

Movie Suggestions for 55 and older: #4 (141)

After The Ball - *Comedy* - Female fashion designer who has strikes against her because father sells knockoffs, gives up and tries to work her way up in the family business with legitimate designs of her own. Lots of obstacles from stepmother's daughters.

{The} Alamo - *Western* - John Wayne, Richard Widmark, Laurence Harvey, Richard Boone, Frankie Avalon, Patrick Wayne, Linda Cristal, Joan O'Brien, Chill Wills, Ken Curtis, Carlos Arru, Jester Hairston, Joseph Calleia. 185 men stood against 7,000 at the Alamo. It was filmed close to the site of the actual battle.

Alive - *Adventure* - Ethan Hawke, Vincent Spano, James Newton Howard, et al. Based on a true story. Rugby players live through a plane crash in the Andes Mountains. When they realize the rescue isn't coming, they figure ways to stay alive. Overcoming huge odds against their survival, this is about courage in the face of desolation, other disasters, and the limits of human courage and endurance. Rated "R".

{The} American Friend - *Suspense* - Dennis Hopper, Bruno Ganz, Lisa Kreuzer, Gerard Blain, Nicholas Ray, Samuel Fuller, Peter Lilienthal, Daniel Schmid, Jean Eustache, Sandy Whitelaw, Lou Castel. An American sociopath art dealer (forged paintings) sells in Germany. He meets an idealistic art restorer who is dying. The two work together so the German man's family can get funds. This is considered a worldwide cult film.

Amongst White Clouds - 294.3 AMO - Buddhist, Hermit Masters of China's Zhongnan Mountains. Winner of many awards. "An unforgettable journey into the hidden tradition of China's Buddhist hermit monks.

Ancient Mysteries: Seven Wonders, Splendors of the Ancient World - 930 ANC - Shows and deals with the historical information or indicators of proof of the 7 wonders of the ancient world. Includes interviews, digital reconstructions as well as miniature replicas of the wonders.

Angels and Demons - *Mystery* - Tom Hanks, Ewan McGregor; Priests are being kidnapped and brutally killed. Can it be stopped by Robert Langdon (Tom Hanks), expert symbolist?

Around the World in 80 Days - *Adventure* - Jackie Chan, Cecile De France, Jim Broadbent. With a focus on Jackie Chan's part as the valet, our hero goes around the world in order to secure the position in the British Science Society. Chan's character takes a jade Buddha from the bank that belongs to his country, and the love focus is on a French girl who is also a heroine. Great fun and another version of Around the World

in 80 days. Rated "PG". Walt Disney.

Aspen - *Western* - Sam Elliott, Perry King, Gene Barry, Michelle Phillips, Anthony Franciosa, Bo Hopkins, Roger Davis, Joseph Cotten, Jessica Harper, John Houseman et al. This is about a lawyer set in Colorado. Great at the legalities he is learning to be savvy to the political games. Great plot and character development over three segments. The ending has a special twist.

{The} Astronaut's Wife - *Sci-Fi* - Johnny Depp, Charlize Theron. A NASA astronaut and his schoolteacher wife find that two minutes of lost time during space exploration may threaten their sanity and their lives. This psychological thriller will grip you when their nightmare is revealed. Rated "R".

Baron Baptiste - *613.7 BAR* - Power vinyasa yoga live. Working with Core Power.

Beat the Devil - *Classics* - Humphrey Bogart, Peter Lorre, Jennifer Jones, Gina Lollobrigida, Robert Marley. Passengers on a steamer try to outfox each other for an illegal parcel purported to be worth a grand sum.

Belle de Jour - *Foreign* - Based on a novel by Joseph Kessel. Catherine Deneuve, Jean Sorel, Michel Piccoli, Genevieve Page, Pierre Clementi. A surreal account of a surgeon's wife who works as a prostitute in the afternoon.

Before Midnight - *Romance* - Ethan Hawke, Julie Delpy. A couple is on a writer's get-away in Greece. They face their past, present, and future as they deal with family and love. Rated "R".

{The} Big Lebowski - *Comedy* - Jeff Bridges, John Goodman, Julianne Moore, Steve Buscemi, John Turturro, David Huddleston. "twisted comedy", "thriller". The "Dude" and his bowling friends bring together wild characters, White Russians, kidnapping and an identity problem. Rated "R".

