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It's always great when we get a Top 10 List from a movie star, and we are honored to have a top 10 list based on the favorite black and white horror films of one of our favorite genre actresses: Debbie Rochon.

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Debbie Rochon is an indie actress who has been in 200+ films - mostly horror including the new DVD release, "EXHUMED." Starting as a pre-teen in the cult punk rock classic LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: THE FABULOUS STAINS! in which she worked as an extra for 3 months. There began her cinematic journey. She worked her way up to leading lady status and continues to enjoy creating complex and off kilter characters for the screen. Debbie is equally drawn to broad comedy as she is to deeply dramatic horrifying horror roles. Readers may recognize such titles as "Mulberry Street," "American Nightmare," "Alien Vengeance," "Slime City Massacre," "Tromeo & Juliet" and "Citizen Toxie: The

Toxic Avenger IV." Debbie has just finished directing her first feature film MODEL HUNGER. It will be completed in 2013 and features an amazing cast

Debbie has hosted 4 different radio shows in NYC from terrestrial to satellite. She most recently finished a four year run on Sirius/XM hosting Fangoria Radio with Dee Snider and Tony Timpone.

She has been one of the subjects in multiple books penned on genre films and has graced the cover of 45 magazines, and has written for dozens of genre publications since 1993.

Debbie writes: "To celebrate the DVD release of 'EXHUMED,' a movie I am deeply proud of, I have made my top 10 list based on my favorite black and white horror films!"

## Debbie Rochon's Terrible Top 10 Black and White Horror Favorites List!

- 1) Psycho - The movie that would influence all slashers that would come after it. This movie has it all - great story, great atmosphere and great horror.
- 2) Night of the Living Dead - Another great film that would inspire decades of film makers to delve into the undead genre. Original, scary and raw.
- 3) Cape Fear - Robert Mitchum heads up a great cast in a disturbing and yet beautiful film of killer revenge.
- 4) In Cold Blood - based on true events from Truman Capote's novel, here we see Robert Blake in his best performance.
- 5) The Haunting - Hill House was never as scary as in this 1963 classic. Use of atmosphere over actual gore and ghost shots prove how riveting film making can be.
- 6) Carnival of Souls - The movie that has said to have inspired George Romero for his opus NotLD, the imagery and eerie qualities Herk Harvey used make this picture memorable and disturbing.
- 7) Eraserhead - this art house horror launched David Lynch's career and inspired Stanley Kubrick to demand his entire cast and crew to watch this bizarre essay before shooting The Shining. To 'get them in the right mood'.
- 8) The Night of the Hunter - another Robert Mitchum masterpiece of acting. Frightening, gorgeous B&W. Horrifying stories like this just aren't made anymore.
- 9) Invasion of the Body Snatchers - this may be more of a sci-fi flick, but horrifying it is. Excellent performances especially by Kevin McCarthy who has a stand out melt-down at the police station.
- 10) The Hitch Hiker - Ida Lupino's classic that really wasn't appreciated until many years after it's release. A real fright due to it's realism and was apparently based on a true story according to the opening credits.

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