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Thread: [I don't get Kimi no Na wa / Your Name](#)

X X X X - May 31, 2017, 2:24 am

Warning: May have spoilers in this thread

I just finished watching kimi no na wa, it was a nice movie but I don't understand why it's so popular. My friend and several people I know have told me they cried watching it but I didn't at all. Like I didn't feel sad at all.

They finally met up 8 years later in Tokyo. It was a pretty story but I still don't understand why it's popular to the point of being number 1 on MAL.

Don't feel like there was anything special.

After all the hype I've been hearing I thought it would be so amazing and that it'd break my heart but I was disappointed.

Unless I'm missing something? Can anyone explain to me please?

Fragger - May 31, 2017, 6:17 am

No you're not missing anything.

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Don't worry I feel pretty much the same way as you & had a few issues with how the story played out, plus I thought the ending was meh.

(it definitely doesn't deserve the #1 MAL spot.)

Deany - May 31, 2017, 8:54 am

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X X X X - May 31, 2017, 12:27 pm

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Ok glad to see I'm not the only one. Def not n1 for me.

(May 31, 2017 08:54 AM)Japanese Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It's an anime so dumbed down that normies can even understand it
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(May 31, 2017 12:06 PM)Tsunidere Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I haven't seen the movie yet, but from the pics and gifs I sometimes see on my tumblr dash (I'm not a feminist shush!!) I really like the artwork.

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Yeah I have to admit, the art was amazing. The mountain scene was very creative.

DerMensch24 - May 31, 2017, 2:30 pm

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X X X X - May 31, 2017, 2:31 pm

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I was more emotionally attached to Koe no Katachi :0

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TSUNDERE YOU HAVEN'T WATCHED IT YET? oml.

but yeah i really liked it personally i'd give it a 10, mainly cause of animation and the twist

Crya - May 31, 2017, 4:50 pm

Everyone has different taste and opinions, that's what happened.

Yui-Senpai - June 1, 2017, 6:44 am

Made me cry so goes in my top 10, I hate all romance ending and this I hate just as much. The art was eh I have no idea the hype over the art, story was decent and ending was trash.

Just like attack on titan is over hyped and loved by millions even with the broken plot, shit art and no story.

Elweth - June 2, 2017, 9:45 am

I seen it too, and it didn't make me feel sad/cry. Same goes for Angel Beats and Clannad. Code Geass R2 did a better job ;(

Decim - June 2, 2017, 11:06 am

I enjoy almost all Makoto Shinkai movies and this one was no different.

But best of all time? Not even close in my opinion.

SIM-2875347 - June 2, 2017, 11:15 am

I liked it due to just the way the story played out, I didn't cry but I thought the ending was adorable

X X X X - June 2, 2017, 11:36 am

So basically a bunch of non weaboo normies watched it so it got rank 1.

Zexo - June 2, 2017, 11:41 am

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X X X X - June 2, 2017, 11:43 am

(Jun 2, 2017 11:41 AM)Zexo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I liked it and I cried as well.

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THE RULER - June 2, 2017, 11:44 am

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I'll give it a watch later.

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(Jun 2, 2017 11:43 AM)X X X X Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm curious as to which scene gave you feels. It was the whole build up of the movie and then at the end they don't know each other but they do.

True love story.

Fragger - June 2, 2017, 3:32 pm

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It's tagged as a 'romance' film but it's just not at all.

It's more of a mystery movie then a romance movie lol.

Silver Fang - June 3, 2017, 8:45 am

The need to connect with someone is what got to me in the movie.

It's probably a human thing to have hope that we some day find someone that connects with us on a high level.

Many souls out there are alone, that's why! =)

CAFEEFAC - June 3, 2017, 11:51 am

I often find that when a show/movie is overhyped (like Kimi No Na Wa was), it ruins the experience for me a bit because I have such high expectations.

You're right however. I didn't find anything special about the movie either, and I had no idea that there was such a huge anticipation for the movie until after I had watched it. So, I didn't have high expectations, and yet, it still didn't leave me in tears. However, it was still a pretty good movie, just not to the extent that people claim it to be. I'd give it a 7, maybe 8 out of 10.

Esdese - June 3, 2017, 5:38 pm

I can say with confidence it's the best looking anime ever released, but I also watched it in theaters so the quality was top notch compared to most streaming sites and whatnot.

Aside from that you already know how I feel about it nii-chan ?

Construction - June 3, 2017, 7:53 pm

Meh. That's all I can say I mean the artwork is amazing I have a background of it on my desktop. other than that the ending was pretty shit.