Blazing Saddles (Mel Brooks') - *Comedy* - Cleavon Little, Gene Wilder, Slim Pickens, David Huddleston, Liam Dunn, Alex Karras, John Hellieman, George Firth, Claude Ennis Starrett, Jr., Mel Brooks, Harvey Korman, Madeline Kahn. The Ole West, promises of the railroad, a new sheriff and a mean gang mix for a hilarious show. Rated "R".

{The} Book of Eli - *Adventure* - Denzel Washington, Gary Oldman, Mila Kunis, Ray Stevenson, Jennifer Beals, Frances De La Tour, Michael Gambon. Set in post apocalyptic USA, Eli goes west with a book that others want which could set up the new society for good or for ill-will. Rated "R".

{The} Bourne Identity - *Suspense* - Matt Damon Rated "PG-13". A man find out he not only has secrets and amnesia, he is a major government secret. He's the target of a fearful government.

Bridge to Terabitha - *Fantasy* - Walt Disney. This is about the power of imagination and how friendship can make magic.

Cairo Time - *Romance* - Patricia Clarkson, Alexander Siddig, Elena Anaya, Amina Annabi, Tom McCamus. Winner of many awards. Wife of is waiting in Middle East for her husband to arrive for their vacation. He sends a friend to escort her to the city's attractions. Interesting friend, exotic city, very different culture. Rated "PG".

Chasing Mavericks - *Adventure* - Gerald Butler, Jonny Weston, Elizabeth Shue, Abigail Spencer, Leven Rambin. Based on a true story. A 15 year old gets a legend named Frosty Hesson to train him to survive the great surer waves. Rated "PG".

Claudine - *Romance* - James Earl Jones, Diahann Carroll. Rated "PG". Single mother tries to raise her six children while dealing with government agencies, racism, protecting her children, and still wanting to have a strong family and a beloved. A touching, warm, comedy-drama. "PG".

Climates - *Foreign* - This is a film about cinematic artistry of Michaelangelo Anonioni with beautiful visuals offerings of loneliness, loss and the nature of happiness. Relationships and how relationships move show complexity and fragility.

Come Back, Little Sheba - *Classics* - Burt Lancaster, Shirley Booth, Terry Moore, Richard Jaeckel. Based on the play of the same name, a slovenly housewife and a recovering alcoholic lives go off track when a young boarder is taken into their home. When the young woman gets a boyfriend, things become very bad for the wife and the alcoholic. Shirley Booth as the wife gets a Best Actress Academy Award 1952.

{The} Day After Trinity - *DVD 623.45 DAY* - J. Robert Oppenheimer & The Atomic Bomb. Information on the life of Oppenheimer and the development of the bomb. It also tells of the opposition that Oppenheimer gave to the use and development of nuclear weapons.

{The} Deadly Affair - *Suspense* - James Mason, Maximilian Schell, Harriet Anderson, Harry Andrews, Simone Signoret, Kenneth Haigh, Roy Kinnear, Max Adrian, Lynn Redgrave. While investigating the apparent suicide of a man, British Secret Agent Dobbs is also dealing with his love of his wife and her infidelities. His old friend is her lover. He continues to discover disturbing evidence of the suicide while enlisting help from a retired investigator.

{The} Desk Set - *Classics* - Spencer Tracy, Katharine Hepburn; Computer expert meets brainy research specialist at a TV station. Jobs are on the line and fun and love ensue.

Divergent - *Sci-Fi* - Kate Winslet, Ashley Judd, Tony Goldwyn, Ray Stevenson, Zoe Kravitz, Theo James, Shailene Woodley, Jai Courtney. "In a world where people are

divided into distinct factions based on human virtues, Tris Prior is warned she is Divergent and will never fit into any one group. When she discovers a conspiracy by a faction leader to destroy all Divergents, Tris must learn to trust in the mysterious Four and together they must find out what makes being Divergent so dangerous before it's too late." Rating: PG-13; for intense violence and action, thematic elements and some sensuality.

DNA, The Secret of Life - 576.5 DOA - #1 in series. Narrated by Jeff Goldblum. Watson and Crick discovered DNA. This is a look back at the beginning of a new era for the science of biology and the course of human life.

Don't Move - *Foreign* - Penelope Cruz, Sergio Castellitto, Claudia Gerini, Angela Finocchiaro, Marco Giallini, Pietro De Silva, Vittoria Pisanelli, Elena Perino. Renato Marchetti. Love story about two desperate people who mess up their relationship and then find each other again. How does one separate love and other feelings?

