

## "IN THE TWILIGHT" by Giorgia Aversa VH

After this long wait at last we could see the cinematic version of one of the greatest bestsellers of the moment. Stephenie Meyer's Twilight.

If the written words have enchanted thousands of readers, we cannot say the same about the movie, except for the handsome look of the main actor, a brand new Robert Pattinson who has got rid of the character of "Cedric Diggory" in the fourth Harry Potter, and now faces with enthusiasm this new challenge.

Actually this is the first movie of a long series (at least four) and it will be a great project for the whole cast. In spite of the Twilighters' critics (Stephenie Meyer's fans) about the choice of the actors for the roles of Edward Cullen and Bella Swan (Pattinson and Kristen Stewart), the production succeeded in completing the movie in time to appear on the Italian big screen.



(Robert Pattinson)  
(Kristen Stewart)

But now millions of fans are undecided...skimming over the colourless interpretation of Kristen Stewart, who seems to have very little capacity of expression or the inconsistencies of some scenes of the film with the book, we cannot avoid underlining the excessive speed of the narration, which sacrifices some basic aspects of the story,

such as the complicated psychology of both characters, who in the movie seem to be dull and silly.

The romantic aspect has been reduced also because there will be other three movies, in order to avoid repetitions. However, the gothic atmosphere has been expressed very well by the director C. Hardwicke, who has paid great attention to the action scenes, which have add dynamism to the whole movie.



(Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson during an action scene)

In conclusion, the movie is mainly directed to the people who haven't read the book, who can see a well-done gothic movie, while for the readers of the book I think it is disappointing to see how little of the characters' personality and mind is visible in the film. But we all hope that the future movies turn up to be a redemption for the director.

As for me, to tell the truth, I would spend seven euros again and again just to have the chance of admiring Robert Pattinson one more time!