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Posted by [Wireline](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 11:52:04 GMT

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Posted by [Bill L](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 12:42:44 GMT

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Posted by [Deej \[4\]](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 13:03:13 GMT

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news:4656cde4\$1@linux...

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Posted by [Jamie K](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 14:56:57 GMT
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Cheers,
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www.JamieKrutz.com

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Posted by [Brian Porick](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 16:23:34 GMT
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Posted by [wireline\[6\]](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 16:50:52 GMT
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Posted by [chuck duffy](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 17:32:02 GMT
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Yes, a very good movie. Not as good as spider man three mind you, but still worthwhile. I remember dissecting this movie in class when I was 19. Great conversation about flawed heros. Some days I wake up looking for the bandage on my nose.

Chuck

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Posted by [Paul Braun](#) on Fri, 25 May 2007 23:33:41 GMT
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On 26 May 2007 02:50:52 +1000, "wireline" <nobody@cia.gov> wrote:

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Posted by [Bill L](#) on Sat, 26 May 2007 02:30:18 GMT

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One of the significant differences between Star Wars and most all other sci-fi is that it took place in the past instead of the future.

Bill

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Posted by [Sarah](#) on Sat, 26 May 2007 13:10:04 GMT

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Fargo

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Posted by [Deej \[4\]](#) on Sat, 26 May 2007 17:10:13 GMT

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Posted by [Sarah](#) on Sat, 26 May 2007 20:57:03 GMT

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Posted by [xpam_mark](#) on Sun, 27 May 2007 20:44:12 GMT
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Ahhh, we all like different films for different reasons. Personally, for life changers, movies don't do much for me. Me, I gotta laugh.... Give me The Jerk, Without A Paddle, Amazon Women On The Moon, any Pink Panther, Naked Gun, Zoolander, Superstar, Rocketman, The Reluctant Astronaut, Young Frankenstein, Spinal Tap, Mr. Deeds, The Out of Towners, It's a Mad Mad Mad Mad World, Cat Ballou, Pet Detective, Planes Trains and Automobiles, Trading Places, The Russians Are Coming, Waiting For Guffman, Best in Show, A Christmas Story (who could evr forget that lamp).

Don't shoot your eye out,
WMW

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