{The} Duellists - *Drama* - Keith Carradine, Harvey Keitel, Edward Fox, Cristina Raines, Robert Stephens, Albert Finney. Two officers in Napoleon's army violently confront each other in a series of savage duels that escalate into a consuming passion that rules the lives of the men for the next thirty years. Rating: PG.

Einstein's Big Idea - 530 EIN - Based on David Bodanis's bestseller. "Understand the equation that changed the world." Presented by NOVA. Albert Einstein went from a patent clerk to the man who "unleashed the power of the atom." Here is what his early life was like and how he started making his discoveries. Aidan McArdle stars as Einstein.

End of the Spear - *Adventure* - Louie Leonardo, Chad Allen, Chase Ellison, Christina Souza, Jack Guzman. Based on a true story. Missionaries journey to the Amazon jungle to find the Waodani Tribe who are fierce warriors isolated from the world. Some of the Christians (husbands and fathers) are killed but the missionaries decide to stay true to their faith and stay and work with the tribe. How can a boy who lost his father accept this tragedy? Rated "PG-13".

Enemy of the State - *Suspense* - Will Smith, Gene Hackman, Jon Voight, Regina King, Loren Dean, Jake Busey, Barry Pepper, Gabriel Byrne. Successful Washington DC attorney is given info about a political murder. Life is no longer normal and who knows who the real enemies are? Rated "R".

{The} Exorcism of Emily Rose - *Horror* - Laura Linney, Tom Wilkinson, Campbell Scott, Colm Feore, Jennifer Carpenter, Mary Beth Hurt, Henry Czerny, Shohreh Aghdashloo. Based on a true story. Teen girl is targeted by demonic forces. An attorney takes on finding the truth to help a priest and ends up finding something else.

{The} Far Country - *Drama* - Two DVDs. Michael York and Sigrid Thornton. A doctor drafted into Hitler's army escapes after the war and tries to make a new life to forget the

past. He goes to a new country and works as a laborer. He finds love and loses it. Will he find it again? Will he be able to make a life for himself?

Fireflies in the Garden - *Drama* - Willem Dafoe, Carrie-Anne Moss, Hayden Panettiere, Ryan Reynolds, Julia Roberts, Emily Watson. The successful American family has a different face when they are together and the glue that held them intact is gone. Rated "R".

The Fireman's Ball - *Foreign* - The Criterion Collection, film by Milos Forman. Czech New Wave color film is sited as a "dazzling comedy, and a "political satire". Good intentions go awry at a firemen's ball including a beauty pageant, food issues, stolen prizes. This was a film that was banned in Czechoslovakia after the Russian invaded and prompted Milos Forman's move to the USA.

For Your Consideration - *Comedy* - Word that there might be an Oscar nomination, low-budget cast and crew go into a frenzy. Hype and exploitation run amok. Rated "PG-13".

{The} Fourth Kind - *Sci-Fi* - Close encounter of the 4th kind. Out space or other dimensional aliens, abductions, therapy sessions, and disturbing details. Don't watch it at night!

{The} French Connection - *Suspense* - Gene Hackman, Fernando Rey, Roy Scheider, Tony Lo Bianco, Marcel Bozzuffi. Detective Popeye Doyle (Hackman) and partner Russo (Scheider) work to break a drug ring and eventually uncover a French Connection. Based on a true story, this is an action packed thriller. Rated "R".

{The} Fountain - *Romance* - Hugh Jackman, Rachel Weisz. "Not too many films can blow your mind and break your heart at the same time, but this one will" (Drew McWeeny, Ain't it Cool News).

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{The} Gift - *Suspense* - 2015. Jason Bateman, Rebecca Hall, Joel Edgerton. The husband has a long-ago friend who arrives with suspicious gifts. There is also an awful secret that is best kept in the past. Rated "R".

Gifted Hands, The Ben Carson Story - *Drama* - Cuba Gooding Jr. This is the true story of a renowned brain surgeon who overcame obstacles to become a doctor. His mother encouraging and teaching him to be strong helped him become one of the world's leading neurosurgeons.

