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CINEMA REVIEW

Sin City (18)

Dir: Robert Rodriquez & Frank Miller
Bruce Willis, Clive Owen, Mickey Rourke, Jessica Alba

Robert Rodriguez is the Texan king of cool. The kinda guy who cuts cult movies in his garage ("El Mariachi"). The sorta guy who makes movies for bar-room boys ("From Dusk Till Dawn"), ass-kicking kid flicks ("Spy Kids" 1, 2 and 3D) and genre send-ups for sophisticates ("Once Upon a Time in Mexico"). Rodriguez is an all-action, hands-on cine-geek and his career has been leading right up to this – "Sin City", a film noir with sex, soul and lashings of blood.

In "Sin City" there ain't no law, just pimps, killers, psychos, double-crossers and of course uzi-toting hookers in fish nets and leathers. The cops stay out of it – so long as they get their cut and the occasional piece of girl-action. But where there's sin there's not so much judgment as pure, unbridled, limb-losing, genital-ripping vengeance. Step forward the cool guys in long coats who have time to kill – literally. Lunkhead nutjob Marv (Mickey Rourke) hunts the cannibal-psycho who kills a prostitute with a heart of gold. On-the-run murderer Dwight (Clive Owen) helps a gang of not-so-helpless whores whack the cops 'n' mobbers who come a-calling. And grizzled good-guy Hartigan (Bruce Willis) protects a girl from a twisted paedophile loser with friends in high places. Meanwhile a whole bevvy of beauties bare their breasts and backsides or leap into action to slice 'n' dice sickos with samurai swords and six-guns.

On the side of the angels, blondies Nancy (Jessica Alba) and Shellie (Brittany Murphy) add sass and ass in equal measure. Cue all measure of mutilation, slickly shot in stunning black and white, splashes of colour enlivening the screen with livid and vivid touches. And no one can do deadpan, tongue-in-cheek splatter better than Robert Rodriguez. Not even his old mate Quentin Tarantino, who guest-directed for a day.

"Sin City" takes three stories from Frank Miller's adult comic-books and segues them together, with clever time-lapse touches and overlapping characters. Rather like "Pulp Fiction". And to be sure, "Sin City" shares Pulp's nerve-rattling, who's-gonna-live-through-this tension. It's also got fabulous film noir dialogue – sharp and funny – narrated perfectly by Rourke, Owen and Willis. Shot almost entirely green-screen, with no scenery or props, the actors give their all, with solid performances from a star-heavy cast (which includes Josh Harnett, Benicio del Toro and Elijah Wood). Rodriguez and Frank Miller – who co-directs - pull off a visual tour de force.

"Sin City" is literate, stylish and very violent. A cross between a Jack Vettriano sex 'n' suspenders painting, a knights 'n' damsels fairytale, a lad-mag daydream and a film-noir splatter-fest. There's morality in it. But it's nasty, brutish and long. If you like that sort of thing, it's cool. And for Rodriguez, there seems to be no purpose or praise higher than that.

Glenn Watson 05.06.05

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Daily Information presents:
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CINEMA
Until Thu 9th June

Ultimate Picture Palace (245288)

DOWNFALL [15] daily: 8.00pm
Last days of the Third Reich, dir. Oliver Hirschbiegel.

Odeon George St (0871 2244 007)

THE LEAGUE OF GENTLEMEN'S APOCALYPSE [15]
Are you local? daily: 12.45, 3.30, 6.45, 9.00pm
THE PACIFIER [PG] daily: 2.00, 4.15, 6.30, 8.45pm
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SIN CITY [18] daily: 12.15, 3.00, 5.45, 8.30pm
Robert Rodriguez directs Frank Miller's pulp material with customary exuberance.
Senior Screen: MY HOUSE IN UMBRIA [12A] Wed: 10.45am
Maggie Smith and Ronnie Barker as survivors of a terrorist attack in Italy.
STAR WARS EPISODE 3: REVENGE OF THE SITH [12A]
Be a Star Wars fan again! daily: 1.00, 1.30, 4.00, 4.30, 7.00, 8.15pm
VALIANT [U] daily: 12 noon
Animated WWII pigeon caper with Ewan McGregor.
MR AND MRS SMITH [15] Thu: 2.00, 5.00, 8.00pm
Spouses Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie are tasked with assassinating each other.
HOUSE OF WAX [15] Mon-Wed: 2.15, 6.00, 8.45pm
Magnificently silly horror with Paris Hilton.
ROBOTS [U] daily: 12 noon
Children's animation from the makers of "The Ice Age"

