Edition. An all-new bonus feature takes you deeper into their gritty action-packed world than you ever thought possible. Two Irish brothers (Sean Patrick Flanery and Norman Reedus) become righteous vigilantes when they make a pact to battle Boston's criminal underworld. But standing in their way are the ruthless Russian mafia and a dogged FBI agent (Willem Dafoe). Secrets will be revealed and loyalties tested as the brothers unleash their explosive vengeance on a relentless quest for truth and justice! *Fox*

Death at a Funeral Frank Oz's 2007 black comedy Death At A Funeral is given the remake treatment with an urban spin in this Chris Rock-produced production. When a dysfunctional clan reunites to mourn the passing of the family patriarch, a respectful funeral quickly turns into an all-out fiasco marked by bitter resentment, blackmail attempts, and scandalous revelations. Dean Craig penned the script for director Neil LaBute, with Martin Lawrence, Tracy Morgan, and Danny Glover co-starring. *Sony*

Posse This shoot-'em-up revisionist Western traces the little-known legend of black cowboys in the Old West, who participated in settling the frontier and played an unrecognized role in U.S. history. During the Spanish-American War, a multiracial group of U.S. soldiers go on a dangerous mission under the orders of the despicable Colonel Graham, who is white. They succeed, returning with the booty from the battle only to find that Graham has betrayed them. After fighting Graham off, the soldiers escape with their cache. Thus begins a chase through Cuba and back into the U.S. as the group struggles with the law, the Ku Klux Klan, and big business in an effort to protect the land and rights of African American settlers. *MGM*

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Das Boot In the midst of World War II, as the tide turns against the Axis, a German U-boat crew is sent out to patrol the Atlantic and fire at Allied ships bringing supplies to England. The submarine also carries a press correspondent, there to report from the front lines of nautical warfare. Meanwhile, the crew's captain (Jürgen Prochnow) is becoming disillusioned with the Nazi regime and with war in general. What starts out as a routine mission is soon livened up beyond the crew's expectations when their boat's surprise attack on a convoy is thwarted by a fast-moving destroyer. Battered by depth charges, the crew must pull together to survive the attacks of their unseen enemy. *Sony*

My Own Love Song Jane and Joey (Academy Award® winners Renée Zellweger and Forest Whitaker) couldn't be more different. She's a take-charge kind of woman who never needs help from anyone, despite being paralyzed from the legs down, and he's a lovable oddball. When Joey convinces Jane to embark on a cross-country road trip, they stumble into one hilarious disaster after another in a heartwarming tale of redemption. *Inception*

Elektra Luxx What's a pregnant porn goddess to do? Well, if you're legendary adult film star Elektra Luxx (Carla Gugino), you decide to quit the industry, take a job as a "sexology" instructor at the community college and look forward to your new life with your baby. Except, that may not happen quite yet - not until she wrestles with a solicitous bride-to-be, an obsessed web streamer, a studly private investigator, a clothing-challenged neighbor, a criminal twin sister and even the Virgin Mary. It's one hysterical ride with plenty of uninhibited comedy along the way. Stars Gugino, Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Timothy Olyphant, Adrienne Palicki *Sony*

Bloodworth A nomadic country musician returns to his estranged family in Tennessee after 40 years on the road, and finds that the damage he did by leaving is nothing compared to the chaos he's stirred up by returning. Four decades ago, E.F. Bloodworth (Kris Kristofferson) walked away from his wife and three sons, and never looked back. Today, his ex-wife, Julia, has suffered a mental collapse, and his three sons, Brady (W. Earl Brown), Boyd (Dwight Yoakam), and Warren (Val Kilmer), have been consumed by rage. In the midst of this familial storm, E.F. forges an unlikely bond with his good-hearted grandson Fleming (Reece Daniel Thompson), who refuses to be defined by his grandfather's mistake, and resists the festering anger that has destroyed his family. But when Fleming falls in love with Raven (Hilary Duff), the mere presence of the boy's reviled grandfather threatens to cast a dark shadow of dysfunction over a whole new generation. *Sony*

