## SCARY MOVIE RECOMMENDATIONS

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It is that time of year again! The time where you can sit all bundled up in your bed and watch a terrifying movie. You know what time I'm talking about: Halloween. Not only is this the perfect time to dress up with your friends and get some candy, but it is also the best time to get scared. Scary movies hold a special place in my heart. I'm going to share my top five!

- 1. Hereditary (R): If you want a movie to really twist your mind and to leave you asking questions, I recommend Hereditary. It contains bone chilling scenes that make you turn on a night-light. Hereditary follows a family who experiences a traumatic loss, and follows their journey in taking on spirits. This movie can be graphic at some points, but overall it is amazing! I am warning you, do NOT watch alone.
- 2. Insidious (PG-13): In my opinion, this Ghost movie is a horror classic. If you have not already seen it, you have to watch it this spooky season. This movie follows a family who moves into a new house and, you guessed it, their life becomes a scary mess. The family has to take on spirits to save their son in the spirit realm. Insidious is filled with jump scares. The good news is that if you enjoy it, there are 4 more movies!
- 3. Paranormal Activity (R): As you can tell by now, ghost movies are my favorite. Paranormal Activity is filmed from a handheld camera's point of view which makes it 100% more terrifying. This movie follows two people who move into a new house, Start to experience a supernatural presence. If you are looking for jump-scares, this is the one. And once again, if you like it, there are 6 more!
- 4. Saw (R): Moving away from the supernatural plots, Saw is absolutely one of the goriest movies I have ever seen. In the movie, different people are forced to play 'games'. In the games, they either escape whatever they are trapped by or they die a horrible and bloody death. This movie really shines light on the question of how far a person can go to keep themselves alive. This movie does not really have jump-scares, but it has images that will keep you wide awake at night. By the way, there are nine other movies. If you get uncomfortable at the sight of blood DO NOT WATCH.
- 5. Nightmare on Elm Street (R): If you are looking to watch a classic this Halloween season, this is the movie for several reasons. First, no matter how many times you watch this movie, you will always be scared to go to sleep. Secondly, Freddy Krueger, the villain in this movie, looks absolutely terrifying. Lastly, a young Johnny Depp is in this movie. This movie is about a group of teenagers who suffer from nightmares involving Freddy Krueger. The scary thing is if they die in their dream, then they die in real life. Although it was made in 1987, the film has good quality, and some of the images are still pretty scary.

Watch these movies this Halloween season, and I promise you will not regret it. Well, maybe you will when you try to go to sleep... Happy Halloween!!