{The} Good Doctor - *Suspense* - Orlando Bloom, Riley Keough, Rob Morrow, Troy Garity, J.K. Simmons, Taraji P. Henson, Michael Pena. Ambitious doctor needs to

enhance his professional prestige. When is good care a dark obsession? Rated “PG-13”

Grass - 955 *GRA* - The Bakhtiari must cross raging rivers as the people themselves seem like a river of men, women, children, and animals to reach a land that will give them pasture for their animals and food for themselves. Restored to its full length version and made in 1924, this film is a documentary and a legendary work by the makers of the movie, King Kong.

Groundhog Day - *Comedy* - Bill Murray, Andie MacDowell, Chris Elliott, Stephen Tobolowsky, Brian Doyle-Murray, Marita Garaghty, Angela Paton, Rick Ducommun, Rick Overton, Robin Dike. Doing a remote broadcast, an overly self-involved weather forecaster finds his day repeating and repeating. What really matters?

Guns, Germs, and Steel - 303.4 *GUN* - National Geographic. Exploration of the fascinating connections between geography, technology and global human development. Three topics and titles are “Out of Eden”, “Conquest”, and “Into the Tropics”. Hosted by Jared Diamond.

Gypsy Caravan, When the Road Bends... - 781.62 *GYP* - A Romani celebration with information on history and variations in the music and dance.

{The} Gypsy Moths - *Drama* - Burt Lancaster; Dare-devils and sky divers take to the sky. Their lives undergo big changes when they come to Kansas to do their thrill seekers' shows.

Hermitage Masterpieces - 708 *HER* - Over 8 hours on three DVDs. Located at St. Petersburg, Russia, the art was collected from around the world and gives a historical overview.

Holy Smoke - *Comedy* - Kate Winslet, Harvey Keitel, Pam Grier. While traveling in India, Ruth (Winslet) becomes entranced by a guru. Her parents hire a cult deprogrammer (Keitel) who confronts her in a desert hideaway. Sparks fly for the two. Rated “R”.

How Art Made the World - DVD 709 *HOW* - “How humans made art and art made us human”: This is a set of two discs. This landmark series goes across five continents and 100,00 years. We see some of the greatest treasures of the ancient world and we explore the heart of creativity. This is an amazing presentation.

How to Read Faces - 138 *HOW* - Learn techniques for understanding people and how they think. Now considered a science by some, face reading skills “have been proven to be 98% accurate”...

{The} Iceman - *Drama* - Michael Shannon, Winona Ryder, James Franco, Ray Liotta, Chris Evens. The Iceman follows a contract killer, Richard Kiklinski. He built a family and a good reputation all the while killing. He lived the American Dream alongside this

“double identity”. By the time he was caught in 1986, he had killed 100 men. Rated “R”.

{The} Inn of the Sixth Happiness - *Classics* - Ingrid Bergman, Curt Jurgens, Robert Donat. An English parlor maid becoming a missionary in China falls in love with a Eurasian colonel and aligns with a local leader. She takes 100 children to safety during the Japanese invasion of China.

Irma La Douce - *Classics* - Jack Lemmon, Shirley MacLaine. Academy Award Winner. Business manager Nestor (Lemmon) falls in love with La Douce (MacLaine), a prostitute. He disguises himself in order to employ her just for himself. He then finds he is in competition with his disguise.

Jack Goes Boating - *Comedy* - Rated “R”. Philip Seymour Hoffman, Amy Ryan, John Ortiz, Daphne Rubin-Vega. One relationship develops while another comes apart. Where does love make courage? Where does that courage lead?

Jeff Who Lives at Home - *Comedy* - Jason Segel, Ed Helms, Susan Sarandon, Judy Geer. Jeff is searching for the meaning of life as he stumbles toward becoming enlightened. He starts to uncover the meaning of life within his family’s own problems. “ funny, tender and ultimately moving”. Rated “R”.

Jesse Stone: Death In Paradise - *Mystery* - Tom Selleck, Viola Davis, Kohl Sudduth, Orla Brady, Gary Basarada, John Diehl, Mae Whitman, Matt Barr, Edward Edwards, Brendan Kelly, Lisa Repo Martell, Kerri Smith, Stephen McHattie, Maria Ricossa, Vito Rezza, David Christofel, John Beale, Steven Flynn, William Devane. Based on the novels of Robert Parker. Domestic abuse, a teen found floating in the lake, a possible mob involvement, and more twists and turns.

