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Ultimate Death Match 2

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Theatrical Release Date: USA, 2010

Director: Shawn Cain

Writer: Shawn Cain

Cast: Shawn Cain, Kevin Nash, Shane Douglas, Johnny Swinger, Al Snow, Dan Severn, Jimmy Valiant

DVD released: March 22nd, 2010

Approximate running time: 89 minutes

Aspect Ratio: 1.78:1 Anamorphic Widescreen

Rating: NR

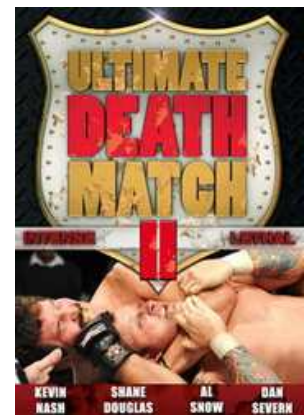
Sound: Dolby Digital Stereo English

Subtitles: N/A

DVD Release: IMDFilms

Region Coding: Region 1 NTSC

Retail Price: \$19.95



Synopsis: Fresh off the success of the first *'Ultimate Death Match'*. The mastermind behind first *'Ultimate Death Match'* concocts a even bigger and better promotion. And while there are a few minor alterations to this time around. The final match once again will be to the death.

Having immensely enjoyed *Ultimate Death Match*. My interest was initially peaked when I learned that there was going to be a sequel. And while sequels often pale in comparison to their predecessors. There are a handful of instances where a sequel surpasses or is at least on par with its predecessor. *Ultimate Death Match 2* falls into the latter category.



Content / structure wise, *Ultimate Death Match 2* does not stray too far away from the blue print that was laid out by its predecessor. With the bulk of the film taking place during the *'Ultimate Death Match'* pay per view event. Once again the matches are well executed and there are a wide array of charismatic wrestlers. who all supply an abundance of humor

then stream. Once again the matches are well executed and there are a wide array of exhibitive moments, this all supply an abundance of material during their interview segments.

The one area in which this film differs the most from its predecessor. Is how this time around there is a lot more time devoted to building up the main characters. With the scenes with Jake the mastermind behind the 'Ultimate Death Match' and Jimmy Valiant, who has been cast in the role of Jake's father.

It should not come as surprise that there is an element of predictability to the events that unfold. This is a film about wrestling after all, a sport that is meticulously scripted out. If you are expecting anything more than a spectacle. Then this film will quickly wear out is welcome.

The DVD:



Ultimate Death Match 2 is presented in an anamorphic widescreen that preserves the film's original aspect ratio. Colors and flesh tones look accurate. Event though details generally look crisp. There are a few instances in which stock footage has been inserted and these moments are taken from a much lesser source. Also edge enhancement varies in degree throughout and there are also mild instances of combing.

This release comes with one audio option a Dolby Digital stereo mix in English. The audio is inconsistent as dialog levels fluctuate throughout. Some of this may be attributed to the documentary feel of this film. In all there are no major issues with distortion or background.

Extras for this release are limited to a promo reel for other films also available from IMDFilms. Overall *Ultimate Death Match 2* gets a audio / video presentation that is on par with IMDFilms DVD release of [Ultimate Death Match](#).

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