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Eminent - February 7, 2013, 11:11 am

Review and format by [Eminent](#)

Deadman Wonderland

Notes:

N/A

Summary:

Ganta is the only survivor after a mysterious man in red slaughters a classroom full of teenagers. He's framed for the carnage, sentenced to die, and locked away in the most twisted prison ever built: Deadman Wonderland. And then it gets worse.

At Deadman Wonderland, convicts are forced into brutal deathmatches for the amusement of the masses, the cheers of the crowd drowning out the screams of the dismembered. Even when Ganta befriends Shiro, an unusual female inmate, his dark fate crushes all hope —until he discovers the strange ability to wield his spilled blood as a weapon. Ganta learns his new skill might be related to the murderous man in red and uncovers disturbing secrets that could expose those who stole his freedom. He's determined to see justice served —but first he'll have to fight for his life in a prison that holds a million ways to die.

Information:

Episodes: 12

Aired: Apr 17, 2011 to Jul 3, 2011

Genres: Action, Horror, Sci-Fi

Stream: [AnimeFreak](#) • [AnimeFTW](#) • [AnimeUltima](#) • [CrunchyRoll](#)

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[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Il9ml-uPdso>]

ED

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[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IXXZfvZaM-U>]

Trailer:

[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IX3ILzhJoNk>]

Review:

Plot:

The plot for Deadman Wonderland is a bit hard to judge. Not because it confused me, but because it was never finished.

The way the series ended was a problem, because the plot was never fulfilled. If it had continued, however, I like the whole idea behind it.

A lot of things, mostly the ones that matter the most, were not explained, so you're left to assume that things are unjustified. Unjustified powers are always a plot hole, no matter how you look at it.

However, if you look past the things that weren't explained, the way the series progressed was pretty great.

Characters:

This one is also tough to judge.

In this series, people die. People die a lot. In fact, it gets to the point where they make sure you can't get attached to any character in the show, because they're probably going to die. The only character who you are left with to get attached to, is the main character, Ganta. Ganta is a whiny SOB, and no one likes him.

So, the main character is retarded, and everyone else dies, is that it?

Actually, no, there is ONE other character that you will actually love.

Shiro.

Shiro is the goddess of this series, and was my motivating factor to complete the show. Damn, she's awesome.

Let's look at some clips of why she is the best character:

[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TMoaHXxYvcE>]

[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d6pCGUWGI2U>]

[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2B-mHS1a9tM>]

If you're still not convinced that she is awesome, what if I told you she is voiced by the same person who played Mayushii in Steins;Gate.

GG.

Thoughts:

Overall, this series was decent. At first, I really enjoyed the series, and though it was going to be awesome. As it progressed though, characters I liked died, unexplained things happened, and then, of course, the ending was retarded.

Honestly, if there was a second season to further things, then the series would be great. But that's not the case.

This show is very comparable to "Mirai Nikki" in various ways, so if you enjoyed that show, you'll probably enjoy this as well.

The art style is a little off though, because it makes everyone's face look retarded...Except for Shiro, she's orgasmic.

Anyways, bad ending, bad characters, good story, exciting, and very gory.

If you're a horror fan, or an action fan, you'll like this series.

My Rating: ?????????? 7.5/10

MAL Rating: ?????????? 7.74/10

KinGxKeV - February 7, 2013, 11:46 am

I agree %100 with your review. The beginning was great, but as it went on. But still a good show. Needs a second season.

Black Hole - February 7, 2013, 11:58 am

Well your review really puts mine to shame....jerk.

Jkthough, good show, needs to get off that cliffhanger though. Manga is said to be coming off hiatus soon so maybe....just maybe....

Chubaca - February 7, 2013, 1:51 pm

Damn you Eminant you beat me to this Anime I was going to make a Review of this Anime I think I have no choice to finish Oreimo and make a review of it for my Friday Review.

venusuar - February 7, 2013, 1:56 pm

Good review, but I believe it has been reviewed about a million times already :P

Hentai? - February 7, 2013, 1:58 pm

Didn't twp or juni just do a review on this? Even if they did good job looks nice and clean and this is series deserves some attention.

Chubaca - February 7, 2013, 2:09 pm

I would also like to note a few things about this anime:

Music:

[Video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lunstAdGBP4>]

The Music was made by Narasaki it had an amazing opening but an even better ending it also had

one song that hit in my sweat spot it was Track 5 from Deadman Wonderland. Music fit every Animation and scene perfectly I simply loved it from the OP to the ED and to the tracks.

