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## **Pulse Soundtrack Review**

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Recently I have gotten into soundtracks. I write horror novels and I like to be in the 'mood' while I write. The Pulse Soundtrack, I can say, is an EXCELLENT piece for setting mood music. I would also recommend it for doing haunted house backgrounds. I haven't yet seen the movie (tonight though, yay!) so there are three songs on there that don't seem to fit - songs with words, a little on the softcore rock side. And then there is a song by a spanish group that sounds happy and lively, not exactly what I would expect from a horror movie. That I am sure there is an explanation for this.

Unlike others this soundtrack is pulling the scores, as opposed to the rock, from the movie. The creepy violin overtures, heart pounding bass lines, and suspense creating ballads are all there, taking your mind into a dark place. It's a perfect set of music for setting the atmosphere, and it brings to mind the images from the previews and clips I have seen from Pulse, but it also fits in nicely with any other classic horror movie track. The CD is full, with 27 tracks and carries a variety of music, such as softcore rock, spanish rock, classical scores, and gothic/industrial. Some songs are not merely the music alone, and they have added some great sound effects, straight from the movie, into it.



I have devised my own rating for this, with as much giggly fanboy stupid as I could muster. The results of not enough sleep are below:

- Fear factor (how scary is it?): 8 out of 10
- Clarity and quality (can you hear the damn thing?): full 10
- Length (Cuz no one wants to pay \$20 for 10 seconds): full 10
- Variety (It's not the same song over and over): 9 out of 10
- Overall (would you lay down your cash for it?): 8 out of 10

I would recommend this to my freaky and creepy friends, and would definitely lay out my hard earned mula for it. Pick it up when it's out, it makes great music to well... do just about anything to \*wink wink\*.