Phoenix Picture House (512526)

THE CONSEQUENCES OF LOVE [15]
Mon: 4.00, 8.45pm; Tue-Thu: 4.00, 6.15, 8.45pm
Psychological thriller from Italy. With English subtitles. Stars Toni Servillo.
French Cinema: THE CHORUS [12A] Mon: 6.45pm
A failed musician takes a job at a school for difficult boys.
A GOOD WOMAN [PG] Mon-Thu: 2.00pm
'Lady Windermere's Fan' set in 1930s New York. Helen Hunt and Scarlett Johansson.
SIN CITY [18] Mon-Thu: 1.30, 4.00, 6.30, 9.00pm
People with low graff voices shoot each other.

Odeon Magdalen St (0871 2244 007)

HOUSE OF WAX [15] Thu: 2.15, 6.00, 8.45pm
A group of college students wander into a museum overseen by a sadistic curator.
MR AND MRS SMITH [15] Thu: 2.30, 5.30, 8.30pm
Spouses Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie are tasked with assassinating each other.
STAR WARS EPISODE 3: REVENGE OF THE SITH [12A]
Mon-Wed: 2.00, 5.00, 8.00pm
More lightsabre fights than you could shake a stick at.
MONSTER IN LAW [12A] Mon-Wed: 2.15, 6.30, 8.45pm
Jane Fonda terrorises Jennifer Lopez.
IT'S ALL GONE PETE TONG [15] Mon-Wed: 4.30pm
Comedy following the tragic life of legendary DJ Frankie Wilde.

Ozone Multiplex (0870 444 3030)

HOUSE OF WAX [15] Mon-Thu: 1.20, 3.20, 5.20, 7.30, 9.30pm
A group of college students wander into a museum overseen by a sadistic curator.
IT'S ALL GONE PETE TONG [15]
daily: 1.00, 3.00, 5.00, 7.10, 9.20pm
Comedy following the tragic life of legendary DJ Frankie Wilde.
MILLIONS [12A] Mon-Wed: 1.30, 3.30, 5.50, 8.00pm
Heartwarming tale of felony & monetary union.
MONSTER IN LAW [12A] Mon-Thu: 4.00, 6.10pm
Jane Fonda terrorises daughter-in-law Jennifer Lopez.
MR AND MRS SMITH [15]
Thu: 1.15, 3.50, 5.30, 6.40, 8.00, 9.15pm
Spouses Brad Pitt & Angelina Jolie are assassins hired to kill each other.
SIN CITY [18] daily: 1.10, 3.40, 6.20, 9.00pm
Robert Rodriguez directs Frank Miller's pulp material with his customary flair.
STAR WARS EPISODE 3: REVENGE OF THE SITH [12A]
Mon-Wed: 1.40pm, 2.40, 4.40, 5.40, 7.40, 8.45pm,
Be a Star Wars fan again! Thu: 2.40, 5.40, 8.45pm
THE HITCHHIKER'S GUIDE TO THE GALAXY (PG)
Life, the Universe & Everything (with added romance). daily: 4.10, 8.30pm
THE LEAGUE OF GENTLEMEN'S APOCALYPSE [15]
Are you local? Mon-Thu: 12.50, 2.50, 4.50, 7.00, 9.10
THE PACIFIER [PG] Mon-Thu: 2.10, 6.30pm
You could think of it as a less nuanced Kindergarten Cop... But I suggest you don't.
WHAT THE BLEEP DO WE KNOW? [12A] daily: 1.50, 8.15pm
Pseudo-documentary attacking modern society's materialism (produced by the Ramtha School of Enlightenment)

