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The Death of Andy Kaufman



Official Synopsis:

The Death of Andy Kaufman takes on the many mysteries and theories surrounding Andy Kaufman's death, and through exclusive interviews with family and friends, rare performances by Kaufman, and the filmmakers own personal investigation, we are brought closer to understanding mind and myth of one of the most celebrated and mysterious performance artists all time, often with unexpected results.

Our Take

After watching this documentary, I have my own conclusion about what happened to Andy Kaufman, he faked the faking of his death. All the "evidence" either proves he didn't die back in 1984 or that he did die and Andy created all this "evidence" to keep people talking about him for years (now

decades) later. And because he was the ultimate chameleon and showman, one will never know. He could be hanging with Elvis and 2Pac on an island somewhere sipping drinks out of a coconut shell as I write this.

Special Features:

- Chasing the Little Ghost.
- Behind the Scenes Interview with Director Chris Maloney.
- Trailers

Conclusion:

The Death of Andy Kaufman is an interesting look into one of the more bizarre characters of the 20th century. Sure it doesn't prove anything nor does it really set out to prove or disprove anything, but it does show some vintage performances of Andy and interviews with friends and family. I remember growing up and my family watching **Taxi** and I really enjoyed the bio-pic of Kaufman's so I enjoyed watching this. The filmmaker doesn't go out of his way to lean towards any clear side and that's a good thing in making a documentary. Fans of Kaufman should also enjoy it especially his old acts and characters.

RECOMMENDED!

Overall Picture:

Film: **B+**

Extra Features: **B+**

- Ken Murray Staff Writer



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