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Blu-ray/DVD Roundup for December 10, 2021

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Welcome to another look at some of the Blu-ray and DVD highlights that are arriving on store shelves. This edition is jam-packed with a variety of big titles and well-received independent fare. So, if you can't or shouldn't be heading out to the movies just yet, be sure to give one of these titles a try!

BIG NEW RELEASES!

13 MINUTES: This independent disaster movie begins with a massive tornado heading toward a small, Midwestern farming town. With only 13 minutes warning, four families in the area who don't get along must not only prepare for and survive the storm, but also deal with the after effects and devastation. Critics weren't particularly thrilled by this picture. About a quarter of them were engrossed in what they saw and appreciated that the story was focused on the characters rather than epic scenes of destruction.

However, the majority stated that the story copied all the usual disaster-movie tropes and offered no surprises. They also called the writing and dialogue corny. It features Amy Smart, Thora Birch, Peter Facinelli, Trace Adkins, Paz Vega and Anne Heche.

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