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# MODERN HORRORS: An A To Z Of Horror Movie Reviews





## Synopsis

THE ONLY HORROR MOVIE REVIEW COMPENDIUM YOU WILL EVER NEEDAn A to Z of Scott Weinberg's horror movie reviews (over 800!), from 2000 to 2015. "Scott Weinberg has had a profound impact on the psyche of my career more than any other film critics out there." â " James Wan, director Saw and The Conjuring"A supremely knowledgable and sharply incisive reviewer, Weinberg knows and loves horror cinema as much as anyone I know." â " Scott Derrickson, director of Sinister"Brutally honest, calls it likes it is. Agree or disagree with his reviews, he is a fan of cinema and knows the art." â " Darren Lynn Bousman, director of Saw II-IV"At its best, film criticism serves as an intimate, passionate dissection of cinematic form and content at the hands of a doctor you trust. I've always felt comfortable with Dr. Weinberg's operating table, whether I was laying on it or merely observing from the operating theater." â " Lucky McKee, director of The Woman850 reviews in handy alphabetical format, with a new Preface by Scott and an Introduction by James Wan, director of Saw and The Conjuring.

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As a librarian, lâ <sup>™</sup>m naturally a bit obsessed with reference books, and in particular, horror reference books. When I was too young to see horror movies, I could still read books about them,

and based on the plot description I would let my imagination do the work. For a good number of movies, lâ <sup>™</sup>m sure the dread-filled images in my head were better than the actual movies turned out to be.So with that in mind, lâ ™m always on the lookout for new books about horror movies. And who doesnâ <sup>™</sup>t love a good list book? My personal preference for horror is anything from the eighties, so lâ ™m branching out to see what I can discover with Modern Horrors: An A-Z of Horror Movie Reviews 2000-2015 by Scott Weinberg. For those not familiar, Scott Weinberg is a well established film critic writing for numerous websites. This book is an A-Z list of over 800 horror movies that were released in 2000 or later. First of all, thatâ ™s a lot of films covered. Itâ ™s a mix of independents, big budget offerings, and U.S. and international releases. The reviews are at least one page long, so youâ <sup>TM</sup>re getting more than a peripheral examination of each title, with some of the more interesting films earning longer discussions. The author has very strong opinions. Heâ ™s a critic; thatâ <sup>™</sup>s his job. There are always going to be reviews that I donâ <sup>™</sup>t agree with. How much you enjoy a movie is a matter of taste and everyone is entitled to an opinion, so I donâ <sup>™</sup>t get up in arms if a movie that is horribly reviewed is one that I love. Weinberg is passionate and entertaining throughout and there is a good bit of humor, especially when covering the movies he clearly thinks are terrible. I feel the pain he must have gone through when watching terrible movies like I Know Who Killed Me and The Scorned. The reviews are never dry.

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