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THEATRE
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Burton Taylor Theatre (305305)

WINSTON LIGHT Tue 7 - Sat 11: 7.30pm
Taye Tsaiki-Wiseman's very new work on love, lust, lies & longing. £5/£4

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Oxford Playhouse (305305)

THE OXFORD REVUE Mon 6: 7.30pm
Oxford University's finest comic talent. £8/£7)

THE FENCE Wed 8 - Sat 11 — Wed, Thu, Sat: 7.30pm, Fri 8pm
Powerful exploration of division inspired by the Gaza Strip's long-distance fence.

Jongleurs (01865 722851)

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Pegasus Theatre (722851)

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New Theatre, Oxford (0870 6063500)

LOVE SHACK Mon 6 - Sat 11 — Mon-Thu: 7.30pm,Fri, Sat: 9pm, 8.30pm
S Club & Heavasy stars appear in musical tale of couple's ten & stag nights. £12.50 £24.50

Old Fire Station Theatre (297170)

END GAME Tue 7th - Sat 11th June 7.30 (and 2.30 on Sat)
A darkly humorous expression of the futility of existence.

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GIGS

Tue 7th

HAMMER AND TONGUE: OXFORD POETRY BIG GIG / An evening of diverse and outstanding poetic talent / 7pm / poetry@hammerandtongue.org / www.hammerandtongue.org / The Zodiac. 190 Cowley Road; Tel: 420042; www.the-zodiac.co.uk/

OPEN MIC / 8pm / Exeter Hall Pub. 1 Oxford Rd (corner of Cowley & Marsh Rds.); Tel: 01865 776431; www.thex.co.uk

DISORDER / Live Rock featuring: All You Miss and Cato Street Conspiracy plus DJ / Oxford Rock Music Society / 8pm £3 members/ £4 non-members / www.oxrockson.co.uk / The Cellar . Frewin Court, off Commarket; Tel: 01865 244761; www.cellarmusic.co.uk

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CHIARINA / Acoustic Jazz, Pop and Folk / Cafe Rouge / 8-10.30pm - FREE / / chiarina_darrah@hotmail.com / www.chiarina.co.uk / Cafe Rouge - Little Clarendon St

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Wed 8th

CATWEAZLE CLUB / Oxford's acoustic performance space, for music, poetry, story and song, now in its eleventh magical year. £3.50/£2.50(performers/concs) / 8.30pm / www.catweazleclub.org / Northgate Hall. St Michael's St

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PSYCHO BABBLE LIVE / Gigswap presents 3 bands, Psycho Babble recently at Zodiac with TSOSL / GIGSWAP UK / Doors Open: 8pm/ Entrance £5 / info@psycho-babble.com / www.psycho-babble.com / The Wheatsheaf. 129, High St

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MEETINGS & LECTURES

Tue 7th

PALESTINE, RIGHT TO EDUCATION / Talk on Palestine and Academic Boycott by Hilary Rose and Dan Richard / Oxford PSC / Tue June 7 7.30pm no charge / pamela.parsons@ntlworld.com / www.oxfordpsc.info / Oxford Town Hall. 109-113 St Aldates; Tel: 252195

OXFORD SOCIETY OF CHRISTIANS & JEWS / AGM followed by a discussion between Rabbi Tony Bayfield & the Revd Dr Marcus Braybrooke on the role of religion in global conflict / AGM 7.30pm, discussion 8pm / Friends' Meeting House. 43 St Giles; Tel: 01865 557373

PAULO COELHO: "THE ZAHIR" / Paulo Coelho discusses his new book of that name / Blackwell's & The Oxford Union / 7pm / £3 / oxford@blackwell.co.uk / www.blackwell.co.uk / Oxford Union. Frewin Court; Tel: 01865 241353

SPIRITUAL HEALING / 6.30pm meditation, 7pm healing / Entrance free, donations welcome / Friends' Meeting House. 43 St Giles; Tel: 01865 557373

