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Movie Information

Directed by: Ted Bohus

Studio: MVD Visual

Running Time: 81

Year Released: 1983

Rating: **NOT RATED**

The Deadly Spawn (Blu-ray)

Review by: Fusion3600

Plot: What's it all about?

As a group of campers enjoy the great outdoors, a meteorite careens down from space and heads right toward the planet's surface. The meteorite soon crashes down pretty close to their campsite, which puts an end to the festivities. Two campers move in to take a closer look at the site of impact, which is quite a sight indeed. One of them bolts to grab a camera in order to document the event, while the other sticks around. Soon however, his guts are sticking to some sharp teeth, as an unknown creature has emerged from the impact and devoured him. As the other camper rifles through his tent, the creature hunts him down too place. The beasts, with razor sharp teeth by the hundreds, soon move to residents. Meanwhile in the same house, a young man named Charlie let down. But later on, Charlie and his friends put on costumes and head who was supposed to be down there. The scare is on them, as they only horrific creature with some wicked teeth. What are those hideous creature munched?

The horror genre has been all about the indies long before the movement to make a horror movie don't have much cash. Just write your treat their breasts, and rig up some blood drenched special effects, all staples expected, a lot of these low rent movies turn out to be pure shit, but some doubt, *The Deadly Spawn* is one of the success stories. Shot on 16MM it comes off as a slick, well produced motion picture. Not as polished perhaps. The draw here is with the gore and special effects, both of which are incredible for this kind of production, with effective visual presence and neither, so the red stuff flows often. The performances come off as bland, movies for great performances. The film has blood, great gore sequence to me.

Disc Scores

Video



Audio



Supplements



Overall



Disc Specifications

Aspect Ratio (1.33:1)

Trailer

Audio Commentary

Featurette

Number of Discs: 1

Video: How's it Look?

The Deadly Spawn is presented in full frame, as intended. I am not sure good visual effort. Even the DVD release seems to sport better detail, w/ excessive noise reduction applied, which softens the image and harms t run, but sadly it fails to live up to that expectation. I think we all know this sharper, more natural treatment than this.

Audio: How's it Sound?

Aside from a couple dropouts that slipped past quality control, this sound expect, but has held up well. The elements aren't too harsh and balance sounds passable in this version.

Supplements – What are the Goodies?

The extras here include audio comments from director Ted Bohus and er casting tapes, and even a gag reel. But that's not all, as we also have ph television coverage of the production, a tv spot, and the film's theatrical t

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