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Depeche Mode
The Dark Progression
 By Cam Lindsay

Could this be a film that actually pays respect to its subject the way an authorized documentary should? Well, despite some official footage and actual music by the band, which isn't always the case with these docs, *The Dark Progression* suffers from the usual hiccups. The biggest issue is with these "band interviews" the case speaks of. Yes, Martin, David, Andy and even Alan are interviewed (stock footage, of course), but compared to the ratio of producers, peers and the biographer it's all a bit disappointing. I mean, does Gary Numan really need to weigh in so often? Perhaps it's because this DVD isn't just about DM. Beginning with a history of electronic music, the doc goes through the years explaining the band's rise throughout various scenes, as well as exploring their key albums. But when you have outsiders doing all of the talking about their turmoil does anyone want to listen? No, not really. (MVD)

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Leonard Cohen - Live In London

"What a great honour to play for you," intones the immortal baritone of Leonard Cohen at the beginning of this two-disc, 150-minute document of his 2008 world tour. Here is a 73-year-old man who, despite decades of success and reverential acclaim, remains remarkably modest, deferential to every one ...[Read More](#)



13 Most Beautiful... Songs for Andy Warhol's Screen Tests

If you've ever seen one of Warhol's screen tests and didn't see the allure this DVD could be more chore than pleasure. But there's always been an indescribable magnetism about watching the creator of modern pop culture observing his subject. Packaged in a gorgeous hardbound case, *13 Most Beautiful* ...[Read More](#)



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inFamous [PS3]

If you go out and buy *inFamous* because you were a fan of the developer's past work on the *Sly Cooper* series you may get a better understanding of the company's name, Sucker Punch, since their super-heroic new game couldn't be further from their cartoon racoon past.



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