ANDRAS KAPPANYOS / Trends and Tendencies in Contemporary Hungarian Literature / Oxford Hungarian Society / Tuesday 7 June 8 pm / hungsoc@hungsoc.com / www.hungsoc.com / Oriel College MacGregor Room

POETRY & STORY TELLING / Poetry and stories from the audiance with musical break / Hear the Word / 8pm admission FREE / heartheword@fsmail.net / Gardeners Arms, Plantation Rd, Oxford

OXFORD REPUBLIC MEETING / For local supporters of The Campaign for an Elected Head of State / REPUBLIC / 7pm - The Jury Room / w.summers@republic.org.uk / www.republic.org.uk / Town Hall, Oxford. St Aldates; Tel: 01865 249811

Wed 8th

DAVID PATTERSON SEMINAR / Dr Joshua Zimmerman, Yeshiva University, USA: 'The Attitude of the Polish Home Army to the Jewish Question during the Holocaust' / OCHJS / 8pm / enquiries@ochjs.ac.uk / Yarnton Manor. Yarnton, Oxford OX5 1PY; Tel: 377946; Fax: 375079

APGRD LECTURE / 'Greek Drama on the Air' / John Theocharis, former BBC radio director / APGRD - Classics / Free, all welcome, 2.15pm / apgrd@classics.ox.ac.uk / www.apgrd.ox.ac.uk/events/lectures04-05.htm / Headley Lecture Theatre, Ashmolean.. Ashmolean Museum, Beaumont St.

MIND WATCH / Cultivate spiritual awareness to harness optimum mental health. / Brahma Kumaris / 7.30pm, free of charge / www.globalretreatcentre.org.uk/events_guide/talks/default.htm / Global Retreat Centre

MINOAN SEALS / An historic collection: a gallery talk by Mrs Helen Hughes-Brock / Young Friends of the Ashmolean / 5pm, £2 for non-members / young.friends@ashmus.ox.ac.uk / www.ashmol.ox.ac.uk/ash/friends/f-young / Ashmolean Museum. Beaumont Street. Opening times : Tue-Sat 10 - 5, Sun 12 - 5, Bank Hol Mons 10 - 5; Tel: 278000; Fax: 278018; www.ashmol.ox.ac.uk

ABINGDON GATHERING / Pub gathering open to members and anyone interested in Witchcraft / Children of Artemis / 8.30pm / rain@wytchcraft.net rain@wytchcraft.net / www.witchcraft.org / King's Head and Bell, East St Helen's St, Abingdon

SOCIETY OF YOUNG PUBLISHERS / Talk: publishing for charities - Friends of Earth, Red Cross, Oxfam / 7pm, members free, other £3.50 / oxfordevents@thesyp.org.uk / thesyp.org.uk/oxford/ / Oxford Brookes, Headington Hill Campus,

MUSIC & DANCE CLUBS

Tue 7th

O.U. SCOTTISH DANCE SOCIETY / Oxford University term-time only / 7.30-10.00pm / scodance@herald.ox.ac.uk / users.ox.ac.uk/~scodance/ / Wesley Memorial Hall. New Inn Hall Street; Tel: 01865 243216

MODERN JIVE (CEROC) CLASSES / Beginners and intermediates. £6 / 8-11pm / ceroc_oxford@hotmail.com / www.ceroczoxford.com / The Guildhall, Abbey Close, Abingdon OX14 3JH

HANDBELLRINGING / Contact Alan Cooper / 7.30pm / ajc@hwallingford.co.uk / www.communigate.co.uk/oxford/wallingfordhandbells / Bullcroft Recreation Rooms, Bullcroft Park, Wallingford

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CUBAN SALSA AND RUEDA, / Advanced Rueda 7.15, Beginners Salsa 8.15, Beginners/Improvers Rueda 9.15 / Rueda Tuesdays / £5 for the evening / wyn@danza.homechoice.co.uk / Lake Street Community Centre

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Wed 8th

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