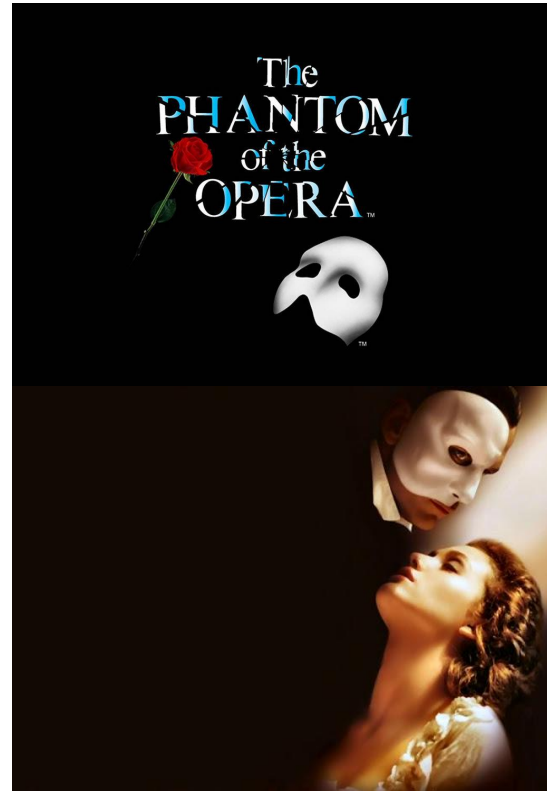


The Phantom of the Opera movie (2004)

This movie (2004) was directed by Joel Schumacher and Tim Burton, and produced by Andrew Lloyd Webber. It is based on the famous book of Gastón Leroux The Phantom of the Opera. In class we have read the book for the English class, we made a leaflet about the book and we presented them.

There are a lot of similarities. In the opera house there was a phantom that killed people who talked about him. This was Erick, The Phantom of the Opera. He killed Joseph Buquet. Christine Daée said that he was her "Angel of music". Christine was in love with Raoul, the Vicomte de Chagny, but Erick was in love with the young opera singer.

Erick kidnapped Daée and Raoul went to look for him. In the end, Erick died and Raoul and Christine lived happy.



There are some differences, like the fight at the cemetery, or the masquerade party and the song in the Opera House's roof. Another difference is when they are at the top of the Opera House and the Persian wasn't there.

In my opinion all the songs especially the [Overture](#) (link). I prefer the movie because I understand better the idea of the book and I enjoyed it more than the book!

-Direction: Joel Schumacher and Tim Burton

-Production: Andrew Lloyd Webber

- Main characters: -Gerard Butler (Erick, The Phantom of the Opera).
- Emmy Rossum (Christine Daáe, the young opera singer).
- Patrick Wilson (Raoul, the Vicomte de Chagny).
- Miranda Richardson (Madame Giry).
- Minnie Driver (La Carlotta).
- Simon Callow (Monsieur Armand, one of the directors).
- Ciarán Hinds (Monsieur Firmin, the second director).
- Jennifer Ellison (Meg Giry, Madame Giry's daughter)-

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