

Films That I ABSOLUTELY LOVE

-Adam Hall

(An ever-growing list.)

(Guilty Pleasures EXCLUDED.)

(**FAVORITES** highlighted in **RED**)

JAWS (Steven Spielberg)

Close Encounters of the Third Kind (Steven Spielberg)

RAIDERS OF THE LOST ARK (Steven Spielberg)

E.T. THE EXTRATERRESTRIAL (Steven Spielberg)

INDIANA JONES AND THE TEMPLE OF DOOM (Steven Spielberg)

INDIANA JONES AND THE LAST CRUSADE (Steven Spielberg)

SCHINDLER'S LIST (Steven Spielberg)

JURASSIC PARK (Steven Spielberg)

The Lost World: Jurassic Park (Steven Spielberg)

SAVING PRIVATE RYAN (Steven Spielberg)

Minority Report (Steven Spielberg)

CATCH ME IF YOU CAN (Steven Spielberg)

Munich (Steven Spielberg)

Mean Streets (Martin Scorsese)

TAXI DRIVER (Martin Scorsese)

The Last Waltz (Martin Scorsese)

RAGING BULL (Martin Scorsese)

GOODFELLAS (Martin Scorsese)

GANGS OF NEW YORK (Martin Scorsese)

THE DEPARTED (Martin Scorsese)

Shutter Island (Martin Scorsese)

Hugo (Martin Scorsese)

Silence (Martin Scorsese)

SEVEN (David Fincher)

FIGHT CLUB (David Fincher)

PANIC ROOM (David Fincher)

ZODIAC (David Fincher)

THE CURIOUS CASE OF BENJAMIN BUTTON (David Fincher)

THE SOCIAL NETWORK (David Fincher)

The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo (2011) (David Fincher)

Gone Girl (David Fincher)

Blood Simple (Joel and Ethan Coen)

Barton Fink (Joel and Ethan Coen)

FARGO (Joel and Ethan Coen)

THE BIG LEBOWSKI (Joel and Ethan Coen)

NO COUNTRY FOR OLD MEN (Joel and Ethan Coen)

A Serious Man (Joel and Ethan Coen)

INSIDE LLEWYN DAVIS (Joel and Ethan Coen)

MONTY PYTHON AND THE HOLY GRAIL (Terry Gilliam and Terry Jones)

Monty Python's Life of Brian (Terry Jones)

Monty Python's The Meaning of Life (Terry Jones)

Brazil (Terry Gilliam)

PUSHER II: WITH BLOOD ON MY HANDS (Nicolas Winding Refn)

Bronson (Nicolas Winding Refn)

DRIVE (Nicolas Winding Refn)

Only God Forgives (Nicolas Winding Refn)

The Neon Demon (Nicolas Winding Refn)

THE SHAWSHANK REDEMPTION (Frank Darabont)

The Green Mile (Frank Darabont)

STAR WARS (STAR WARS EPISODE IV: A NEW HOPE) (George Lucas)

STAR WARS EPISODE V: THE EMPIRE STRIKES BACK (Irvin Kershner)

STAR WARS EPISODE VI: RETURN OF THE JEDI (Richard Marquand)

Star Wars Episode VIII: The Last Jedi (Rian Johnson)

PREDATOR (John McTiernan)

DIE HARD (John McTiernan)

Die Hard With a Vengeance (John McTiernan)

THE HUNT FOR RED OCTOBER (John McTiernan)

ALIEN (Ridley Scott)

ALIENS (James Cameron)

Alien 3 (Assembly Cut) (David Fincher)

THE TERMINATOR (James Cameron)

TERMINATOR 2: JUDGMENT DAY (James Cameron)

GODZILLA (GOJIRA (1954)) (Ishiro Honda)

King Kong (1933) (Merian C. Cooper and Earnest B. Schoedsack)

Mad Max (George Miller)

MAD MAX 2 (THE ROAD WARRIOR) (George Miller)

Mad Max Beyond Thunderdome (George Miller and George Ogilvie)

MAD MAX: FURY ROAD (George Miller)

RESERVOIR DOGS (Quentin Tarantino)

PULP FICTION (Quentin Tarantino)

Jackie Brown (Quentin Tarantino)

Kill Bill Vol. 1 & 2 (Quentin Tarantino)

Django Unchained (Quentin Tarantino)

HALLOWEEN (1978) (John Carpenter)

Escape from New York (John Carpenter)

THE THING (1982) (John Carpenter)

FANTASTIC MR. FOX (Wes Anderson)

Moonrise Kingdom (Wes Anderson)

The Grand Budapest Hotel (Wes Anderson)

THE SILENCE OF THE LAMBS (Jonathan Demme)

IN BRUGES (Martin McDonagh)

YOUNG FRANKENSTEIN (Mel Brooks)

Blazing Saddles (Mel Brooks)

Good Will Hunting (Gus Van Sant)

THE LORD OF THE RINGS: THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE RING (Peter Jackson)

THE LORD OF THE RINGS: THE TWO TOWERS (Peter Jackson)

