

Planet of the Vampire Women (2012) Review

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When you sit down to watch a film with a title like *Planet of the Vampire Women*, you pretty much know what you're getting into – low budget sleaze with equal parts gore, terrible effects, bad acting, and topless women. In that respect, *Planet of the Vampire Women* doesn't disappoint.



The film's plot (yes, there actually IS a plot) is as silly as you're probably expecting it to be. A space-pirate-ship consisting of mostly slutty looking women (that apparently hate wearing pants and shirts with sleeves) commit the crime of the century by robbing a casino-space-station. While on the run from the intergalactic police force, the space pirates land on an unknown planet that has been taken over by, you guessed it, vampire women.



There's no way to sugarcoat it – the digital effects are terrible. Honestly, the cut-scenes (I call them that because they look straight out of a Nintendo 64 video game) are around a decade past being acceptable and the practical effects aren't much better. Some of the monsters look like an awkward hybrid of *The Land of the Lost's* creatures, the inhabitants of Netherrealm in *Mortal Kombat*, and a 4th grader's science project.

Planet of the Vampire Women is pretty awful, but I feel like it's aware of this and just has fun with it. Women take off their tops for absolutely no reason, there are one-liners that are completely irrelevant to the plot, not to mention the completely ridiculous death scenes.



I have to be honest, *Planet of the Vampire Women* wasn't really my cup of tea. I feel like I was far too sober to take in the film and it just kind-of dragged on near the end. The goofiness went from humorous to annoying around the halfway mark of the film and I just couldn't stay interested, no matter how many boobies were on the screen. *They must be in the same galaxy as the MST3K guys...* 3.0/10

- Blair Hoyle

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