



DVD Review – Drive-In Cheezy Movie Collection

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Absolutely atrocious, but impossible to turn off, this 10 DVD box set might easily make you wonder how a B-Movie can turn into a D-Movie overnight. Encrusted with intermission/concession reels, these alone are worth the price of admission. Carnies go wild in *She Freak* while *Dr. Blood's Coffin* has us shivering in mad scientist delight. A young **Burt Reynolds** almost goes overboard in *Shark* and an even younger **Harvey Keitel** gets all medieval on that ass in *Star Knight*. It's too bad that some of the movies in the trailers section are not here (*Convoy*) or some that should have been as far as fast paced hi jinx are concerned (*Mother, Jugs and Speed* et al).

If your métier is B-Movie collecting these are worthy of stacking on the pile. So bad you can't help but watch. Then there are the trailers, (albeit the highlight of any old school DVD), these unfortunately repeat themselves from disc to disc, not leaving much in the WOW factor department by the time you have slipped in disc number 9. Monster Mash-ups are included with the "Outlaw Vs. Maniac" films like *Jesse James Meets Frankenstein's Daughter* (or *Billy The Kid Vs. Dracula*, not in this collection). Our own editor **Grimm Culhane** actually bathed at the *Horror Hotel* and even filled out the comment card at check out. Speaking of checking out, *Inn of the Damned* is open for business and is the only Spaghetti western included in this B-Grade buffet.

The Headless Ghost and the classic *Monster Robot* make an appearance in all their glory, and of course not everything makes the "Cut" as with *Baron Blood* and *Lisa and The Devil* which bottom out after viewing all 10 Discs. Still the value is worth it for collection purposes or for those who are too damn lazy to go searching in the bins.

More laughs than frights, **Drive-In Cheezy Movie Collection** is a perfect late night companion when the bong is full and the lights are dim.

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