Animation:

The Animation was not far from amazing but I thought it was missing that little bit to make it perfect. It is very gory with a lot of blood (Who am fucking joking they used blood as weapons.) The Animation could have been perfected and made a bit more better but overall it was amazing.

Note: Used the same format I use for all my Reviews.

Eminent - February 7, 2013, 2:23 pm

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I have no problem if you reviewed it was just wondering is all. ?

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Yes your right all Review are made on Opinions and thoughts and most of the times the Opinions and thoughts are different.

juniiflow - February 8, 2013, 5:17 am

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you just made my love for shiro lower.

Lol, except for the Yandere THERE IS NOTHING. NOTHING. equal to it.

you also forgot the most moe/adorable/cute thing this series has.

like just look at this moe, way better than K-ON!, you will have Orgasm will watching her.

[img]http://www.abload.de/img/deadman_wonderland_epz5rd5.gif[/img]

yeah good review by the way.... you should include the manga.

Voice - February 8, 2013, 6:49 am

This anime is in my top 10 favorite of all time. Watched it about 4-5 months ago... amazing.

Aliosin - February 8, 2013, 12:03 pm

Gonna give it a try! Thank you for your review.

Hubris - February 8, 2013, 1:48 pm

Great review! Might actually have to check out this anime in a bit! Just got to finish up "Say I love you"!

Cystomatic - February 8, 2013, 3:03 pm

Hmm, planning to watch this!

Thanks for the great review!

Eminent - February 8, 2013, 3:43 pm

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Lol, but in all seriousness, it was a really good anime, and I really enjoyed it!

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The eyes on Clannad/Kanon piss me off. It's amazing how much art impacts your view on a series

(Not to say I don't love those two).

Anyways, thanks, I'll check it out

Yuuko - February 8, 2013, 4:44 pm

Watching this now. Fricken AWESOME!

fekuz - February 8, 2013, 7:29 pm

This is just an Awesome anime !

Regards
Nothing19

?aragon - February 8, 2013, 9:10 pm

This review is pretty annoying to read. You want to know why? You almost only write ONE sentence per line. Is this poetry you are writing, or is it a review?

Eminent - February 8, 2013, 9:12 pm

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Eminent - February 8, 2013, 10:25 pm

(Feb 8, 2013 11:02 PM)Kanade Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I used to write like that, too. Then middle school came and I had to change it to get good grades.

I appreciate your feedback, and acknowledge your ability to make connections. Thanks

juniiflow - February 9, 2013, 12:53 am

(Feb 8, 2013 11:02 PM)Kanade Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I used to write like that, too. Then middle school came and I had to change it to get good grades.

Spoiler ([Click to View](#))this made me laugh hard.

Cystomatic - February 15, 2013, 2:56 am

Going to watch it today! I'm looking forward to it!

Nonon Jakuzure - February 15, 2013, 6:08 am

Whoever brought this back up reminded me that the manga has continued I believe.

Cystomatic - February 15, 2013, 6:11 am

Yeah, I read in a youtube video that she was pregnant, is that true?

Eminent - February 15, 2013, 6:54 am

(Feb 15, 2013 07:11 AM)Mei Misaki Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yeah, I read in a youtube video that she was pregnant, is that true?

I wanna watch the season between her getting pregnant, and DMW.

Ganta x Shiro

Cystomatic - February 16, 2013, 4:19 am

Just finished it, kinda hate the ending x.x

Hoping for a season 2 but I heard the sales were bad, is that true?

Yokomoto - February 16, 2013, 5:44 am

Completed this anime in a day, where is the fuckin' end?

Syst3m_Black - February 16, 2013, 6:28 pm

Its been awhile since i watched this

but i really enjoyed it

Hentai? - February 16, 2013, 6:32 pm

(Feb 16, 2013 06:44 AM)Yokomoto Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Completed this anime in a day, where is the fuckin' end?

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Eminent - February 16, 2013, 7:50 pm

(Feb 16, 2013 07:32 PM)Hentai? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The end is left open for season 2 which most likely will never happen. ?

Sad, but true.

I wish they would either have made a second season, or done the first season better. It had a lot of potential

98329101-41201 - February 16, 2013, 9:42 pm

You made a really good review and I loved the music they played by Fade.

I hope they keep continuing the manga since the anime continuation is looking grim.