The Glades Season One stars Australian actor Matt Passmore as Jim Longworth, an attractive, brilliant, yet hard to get along with homicide detective from Chicago who is forced into exile after being wrongfully accused of sleeping with his former captain's wife. Longworth relocates to the sleepy, middle-of-nowhere town of Palm Glade, Florida, where the sunshine and golf are plentiful and crime is seemingly at a minimum. But this town outside the Florida Everglades isn't quite as idyllic as he thought, as he finds people keep turning up murdered. Each case pulls Longworth off the golf course and reluctantly into his element as one of the sharpest homicide detectives in the field. Loaded with exclusive special features including unaired deleted scenes, gag reel, behind-the-scenes footage, featurettes, director and cast commentaries. Stars Matt Passmore, Kiele Sanchez, Carlos Gomez, Jordan Wall, Michelle Hurd. *Fox*

Accused At 17 When Bianca finds out her boyfriend cheated on her with Dory, a classmate, she's furious and out for revenge. Bianca and her best friends, Fallyn and Sarah, team up to play a prank on the girl to make her pay. The three lure her to a remote location, intending to abandon her, so she has to walk home alone in the dark. But, when Dory doesn't show up to school the next day, everyone, including Bianca, starts to worry... It's not until Dory's dead body is found and Bianca, and her mother go to the police, that this childish prank leads to a more adult outcome... An outcome where one murder may not be enough to silence the truth. *MTI*

The Frankenstein A beautiful young stem-cell researcher, Elizabeth Barnes, joins a secret research group attempting to develop a stem-cell based universal healing serum. Despite opposition from the projects leaders she quickly develops a serum that can bring the dead back to life - but with horrific results. When one of the project's security guards is murdered and then re-animated, Barnes and her team must contend with a man, who at first, is like a child but quickly becomes something much, much more.. *MTI*

Medium: The Final Season Medium is a drama inspired by the real-life story of research medium Allison Dubois, an extraordinary wife and mother who, since childhood, has struggled to make sense of her dreams and visions of dead people. Dubois is a strong-willed, devoted wife and mother of three girls who has gradually come to grips with her extraordinary ability to talk to dead people, see current events and the future through her dreams and read people's thoughts. *Paramount/CBS*

Louie Season One From the uproariously unrestrained mind of comedian Louis C.K. comes the year's most outrageously original comedy! As a newly-divorced, well-meaning father raising two young daughters, Louie struggles to cope with his strenuous mid-life shake-up, and his stand-up comedy provides a gleefully warped reflection of his hectic, everyday reality. There are disastrous first dates, indecent proposals, high school bullies, booze-addled play dates - and more. Featuring stellar guest stars such as Matthew Broderick and Ricky Gervais, Louie is unfiltered, off-kilter, and hilarious! *Fox*

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Big Momma's House Like Father, Like Son After stints as an undercover grandmother and an undercover nanny, FBI agent Malcolm Turner (Martin Lawrence) adds "undercover housemother" to his resume in *Big Momma's: Like Father, Like Son*. In this hefty new comedy, *Big Momma* is hired to go deep undercover as the Headmistress of the Atlanta Girls' School for the Arts attended by aspiring music student and leading love interest Haley (Jessica Lucas). Proving "like father, like son," Turner brings along his stepson Trent (Brandon T. Jackson) to double as *Big Momma's* grand-niece Charmaine and go undercover as a student in the school with hilarious results. The duo tries in vain to derail attempts by the school's security guard (Faizon Love) to get control of the debauchery. *Fox*

13 Assassins Based on actual events that served as the inspiration for the 1963 film of the same name, Takashi Miike's *13 Assassins* follows a group of noble samurai as they seek to slay a tyrannical, politically connected lord before he seizes control of the entire country. Japan, 1844: as the era of the samurai winds to a close, a sadistic young lord uses his powerful political ties to commit heinous atrocities against the common people. Recognizing the dangers to both his country and its citizens should the lord manage to gain any more power, a concerned government official secretly recruits 13 of the most skilled swordsmen he can find to defeat the evil lord once and for all. But reaching their target won't be easy, because the elusive lord is constantly flanked by legions of fearless bodyguards. Realizing that the bodyguards would decimate his modest task force in a traditional battle, the assassins' leader (Koji Yakusho) lays an ingenious trap that will give his men the upper hand, and waits patiently for their prey to take the bait. *Magnolia*