Jesse Stone, Thin Ice - *Mystery* - Tom Selleck, Kathy Baker, Kohl Sudduth, Leslie Hope, Stephen McHattie, William Sadler, Jessica Hecht, Joanna Miles, Fluvio Cecere, Canryn Manheim, William Devane. Stone goes for justice as his friend fights for his life in the hospital. He has to go to the underworld of Boston and into the “territory” of an aggressive investigator and policeman. At the same time, a mother is making a plea for help for her kidnapped son whom she believes is still alive.

{The} Lady Eve - *Classics* - Barbara Stanwyk.

{The} Limey - *Suspense* - Terence Stamp, Lesley Ann Warren, Luis Guzman, Barry Newman, Peter Fonda. A British ex-con goes to Los Angeles to investigate his daughter’s death. Terrance moves toward revenge against the wealthy, guarded, music promoter. Rated “R”.

Little Fockers - *Comedy* - Ben Stiller, Dustin Hoffman, Robert De Niro, Teri Polo, Owen Wilson. Greg (Stiller) must prove to ex-CIA father-in-law that he can be a trusted member of the family. Rated “PG-13”.

{The} Living Matrix: a film on the new science of healing - *Spirituality* - Challenges “conventional medicine to expand the understanding of human biology” and encourages more integration between conventional and alternative.

Lock, Stock, and Barrel - *Western* - Tim Matheson, Belinda Montgomery, Claude Akins. A young couple run away and get married and buy a farm. Dad and brother pursue to get back the girl. Renegade soldiers interfere and threaten no good. A murderer helps them. And then they find out they may not have a farm and may not be married!

Lord of the Flies - *Classics* - 1963 - Essential Art House. James Aubrey, Tom Chapin, Hugh Edwards, Roger Elwin, Tom Gaman, et al. Based on William Golding’s fable of a group of boys trapped on an isolated island. There are no adults, and over time, the behaviors sink into horror.

{The} Lost World: Jurassic Park - *Sci-Fi* - Another island with prehistoric animals. Jeff Goldblum and other actors that were in the first Jurassic Park movie.

Love & Other Drugs - *Romance* - Jake Gyllenhaal, Anne Hathaway, Oliver Platt, Hank Azaria, Josh Gad, Gabriel Macht. Free spirit meets Viagra salesman and have no strings relationship until the natural drug hits.... Love. Rated “R”.

Magic of the White City Expo - *907 EXP* - Narrated by Gene Wilder. The Chicago World’s Fair of 1893 from The Minutes of History Series. Rated “PG” for some violent images and nudity.

{The} Million Dollar Hotel - *Suspense* - Jeremy Davies, Milla Jovovich, Jimmy Smits, Mel Gibson. The son of a billionaire has died in a flea bag hotel. FBI Agent Skinner (Gibson) has the assignment and he finds that somehow he is expected to subvert justice.

A Mind to Murder - *Mystery* - An investigation of a savage murder at a psychiatric clinic. Dalgliesh is caught in politics and in games of deceit.

{The} Missouri Breaks - *Western* - Marlon Brando, Jack Nicholson, John McLiam, Randy Quaid, Harry Dean Stanton. A ruthless horse thief (Nicholson) comes up against a sadistic “regulator” (Brando) hired by a man who has worked his life to build his land. The land owner played by McLiam finds out what he as unleashed is the worst possible outcome.

{The} Moonstone - *Mystery* - Greg Wise, Keeley Hawes. This the from the first deterrer novel ever written. A Hindu diamond is stolen from the sacred statue and is thereafter cursed. Heincastle who has it in his possession bequeaths it to Rachel to be given to her on her birthday. This is an act of revenge on Rachel’s father. It is given to her on her birthday and soon stolen. The mystery begins.

Mortdecai - *Drama* - Johnny Depp, Some men will do anything to prove to their wives they love them.

Movie 43 - *Comedy* - Elizabeth Banks, Kristen Bell, Halle Berry, Kate Bosworth, Gerald Butler, Bobby Cannavale, Josh Duhamel, Anna Faris, Richard Gere, Terrence Howard, Hugh Jackman, Johnny Knoxville, Justin Long, Christopher Mintz-Plasse, Chloe Grace Moretz, Liev Schreiber, Seann William Scott, Emma Stone, Naomi Watts, Kate Winslet. Lots of subplots from this all-star outrageous comedy. Rated "R".

My Beautiful Laundrette - *Comedy* - Saeed Jaffrey, Roshan Seth, Daniel Day-Lewis, Gordon Warnecke, Shirley Anne Field. Teenager wants to get out of his family life and become a success. Omar is set up to manage a laundromat and he has to make choices on what kind of business to really run. Rated "R".

