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## Zombie Undead

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Admittedly I was looking forward to watching an enjoyable low-budget zombie movie and expecting it to be brain-dead. *Zombie Undead* unfortunately only succeeds on the latter qualities. The movie is set in the UK town of Leicester after a terrorist attack which isn't really explained but is the reason for the zombies appearing in the hospital which the main character Sarah, has dropped her father off in.

The plot of the movie is one so simple that it could be written on the more useful side of a business card without interfering with the printing. A zombie outbreak in the hospital means the living must find an escape and then run. The zombies are the slow shuffling type which gives the "heroes" a fair chance to escape. Unfortunately the living aren't that interesting so the main characters aren't all that engaging or even possible to empathize with. In fact, the zombies are better actors than the living and it's easier to take their side. Overall, the gore isn't that terrible but admittedly there's better low budget gorehound thrills around.

The direction is terrible as both still cameras and what appears to be video cameras have been used to give a CCTV appearance which admittedly may appeal to fans of found footage but just makes it awkward for the viewer when the main speaking voice isn't able to be seen. When the cliched loner accidentally shoots a survivor, an opportunity for humour or even some other deviation is totally lost and the movie continues to walk the well-trodden path of undead cinema.

I'd advise avoiding this one as even clocking in at just over 80 minutes, it seemed way too long and lacked any real frights or humour. Still, I'll admit to being more than a tad disappointed at the lack of the extras but I guess it's par for the course as the whole movie was a let-down.

### DISC DETAILS:

DIRECTOR(S): Kris Tearse | COUNTRY: UK | YEAR 2012 | DISTRIBUTOR(S): MVD Visual | RUNNING TIME: 90 minutes | ASPECT RATIO: 1.78:1 | REGION: All / NTSC | DISCS: 1

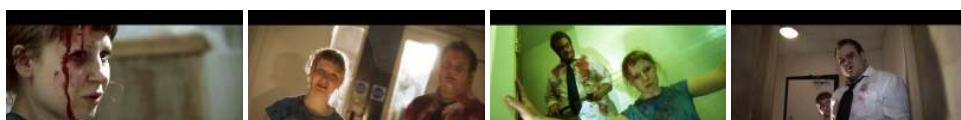
### EXTRAS:

None.

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