



GOTH KILL - A Film by JJ Connelly (Wild Eye) <u>Official Goth Kill Website</u>

I was pleased on the day that I went out to check the mail and, instead of the regular bills, junk mail, or music promos, there was a DVD copy of an underground horror film called Goth Kill. I'm used to getting the occasional music DVD, but never an actual movie. So, I decided that there was nothing to lose by popping this baby in to see what was up. Just by looking at the cover and reading the back, I knew that I wasn't going to be in for any tour de force, and I was right. But as a fan of ridiculously absurd low budget films, I was in for a treat. Goth Kill tells the story of Nicholas Dread, a member and torturer for the inquisition during the Salem witch trials, played by real life fire breathing carnival freak, Flambeaux. To tell the truth, this doesn't really play out at all in the movie, but that's what the box says. Anyway, Dread makes a pact with the devil to reign over the thousands of souls that he helped send to hell. Once dead, Dread finds that the devil has tricked him. Go figure ! Angered by this, he possesses the soul of an innocent(ish) young woman who just happens to have gotten an invite to the secret hangout for the elite in the New York goth scene, The Scorpion Society. From then on, it's madness and mayhem as all hell breaks loose and the wierdos have to fend for themselves against bloodthirsty demons from the underworld. What doesn't sound good about that ? Harkening back to cheesy

classics like Redneck Zombies and Rock'N'Roll Nightmare (Featuring Canada's hard rocking Supergod, Thor), the tongue in cheek violence and story line aren't meant to impress critics or movie nerds very much, but to entertain those of us who can appreciate this kind of shlock. FUSE TV's Mistress Juliya even makes a cameo as a devil girl that will have many lonely boys begging for death, just to get a chance to burn in hell with a bitch like that. Over all, the sound and music could have been a bit better, or a lot better, but the movie on the whole was enjoyable. If you only like to watch big budget horror movies with CGI gore, this is not for you. If you're into stuff like Army of Darkness or Sorority Babes in the Slimeball Bowl-O-Rama, pick up a copy of Goth Kill.

-Rob"Bubbs"Harris

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