THE LORD OF THE RINGS: THE RETURN OF THE KING (Peter Jackson)

A FISTFUL OF DOLLARS (Sergio Leone)

FOR A FEW DOLLARS MORE (Sergio Leone)

THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE UGLY (Sergio Leone)

Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid (George Roy Hill)

The Sting (George Roy Hill)

THE GRADUATE (Mike Nichols)

Oldboy (2003) (Park Chan-wook)

Paths of Glory (Stanley Kubrick)

DR. STRANGELOVE OR: HOW I LEARNED TO STOP WORRYING AND

LOVE THE BOMB (Stanley Kubrick)

A CLOCKWORK ORANGE (Stanley Kubrick)

THE SHINING (Stanley Kubrick)

12 Angry Men (Sidney Lumet)

Dog Day Afternoon (Sidney Lumet)

NETWORK (Sidney Lumet)

ANIMAL HOUSE (John Landis)

AN AMERICAN WEREWOLF IN LONDON (John Landis)

Annie Hall (Woody Allen)

Zelig (Woody Allen)

Lock, Stock, and Two Smoking Barrels (Guy Ritchie)

Incendies (Denis Villeneuve)

PRISONERS (Denis Villeneuve)

Enemy (Denis Villeneuve)

Sicario (Denis Villeneuve)

Arrival (Denis Villeneuve)

Braveheart (Mel Gibson)

Apocalypto (Mel Gibson)

Dazed and Confused (Richard Linklater)

BEFORE SUNRISE (Richard Linklater)

BEFORE SUNSET (Richard Linklater)

BEFORE MIDNIGHT (Richard Linklater)

School of Rock (Richard Linklater)

THE GODFATHER (Francis Ford Coppola)

THE GODFATHER: PART II (Francis Ford Coppola)

Apocalypse Now (Francis Ford Coppola)

The Raid (Gareth Evans)

The Raid 2 (Gareth Evans)

Strangers on a Train (Alfred Hitchcock)

Rear Window (Alfred Hitchcock)

North by Northwest (Alfred Hitchcock)

PSYCHO (Alfred Hitchcock)

Casablanca (Michael Curtiz)

CHINATOWN (Roman Polanski)

Boogie Nights (Paul Thomas Anderson)

THERE WILL BE BLOOD (Paul Thomas Anderson)

BLADE RUNNER (Ridley Scott)

BLADE RUNNER 2049 (Denis Villeneuve)

Gladiator (Ridley Scott)

BLACK HAWK DOWN (Ridley Scott)

The Martian (Ridley Scott)

Platoon (Oliver Stone)

BACK TO THE FUTURE (Robert Zemeckis)

Back to the Future: Part II (Robert Zemeckis)

Back to the Future: Part III (Robert Zemeckis)

FORREST GUMP (Robert Zemeckis)

CAST AWAY (Robert Zemeckis)

South Park: Bigger, Longer, and Uncut (Trey Parker)

Team America: World Police (Trey Parker)

WILLY WONKA AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY (Mel Stuart)

A NIGHTMARE ON ELM STREET (1984) (Wes Craven)

Scream (Wes Craven)

THE FUGITIVE (Andrew Davis)

Hunger (Steven McQueen)

SHAME (Steve McQueen)

ROBOCOP (1987) (Paul Verhoeven)

STARSHIP TROOPERS (Paul Verhoeven)

TOY STORY (John Lasseter)

Toy Story 2 (John Lasseter)

Toy Story 3 (Lee Unkrich)

Monsters, Inc. (Pete Docter)

Finding Nemo (Andrew Stanton)

THE INCREDIBLES (Brad Bird)

Ratatouille (Brad Bird)

BEAUTY AND THE BEAST (1991) (Gary Trousdale and Kirk Wise)

The Lion King (Roger Allers and Robert Minkoff)

BABE (Chris Noonan)

BABE: PIG IN THE CITY (George Miller)

Chicken Run (Peter Lord and Nick Park)

SHAUN OF THE DEAD (Edgar Wright)

HOT FUZZ (Edgar Wright)

THE WORLD'S END (Edgar Wright)

SCOTT PILGRIM VS. THE WORLD (Edgar Wright)

Trick 'r Treat (Michael Dougherty)

ME AND EARL AND THE DYING GIRL (Alfonso Gomez-Rejon)

MEN IN BLACK (Barry Sonnenfeld)

EVIL DEAD 2 (Sam Raimi)

SPIDER-MAN (Sam Raimi)

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Iron Man (Jon Favreau)

Super (James Gunn)

Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 2 (James Gunn)

LOGAN (James Mangold)

The Prestige (Christopher Nolan)

The Dark Knight (Christopher Nolan)

CASINO ROYALE (2006) (Martin Campbell)

Skyfall (Sam Mendes)

ANCHORMAN: THE LEGEND OF RON BURGUNDY (Adam McKay)

Tropic Thunder (Ben Stiller)

APOLLO 13 (Ron Howard)

Clerks (Kevin Smith)

