



MOVIE REVIEW



Title: The Great Gatsby

Age Rating: PG-13

Genre: Romance

Teen Rating: 5/5

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Description:

This movie takes place in 1922 New York, and is told through the eyes of aspiring businessman Nick Carraway (Toby Maguire). Nick moved to Long Island from the midwest to chase the American dream, but instead finds himself in the middle of a heart-twisting love story. As the summer progresses, Nick forms a lovely friendship with his next door neighbor (and renowned millionaire) Jay Gatsby (Leonardo DiCaprio). The movie is absolutely beautifully put together, and does justice for the original novel. Viewers watch as a love story unfolds, but not without experiencing a rush of emotions. The combination of incredible actors, beautiful scenery, and a lovely story line create a wonderful film.

Favorite or Least Favorite Part:

My least favorite part of the movie is actually the beginning. I read the book first, and if I hadn't I would've been very confused; I think the beginning of the movie is misleading and could even result in viewers losing interest. However, as the movie develops it becomes much better, you have to just wait a bit!

-Grace S.