Subject: Van Helsing
Posted by Wayne Parham on Tue, 19 Oct 2004 06:38:13 GMT
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If you like Dracula movies, then this one is one you'll probably want to watch. It uses all the really cool, in-your-face, fast action, hi-res action scenes that were made so popular by the comic-book action movie adaptations of the last decade. Definitely high on adrenaline factor, and I like that. But this one has the old-school Dracula movie feel.I watched this movie a few months ago and I liked it. But the thing that brought my attention to it today was that I watched an old Dracula movie last night. It was one of the movies with Christopher Lee as Dracula, chased by Peter Cushing, as Dr. Van Helsing. I always remembered Cushing as the "occult expert" in all those movies, but didn't realize until now that he was the original Van Helsing.Christopher Lee and Peter CushingHorror of DraculaDracula - Prince of DarknessDracula Has Risen from the GraveTaste the Blood of DraculaThe Scars of DraculaThe Satanic Rites of Dracula

Subject: Re: Van Helsing
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It didn't exactly get raving reviews here, but probably worth a rent on a cold winter evening. And it's got Kate Beckinsale in it, too.

Subject: The Hound of the Baskervilles
Posted by Wayne Parham on Fri, 22 Oct 2004 03:48:15 GMT
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That's about it. I liked the movie enough to mention it, but mainly because I wasn't aware that Van Helsing was the part played by Peter Cushing. He played a part very similar to Sherlock Holmes in "The Hound of the Baskervilles."