Kiss Kiss Bang Bang (Shane Black)

The Nice Guys (Shane Black)

8½ (Federico Fellini)

THE 400 BLOWS (Francois Truffaut)

The Third Man (Carol Reed)

The Kid (Charlie Chaplin)

GHOSTBUSTERS (Ivan Reitman)

PLANET OF THE APES (1968) (Franklin J. Schaffner)

Dawn of the Planet of the Apes (Matt Reeves)

AMERICAN PSYCHO (Mary Harron)

TREMORS (Ron Underwood)

The Town (Ben Affleck)

SILVER LININGS PLAYBOOK (David O. Russell)

Rocky (John G. Avildsen)

Dredd (Pete Travis)

28 DAYS LATER (Danny Boyle)

UNFORGIVEN (Clint Eastwood)

MYSTIC RIVER (Clint Eastwood)

Letters from Iwo Jima (Clint Eastwood)

LAWRENCE OF ARABIA (David Lean)

Birdman or (The Unexpected Virtue of Ignorance) (Alejandro González Iñárritu)

The Matrix (Lana and Lilly Wachowski (The Wachowski Brothers, at the time when the film was made.))

Blue Ruin (Jeremy Saulnier)

Green Room (Jeremy Saulnier)

IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE (Frank Capra)

Rashomon (Akira Kurosawa)

SEVEN SAMURAI (Akira Kurosawa)

THRONE OF BLOOD (Akira Kurosawa)

Yojimbo (Akira Kurosawa)

RAN (Akira Kurosawa)

Hitchcock/Truffaut (Kent Jones)

The Babadook (Jennifer Kent)

It Follows (David Robert Mitchell)

The Witch (Robert Eggers)

THE TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE (1974) (Tobe Hooper)

NIGHT OF THE LIVING DEAD (1968) (George A. Romero)

DAWN OF THE DEAD (1978) (George A. Romero)

DAY OF THE DEAD (1985) (George A. Romero)

CARRIE (Brian De Palma)

The Untouchables (Brian De Palma)

The French Connection (William Friedkin)

THE EXORCIST (William Friedkin)

The King's Speech (Tom Hooper)

THE HUNT (Thomas Vinterberg)

Elf (Jon Favreau)

Beetlejuice (Tim Burton)

Edward Scissorhands (Tim Burton)

Tombstone (George P. Cosmatos)

Friday the 13th Part VI: Jason Lives (Tom Mcloughlin)

The Blair Witch Project (Daniel Myrick and Eduardo Sánchez)

THE WIZARD OF OZ (Victor Fleming)

The Longest Day (Ken Annakin, Andrew Marton, Bernhard Wicki, Gerd Oswald (uncredited), and Darryl F. Zanuck (uncredited))

The Omen (Richard Donner)

Lethal Weapon (Richard Donner)

All the President's Men (Alan J. Pakula)

Spotlight (Tom McCarthy)

REPO MAN (Alex Cox)

Whiplash (Damien Chazelle)

La La Land (Damien Chazelle)

Spirited Away (Hayao Miyazaki)

Cabaret (Bob Fosse)

ALL THAT JAZZ (Bob Fosse)

De Palma (Noah Baumbach and Jake Paltrow)

The Fly (David Cronenberg)

CLÉO FROM 5 TO 7 (Agnès Varda)

ERASERHEAD (David Lynch)

THE ELEPHANT MAN (David Lynch)

Blue Velvet (David Lynch)

THE DEER HUNTER (Michael Cimino)

It Comes at Night (Trey Edward Shults)

Trainspotting (Danny Boyle)

I Saw the Devil (Kim Jee-woon)

Manchester by the Sea (Kenneth Lonergan)

Ferris Bueller's Day Off (John Hughes)

Planes, Trains and Automobiles (John Hughes)

Home Alone (Chris Columbus)

Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone (Chris Columbus)

Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2 (David Yates)

Caddyshack (Harold Ramis)

Paris, Texas (Wim Wenders)

Harold and Maude (Hal Ashby)

Children of Men (Alfonso Cuarón)

Under the Skin (Jonathan Glazer)

This is Spinal Tap (Rob Reiner)

STAND BY ME (Rob Reiner)

THE PRINCESS BRIDE (Rob Reiner)

WHEN HARRY MET SALLY... (Rob Reiner)

Misery (Rob Reiner)

ONE FLEW OVER THE CUCKOO'S NEST (Miloš Forman)

The People vs. Larry Flynt (Miloš Forman)

STALKER (Andrei Tarkovsky)

Almost Famous (Cameron Crowe)

Pan's Labyrinth (Guillermo del Toro)

Hellboy (Guillermo del Toro)

Hellboy II: The Golden Army (Guillermo del Toro)

Being John Malkovich (Spike Jonze)

Her (Spike Jonze)

THE DESCENT (Neil Marshall)

The Big Sick (Michael Showalter)

BLUE VALENTINE (Derek Cianfrance)

Snowpiercer (Bong Joon-ho)

Cool Hand Luke (Stuart Rosenberg)