Mystery of the Megaflood, Examining the World's Most Catastrophic Flood - 551 MYS - NOVA. 16,000 square miles of Washington state are called the "Scablands". There is a waterfall five miles wider than Niagra without water. There are giant pot holes and scars that are unexplained. With the help of theory and animation, a maverick scientist has proved this to be part of a massive flood remains. A massive glacier that unleashed a gigantic flood that swept mammoths "and everything else into oblivion".

Neil Young in Berlin - 781.66 INB - Recorded live in West Berlin. Call a visionary, Neil Young has a wide range of creative skills producing music on a spectrum of tastes. Independent in his musical approach, it often reflects his politics. The presentation includes his Trans Band: Nils Lofgren, Ben Keith, Joe Lala, Ralph Molina, Larry Cragg, Bruce Palmer, Joel Berstein.

Notorious - *Classics* - Cary Grant, Ingrid Bergman, Claude Rains. Alfred Hitchcock's. When a troubled woman is recruited by an American spy agent Devlin (Grant) to spy on a German ring in poster Rio, she agrees. Soon, though, she is in over her head and also in love with Devlin. Will the mission cost both of them their lives?

Notting Hill - *Romance* - Julia Roberts, Hugh Grant. Scott, a famous movie star (Roberts) meets Thacker (Grant) in his bookstore. They hit it off and she meets his friends. The public interferes though, and the life of the famous goes haywire typically and so does the romance.

{The} Objective - *Horror* - Jonas Ball, Matt Anderson, Michael Williams, Jon Huertas, Jeff Prewett, Sam Hunter. What US special forces look for WMDs in hostile territory after 9/11? What they find is beyond WMD and into the paranormal of the ultimate enemy.

Obvious Child - *Romance* - Jenny Slate, Jake Lacy, Gaby Hoffmann, Gabe Liedman, Richard Kind, Polly Draper, David Cross. "One of the most startlingly honest romantic comedies." (The Washington Post) Rated "R".

OC 87: The Obsessive Compulsive, Major Depression, Bipolar, Asperger's Movie - 616.85 OCE - "Although his film's stated purpose is "to show the hell" that mental illness has wrought on his life, co-director Bud Clayman has another, equally important goal: shedding light on the path to recovery. Through first-person narration, an evocative and wide-ranging collage of visuals, and interviews with Clayman's parents and others close to him, this documentary clearly depicts what he has gone through after being diagnosed over the years with depression, bipolar disorder, Asperger's syndrome, and Harm OCD-an affliction characterized by thoughts of hurting oneself and others. But the movie also demonstrates the importance of facing challenges and taking action-whether it's with small steps, such as venturing out for a night of karaoke, or big ones, as Clayman has proven with this cinematic endeavor. Decades ago (hence "OC 87") he gave up on his dream of making films. Here, he takes up the quest again, and the results are both inspiring and informative."

Once in a Lifetime - 796.33 - About the New York Cosmos team and Soccer coming to the USA. Narrated by Matt Dillon. Rated "PG-13".

Passage to Marseille - *Classics* - Humphrey Bogart, Claude Rains; Five ex-cons escape from Devil's Island to be a part of fighting the Nazis in WWII. Are they believed?

Patch Adams - *Comedy* - Robin Williams, Monica Potter, Philip Seymour Hoffman, Bob Gunton, Daniel London, Peter Coyote. "Staving off suicidal thoughts, Hunter Adams commits himself into a psychiatric ward, where he not only garners the nickname "Patch," but learns the joy in helping others. To this end, he decides to go to medical school, where he clashes with the staid conventions of the establishment as he attempts to inject humor and humanity into his treatment of the patients." Rated PG-13.

{The} Pelican Brief - *Drama* - Julia Roberts, Denzel Washington; An innocent thesis turns out to be too close to the truth for a law student. She's on the run and a journalist tries to help her while getting his story.

Poetry in Motion - 811.08 POE - This is a movie about 24 leading North American poets who do everything but read; they sing, chant and more their poetry.

Planet Earth - 333.95 PLA - Part of a complete series. Seasonal Forests, Ocean Deep, Green Plains, Jungles, Shallow Seas.'

