

# [***Shakira is FUNAN for her opinion on Barbie movie***](https://advance.lexis.com/api/document?collection=news&id=urn:contentItem:6BPN-82R1-DYY9-032R-00000-00&context=1516831)

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Shakira is back on top of the entertainment and music scene after her divorce from ex-Barcelona player Gerard Pique last year, and with the release of a new album titled "Las Mujeres Ya No Lloran", Shakira wants to give a powerful message about female empowerment.However, last April 1, the artist from Barranquilla, Colombia was in the public discussion after giving her most honest opinion about director Greta Gerwig's movie ***Barbie*** (2023) saying that, "My kids absolutely hated it." What did Shakira have to say about ***Barbie***? Shakira's opinions took everyone and her fans by surprise as the Te Felicito singer didn't entirely like the movie starring Margot Robbie and Ryan Gosling; even though she agreed with the message at certain points in the movie, most of the film was not to her liking, she revealed in an interview for Allure.

"My kids absolutely hated it. They felt it was emasculating. And I agree, to a certain extent. I'm raising two kids. I want them to also feel empowered by respecting women. I like pop culture when it tries to empower women without depriving men of their possibility to be men, to protect and provide as well," Shakira asserted.Similarly, Shakira explained that women and men can be and do whatever they want, but that it is very dangerous if people lose "their essence" in wanting to achieve their goals. "I believe that men have a purpose in society and women also have another purpose. We complement each other and that complement should not be lost".Controversy among fansShakira gave this criticism after having seen the film with her children Milán and Sasha, 11 and 9 years old respectively, an opinion that did not please her fans at all, creating a huge controversy in social networks, which left a glimpse of divided opinions by Internet users of social networks. "Maybe it's time to accept that Shakira is not a feminist if not a woman with power. Shakira releasing a female empowerment album but criticizing a movie that does exactly the same thing just because her sons didn't like it" "Now ask Shakira what she thought of Poor Things to make a bigger fuss" were some of the comments on X (formerly Twitter); TikTok user @pablochagra explained the irony of Shakira's opinion on the ***Barbie*** movie, and helped users understand the message behind the movie. @pablochagra Criticism rains down on #Shakira for giving her opinion on the #***Barbie*** movie ???? #entertainment #entertainmentnews #chismillennial #pablochagra #pasale ??? ? original sound - PABLO CHAGRA ROG ?

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