

AMERICAN SNIPER



Navy S.E.A.L. **AMERICAN SNIPER** *Chris Kyle's* pinpoint accuracy saves countless lives on the battlefield and turns him into a legend.
Back home with his family after four tours of duty, however, Chris finds that it is the **WAR** he can't leave behind.



Directed :

Clint Eastwood
Jason Hall

Produced :

Clint Eastwood, Robert Lorenz, Andrew Lazar, Bradley Cooper, Peter Morgan

Cinematography

Tom Stern

Edited and music
by

Joel Cox, Gary D. Roach

Production
companies

Village Roadshow Pictures, RatPac-Dune Entertainment, Mad Chance Productions, 22nd & Indiana Pictures, Malpaso Productions

Release date

November 11, 2014 (AFI fest)
December 25, 2014 (United States)

Language

English

Running Time

132 Minutes

Budget &
Box Office

\$59 million
\$547.4 million

PLOT :

Growing up in Texas, Chris Kyle is taught by his father how to shoot a rifle and hunt deer. Years later, Kyle has become a ranch hand and rodeo cowboy, and returns home early, to find his girlfriend in bed with another man. After telling her to leave, he is mulling it over with his brother when he sees news coverage of the 1998 U.S. embassy bombings and decides to enlist in the Navy. He qualifies for special training and becomes a sniper with the U.S. Navy SEALs.

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Kyle is visibly upset by the experience, but later earns the nickname "Legend" for his many kills. Assigned to hunt for the al-Qaeda leader, Abu Musab al-Zarqawi, Kyle interrogates a family whose father offers to lead the SEALs to "The Butcher", al-Zarqawi's second-in-command.

The plan goes awry when The Butcher captures the father and his son, killing them while Kyle is pinned down by a sniper. This sniper goes by the name Mustafa and is an Olympic Games medalist from Syria. Meanwhile, the insurgents issue a bounty on Kyle.

Guilt compels Kyle to undertake a fourth tour, and Taya tells him she may not be there when he returns. Back in Iraq, Kyle is shocked to learn Biggles died in surgery to repair the wounds he sustained. Assigned to kill Mustafa, who has been sniping U.S. Army combat engineers building a barricade, Kyle's sniper team is placed on a rooftop inside enemy territory. Kyle spots Mustafa and takes him out with a risky long distance shot at 2,100 yards (1,920 m).

Kyle tearfully calls Taya and tells her he is ready to come home. A sandstorm provides cover for a chaotic escape in which Kyle is injured and almost left behind.



After Kyle gets back, on edge and unable to adjust fully to civilian life, he is asked by a Veterans Affairs psychiatrist if he is haunted by all the things he did in war.



When he replies it is "all the guys [he] couldn't save" that haunt him, the psychiatrist encourages him to help severely wounded veterans in the VA hospital. After that, Kyle gradually begins to adjust to home life. Years later, on February 2, 2013, Kyle says goodbye to his wife and family as he leaves in good spirits to spend time with Eddie Ray Routh, a veteran suffering from PTSD at a shooting range.

CASTING :



Sienna
Miller

Bradley
Cooper

Luke
Grimes

Jake
McDorman

Cory
Hardrict

Kevin "Dauber"
Lacz

Navid
Negahban

Keir
O'Donnell

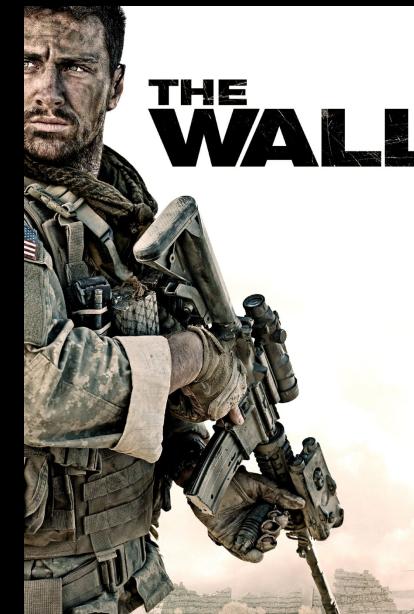
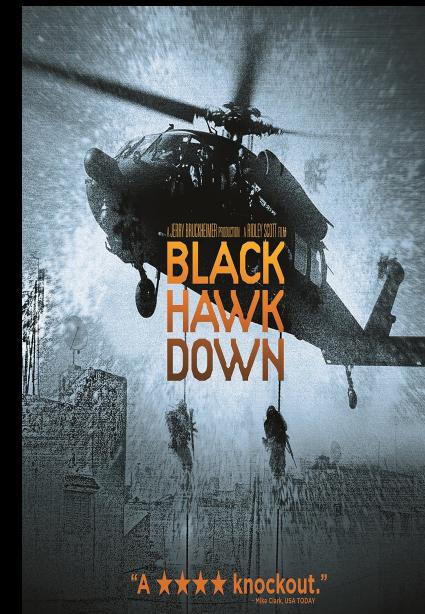
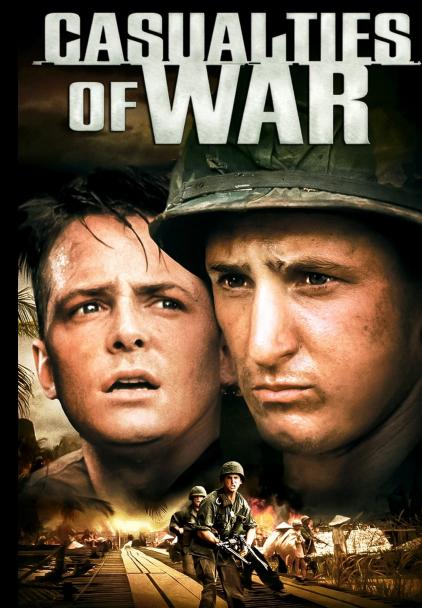
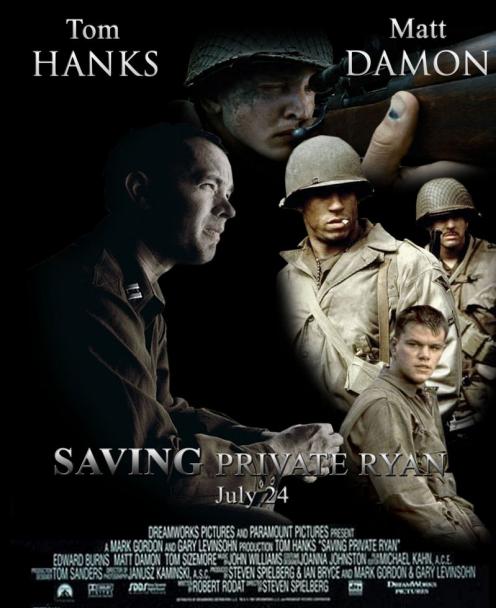
Kyle
Gallner