Prizzi's Honor - *Comedy* - Jack Nicholson, Kathleen Turner, Anjelica Huston. "The Family" murders and kidnaps while love, revenge, greed, and power plays weave comedic fabrics which result in hard decisions.

{The} Pyramid Code - 932 PYR - A revealing series of Ancient Egyptian knowledge.

Quigley Down Under - *Western* - Tom Selleck, Laura San Giacomo, Alan Rickman, Chris Haywood, Ron Haddick, Tony Bonner, Jerome Ehlers, Ben Johnson. Sharpshooter goes to Australia and finds himself strapped with a crazy woman and

involved in a deadly battle. Rated "PG-13".

{A} Rather English Marriage - *Drama* - Albert Finney, Tom Courtenay, Joanna Lumley, Katie Carr; Two men, recently widowed, move in together. What comes between them? Some bedroom scenes heard and shown.

Reversible Errors - *Suspense* - William Macy, Tom Selleck, Monica Potter, Felicity Huffman, James Reborn, Shermar Moore, Glenn Plummer. A corporate lawyer is assigned to write a draft for a final appeal of a man on death row. This is a life changer for more than one person. Based on a novel by Scott Turow.

Roy Orbison and friends; Black & White Night - 781.66 ROY - Includes soundtrack from the album. Behind the scenes shots. Stage/Concert footage. Two discs.

{The} Ruling Class - *Classics* - the Criterion Collection. Peter O'Toole. Based on Peter Barnes' play. It is a take on British aristocracy and its sometimes insanity via black comedy. "beloved cult classic", restored. 1972.

{The} Salvation, Bad Men Will Bleed - *Western* - Mads Mikkelsen, Eva Green, Eric Cantona, Mikael Persbrandt, Jeffrey Dean Morgan, Jonathan Pryce. A Danish soldier goes out for revenge for the murders of his wife and son. The gang leader who did it is pursuing our hero also. Bloody and dramatic, confrontations happen in this sin and redemption saga.

Sea Kayaking Series (Nigel Foster's) Volume 1 Getting Started. This part one is the fundamentals of Kayaking. Foster, gives the history of kayaking along with how to make a boat selection, understanding hull design, gear, clothing and safety equipment. This film will make even the experienced better paddler.

Secrets in Their Eyes - *Foreign* - Julia Roberts. Frustration is not catching a killer. It broke up the group of friends. Years later, some secrets come out as friends come back together to try to solve the murder of their friend's child. One question keeps coming up...how far will someone go?

Seed Savers Exchange - 581.4 SEE - "Passing on our Garden Heritage".

Seems Like Old Times - *Comedy* - Goldie Hawn, Chevy Chase, Charles Grodin. A writer recruits his ex-wife for a heist.

Sexy Beast - *Suspense* - Ray Winstone, Ben Kingsley, Ian McShane. Gangland thriller with similar language. "a wild ride". "dream sequences involving a hideous man-rabbit"... Rated "R".

Shadow Riders - *Western* - Tom Selleck, Sam Elliott, Ben Johnson, Geoffrey Lewis, Jeffrey Osterhage, Gene Evans, Katharine Ross. Two brothers who are from opposite sides during the Civil War to home to Texas and find that family and friends have been

kidnapped by rebel guerrillas. They must rescue the women before they are sold into cat houses. From a Louis L'Amour novel.

She Fell Among Thieves - *Mystery* - Gentleman champions actions to save a damsel in distress from a woman forcing her stepdaughter to marry as murder and other mayhem is involved. BBC.

Side By Side - *777 SID* - Keanu Reeves explores the development of the film industry and how the digital age is impacting on it. Features: James Cameron, David Fincher, George Lucas, David Lynch, Robert Rodriguez, Martin Scorsese, Steven Soderbergh.

Singin' In The Rain - *Musicals* - Gene Kelly, Donald O'Connor, Debbie Reynolds, Jean Hagen, Millard Mitchell, Cyd Charisse, Douglas Fowley, Rita Moreno. Actors are caught in the bumpy transition to talking pictures; a Spoof of the early days of "talkie" films. Language Closed captioned for the hearing impaired.

Slaughterhouse Five - *Classics* - Michael Sacks, Ron Leibman, Valerie Perrine. WWII soldier time travels even to another planet and back to the horrors of fire bombs. Even after the war, he travels automatically to other places and times. Rated "R".