Hobo With A Shotgun A train pulls into the station - it's the end of the line. A hobo jumps from a freight car, hoping for a fresh start in a new city. Instead he finds himself trapped in an urban hell. This is a world where criminals rule the streets and Drake, the city's crime boss, reigns supreme alongside his sadistic murderous sons, Slick & Ivan. Amid the chaos, the hobo comes across a pawn shop window displaying a second hand lawn mower. He dreams of making the city a beautiful place and starting a new life for himself. But as the brutality continues to rage around him, he notices a shotgun hanging above the lawn mower... Quickly he realizes the only way to make a difference in this town is with that gun in his hand and two shells in its chamber. Rutger Hauer stars. Extras include making of material, behind the scenes interactive mode, alternate ending, deleted scenes, video blogs. *Magnolia*

Mannix: Season 5 *Mannix*, the popular, long-running detective drama about a tough and cynical private investigator, stars Golden Globe winner Mike Connors as the title character. *Mannix* is a hard-boiled and gritty detective who constantly defies rules and regulations and is able to take all the fist fights, high-speed car chases and bullet wounds that come his way in stride. Disc 1 includes the following episodes: "Dark So Early, Dark So Long," "Cold Trail," "A Step in Time" and "Wine from These Grapes." Disc 2 includes the following episodes: "Woman in the Shadows," "Days Beyond Recall," "Run Till Dark" and "The Glass Trap." Disc 3 includes the following episodes: "A Choice of Evils," "A Button for Genreal D," "The Man Outside" and "Muder Times Three." Disc 4 includes the following episodes: "Catspaw," "To Save a Dead Man," "Nightshade" and "Babe in the Woods." Disc 5 includes the following episodes: "The Sound of Murder," "Moving Target," "Cry Pigeon" and "A Walk in the Shadows." Disc 6 includes the following episodes: "Lifeline," "To Draw the Lightning," "Scapegoat" and "Death is the Fifth Gear." *Paramount/CBS*

Dynasty Season 5 A prime-time staple of the 1980s, this glittery soap opera a worthy rival to "Dallas" positively drips with jewels, glamour, greed and passion, perfectly embodying the excess by which the decade came to be defined. Centered on the well-heeled Carrington clan, including oil magnate Blake, his lovely wife, Krystle, and the deliciously devious Alexis, the series embraces its outlandish story lines and over-the-top fashions with equal gusto. *Paramount/CBS*

Johnny Cool This high-impact thriller finds exiled crime boss Colini (Marc Lawrence) training young Sicilian thug Giordano (Henry Silva) to be a heartless assassin. Giordano, dubbed Johnny Cool, goes to America with instructions to wipe out the mobsters responsible for Colini's deportation. Johnny travels the country on a murderous rampage and finds love with a troubled singer (Elizabeth Montgomery), whom the mob abuses in an effort to stop the cold killer. *MGM*

The Killer Is Loose Years after Det. Sam Wagner (Joseph Cotten) brought bank robber Leon "Foggy" Poole (Wendell Corey) to justice and accidentally killed the criminal's wife in the crossfire, the crazed convict busts out of jail with a one-track mind: to kill Wagner's wife, Lila (Rhonda Fleming), in an act of revenge. Now, the only way for the cops to recapture the robber is for a wary Wagner to use his wife as live bait. *MGM*

Down 3 Dark Streets Produced in quasi-documentary style, this vintage crime thriller stars Broderick Crawford as FBI Agent John Ripley. When fellow G-man Zack Stewart is murdered, Ripley takes over the trio of cases Stewart had been working on. Also seeking to identify his colleague's killer, Ripley begins to suspect that an extortion case involving widow Kate Martell (Ruth Roman) is the key to Stewart's death -- and possibly the other cases. *MGM*

Gun Duel In Durango In this gunslinging Western, bank robber Will Sabre (George Montgomery) abandons his criminal life, only to face vengeful outlaws from his former gang bent on forcing Will to rejoin his crew. Framed for a bank robbery, Will goes after his old gang to clear his name. Meanwhile, the reformed outlaw reconnects with his old sweetheart, Judy (Ann Robinson), and must convince her -- and the Texas Rangers -- that his criminal days are behind him. *MGM*