Mido
Hamada

Eric
Close

Eric
Ladin

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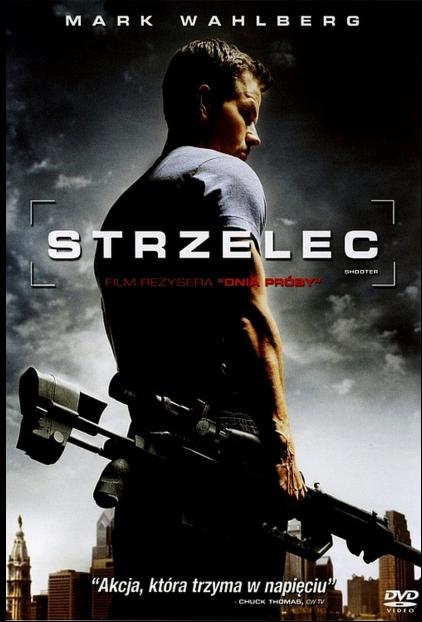
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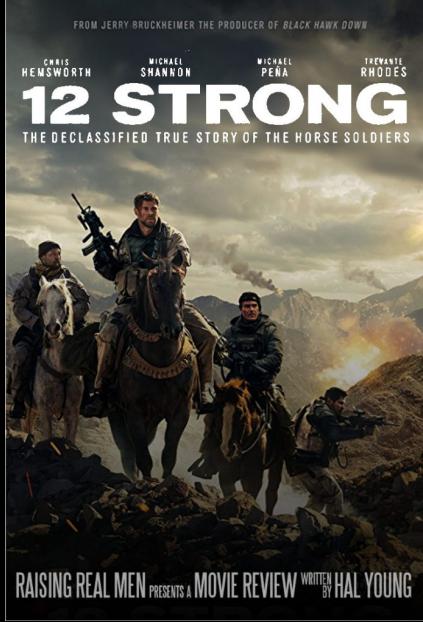
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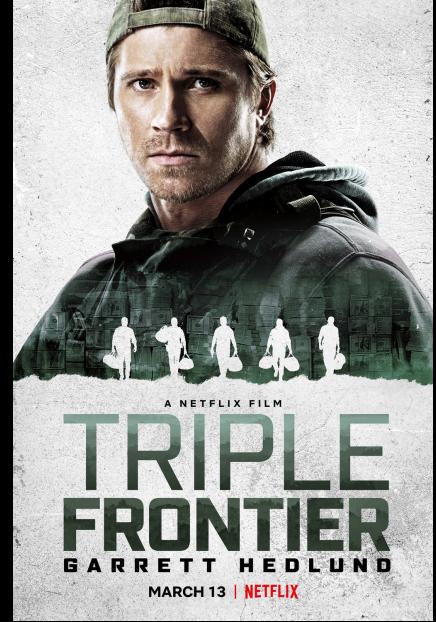
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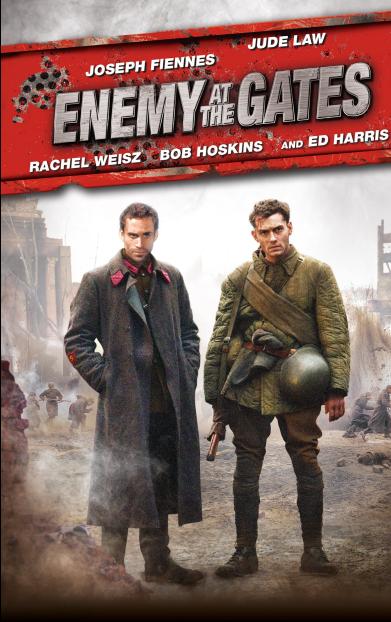
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