Smoke Signals - *Comedy* - Adam Beach, Evan Adams, Irene Bedard, Gary Farmer, Tantoo Cardinal. Sundance Film Festival Winner. Victor and Thomas are completely different but end up helping each other out for a cross country trip. Their adventure becomes one of discovery.

Southland Tales, This is the Way the World Ends - *Sci-Fi* - Dwayne Johnson, Seann William Scott, Sarah Michelle Gellar. In futuristic Los Angeles, life is dangerous as everything is on the brink of disaster (social, economic, environmental). A boxer has amnesia and he is involved with an adult film star and a policeman who has the key to conspiracy. Rated "R".

Spencer's Mountain - *Classics* - Became the Walton TV series, wholesome values, mild action, family.

{The} Station Agent - *Drama* - rated R, Sundance film Fest Awards: Peter Dinklage, Bobby Cannavale; When Fin (Dinklage) inherits a train station in isolated area and is just what he likes. Then, it becomes a way station for people with problems. Friendships develop.

Thrive, What On Earth Will It Take? - *303.48 THR* -By following the money and uncovering the global consolidation of power - this is a pronouncement on what is really going on with strategies for getting back our lives and our future.

Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy - *Suspense* - Gary Oldman, Kathy Burke, Benedict Cumberbatch, Colin Firth, Stephen Graham, Tom Hardy, Ciaran Hinds, John Hurt, Toby Jones, Simon McBurney, Mark Stro. British Secret Service Agent is brought out of

retirement to find the Russian spy who has infiltrated the British government at a very high level.

Trainwreck - Comedy - Old embedded values from her father versus what she feels she wants. As a journalist, she writes an article which helps to change her direction. Rated "R".

{The} Tree of Life - Drama - Brad Pitt, Sean Penn, Jessica Chastain; Midwestern family in the 1950s. The son, Jack, goes from innocent child to disillusioned adult through the years as he tries to get a better relationship with his father. All the while he struggles and questions everything including faith. Rated "PG-13".

Trouble with the Curve – Drama – Clint Eastwood; family issues and retirement.

Unforgivable Blackness, The Rise And Fall of Jack Johnson - 796.83 UNF - Narrated by Keith David with Samuel L. Jackson as the voice of Jack Johnson. This is the true story of the first African- American boxer, his rise to the coveted title and his struggle with his success and his fall. In two parts, the story goes from his Texas beginnings as a son of former slaves to his entry into the brutality of boxing. He fought his way through Jim Crow standards and going up the ranks of a white sport to Heavyweight Champion of the World in 1908. When the white boxing establishment couldn't knock him down, the courts went after him for various reasons to destroy his life. He kept winning and chose to live life on his own terms.

Vietnam: America's Conflict - 959.7 VIE - Over 23 hours of documentary footage. "captures the sweep of history and the agony of a generation."

Wedding Crashers - Comedy - Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn, Christopher Walken; Obeying "wedding crashing rules", John and Jeremy charm their way into weddings and into the hearts of the bridesmaids. Falling for one of the bridesmaids, John (Wilson) finds she is the daughter of the US Sec. of the Treasury. Things get more chaotic from there on. Rated "R".

Wendy and Lucy - Drama - Wendy (Michelle Williams) and her dog, Lucy get lost while traveling in the Pacific NW on the way to Alaska. She comes to realize how hard life is when in a world of strangers. Rated "R".

West of Memphis - 364.15 WES - Damien Echols, Jason Baldwin, Jessie Mishelly. True story about a new investigation of the 1993 murders of three 8 year old boys in West Memphis, Arkansas. They achieve an expose of wrongful convictions of teenagers put in jail for 18 years when they were innocent. Rated "R".

{The} West Side Waltz – Drama – Love and change on the West Side. Shirley MacLaine, Kathy Bates, Lisa Minelli.

Witness to Revolution, the story of Anna Louise Strong - 070 WIT - Creating a

sense of Seattle's past, the producer tells the story of Ms. Strong, a former Seattle journalist and "radical" leader.

Women and Money - DVD 332.02 WOM - "owning the power to control your destiny".

Yes - Drama - Joan Allen, Simon Abkarian, Sam Neill, Shirley Henderson, Sheila Hancock, Samantha Bond, Stephanie Leonidas. Feeling trapped in her marriage to a politician, an American scientist begins an affair with a Lebanese surgeon living in exile in London. As the affair goes on the couple finds it difficult to put aside their very different beliefs. MPAA rating: R; for language and some sexual content. Closed-captioned.

