

2001 Movie: Pearl Harbour

Starring: Ben Affleck, Josh Hartnett, Kate Beckinsale, Cuba Gooding Jn., Alec Baldwin

Director: Michael Bay **Producer:** Jerry Bay

Writer: Randall Wallace

Cost: \$ 135 million

Duration: 3:03min

Oscar: 1 for best pictures

Telling a love story in a tragic, historical setting.

1941.Rafe McCawley (Ben Affleck) and Danny Walker(Josh Hartnett) are top-notch bomber pilots. They have been best friends since their childhood. Their life is changed with an encounter with a beautiful nurse, Evelyn Johnson (Kate Beckinsale). Rafe is clearly struck by her and after four weeks together, they are in love. Soon Rafe is going to Britain to partecipate in the fight, and he is believed dead after a shooting. Danny and Evelyn are stationed at Pearl Harbour, in Hawaii. After upsetting news, Danny conforts Evelyn so their love-story begins. They don't know that Rafe is alive, after all. But Rafe walks back and...

December 7,1941. Squadrons of Japanese warplanes scream across the skies of Hawaii and launch a surprise attack on the U.S. armed forces at Pearl Harbour.

This event changes the course of history, with the entrace of America in World War II..

This movie is a tale of catastrofic defeat, eroic victory, personal courage and overwhelming love set against a stunning setting of spectacular wartime action.

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