

Film Title and Release Date: *Mr. Nice Guy* (1998)

Length of film in minutes: 88 minutes

Film Genre: Action/Comedy

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This movie is a fictional movie about successful chef at Melbourne, Australia named “Jackie” (*Jackie Chan*).

The drug lord “Giancarlo” and his gang are dealing cocaine with The Demons gang, but they fight against each other. During the shooting, the reporter “Diana” and her partner is accidentally exposed, and they flee with a video tape with the footage of the cocaine deal. On the street, she stumbles with Jackie, and he helps her escaping in his car. Diana accidently drops the video tape in Jackie’s car and swaps it with another video tape that Jackie recorded of his cooking.

Jackie goes to his apartment where his nephews take the video tape thinking it is cartoon video tape. Giancarlo's gangsters are looking for the video tape and they were behind Diana and Jackie. Next day Jackie met his girlfriend “Miki” at the airport. However, Giancarlo's gangsters kidnap Jackie’s girlfriend, Miki and asked for the Video tape in exchange of Miki. Jackie takes his friend, Romeo’s help who is Police officer to release Miki. However, he failed to release her from the gangster. Finally, Jackie teams up with Diana and his friend “Lakisha” to release Miki from Giancarlo.

End of the film is hilarious with action. Jackie destroys Giancarlo’s house with a giant tractor, gets his girlfriend back from Giancarlo and helps the police to catch Giancarlo. In response to Jackie’s help, Police team does not take any action on Jackie for destroying Giancarlo’s house.

If you are a fan of Martial Art films, or Jackie Chan, then watch this movie. Just watch this film thinking you are going to have a fun time watching Jackie’s action.

How did I find this film on Kanopy? I went on Canopy and went under the action and comedy genre and then I saw this movie.

Did the plot keep me interested? This plot kept me interested. It was filled with action and humor. I loved Jackie’s fighting scenes.

Was the pace of the film too fast, too slow or just right? The pace of this film was just right, and it was easy to follow along with what was going on.

What grade level(s) is this film appropriate for? I think this movie is not appropriate for younger kids due to few inappropriate scenes and language. However, I think it is appropriate for grade 5 and above.

What do I rate this movie? I rate this movie a 5 out of 5 stars because this movie has action with humor, and it kept me interested through out the whole movie.