



MY FAVOURITE FILM

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Nowadays it is difficult to think about our life without cinema. The movies are truly an art of our time. It is the greatest aesthetic and educational force in the world today.

To see a film is a pleasant way to relax and get pleasure. Lots of people go to the cinema to spend their leisure time. Everyone can choose his favorite genre of a film. There are such genres of feature films like action movies, horror movies, science fiction, westerns, romantic movies (love stories), crime and detective movies, musicals, thrillers, comedies, etc. As a rule, people watch movies when they are bored, alone, in the company of friends and family.

Also movies are a powerful force in our modern world. Cinema is used in the field of education. Video classes are really useful when we are talking about studying foreign languages. They can help you to see something wonderful in the world. The news on TV helps to know what happens in the world every day. It also helps to draw the attention of people to different important problems like hunger, poverty, environmental problems, wars and so on.

I really like to watch movies. It brings me great pleasure and that's why I watch them very often. They entertain, cheer up or make me think about some global problems, reconsider my attitude to life.

Most of all I like fantastic films that show another world and the characters make journeys that are impossible in reality. Therefore, a picture by James Cameron called "Avatar" attracted my attention.

The film «Avatar» by James Cameron was produced in 2009. This film ranks with such world-famous films as «Terminator», «Titanic», «The Strangers» and probably belongs to the science-fiction genre.

The action of the film is set on the planet Pandora in the year of 3000. The plot of this picture is interesting not only for its unusual twists, but also for its deep drama. The main character Jake Sully is going through a personal tragedy — the death of his twin brother. As his brother was ready to go to Pandora but he died before he could arrive, Jack got a chance to go there and take over his brother's

task in Pandora. Humans were going to get natural resources from Pandora and Jack was ordered to persuade their inhabitants to give them resources.

He struggles with a lot of difficulties. In addition, Sally is disabled, which is very atypical for such films and causes additional sympathy for him.

The film starts with the scene when he is invited to take part in a secret expedition to the planet, inhabited by weird creatures. He becomes the part of the programme called Avatar. Being turned into a three-metre giant with blue skin, he is sent to the planet with the help of special «drivers» that link his mind to the mind of Avatar.

Later he becomes the leader of navi. He not only lives a full life, but also learns about local customs, culture and residents in general. The film shows a world in which there are many different unusual animals and plants. There is a divine tree that stores all the information about all living things on the planet. The main theme of the film is the struggle of good against evil. The Avatar is a thought-provoking film. It makes us think about our actions and attitude to life. The film keeps us in suspense.

What impressed me most is the spectacular world of aliens that we, the audience, see through the eyes of the main character. The special effects and 3D technologies enhance the impression of the bright and colourful world in contrast to the human one, which is grey and dying. The plot of the film is fast-moving with some amusing episodes. I was amazed directorial work and acting, but also fantastic special effects and great make-up.

In this film there is another storyline that is love of «the dream worker» to a beautiful female alien, who, being hostile and suspicious at first, falls in love with him. Such love is forbidden and as a result the pair is chased by the aliens. Happily, they managed to escape in the end. To my mind, the brilliant acting of Sam Worthington, who is starring in the film, is above all expectations.

Despite the fact that "Avatar" goes on for almost three hours, it looks in one breath. The events that are developing on Pandora make us think not only about the fate of an individual, but also about the fate of the whole world, about the nature of

wars and human cruelty, about the inability of people to live in harmony with nature.

Perhaps this is one of the most creative modern films, which, of course, became a breakthrough for Hollywood cinema. When Avatar was released in 2009, millions of people watched it in cinemas, and many, just like me, were completely delighted. No wonder this film has received three Oscars, two Golden Globes and many other prestigious awards.

To sum up, I can say that the film «Avatar» is that kind of film that takes us to a special world beyond imagination. More than that, it is the film that you want to watch over and over again. Definitely, the new film by Cameron couldn't be missed.