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M2405 MAKO : THE JAWS OF DEATH (USA, 1976)

(Other titles: The jaws of death; Shark killers)

Credits: director/writer, William Greffe ; story, Robert Madaris.

Cast: Richard Jaeckel, Jennifer Bishop, Buffy Dee, John Davis Chandler.

Summary: Horror film set in the contemporary Florida. Vietnam vet Sonny Stein (Jaeckel) accidentally learns that he has a mystical connection with sharks, and is given a strange medallion by a shaman. Becoming more and more alienated from normal society, Sonny develops an ability to communicate with sharks telepathically, setting out to destroy anybody who harms sharks. People try to exploit his abilities but he uses shark friends to take revenge on those who double cross him.

[Mako] Cine review no. 15 (Apr 9, 1987), p. 38.

“Mako : the jaws of death” Motion picture guide (edited by Jay Robert Nash and Stanley Ralph Ross) Chicago : Cinebooks, 1985. (v. 5, p. 1819)

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