

## Agent hides double life from wife in 'True Lies'



Special agent Harry Tasker (Amold Schwarzengers) leads a double life, rusges and skilled in all forms of counter-intelligence, Herry is an international spy for Omera Security, a top-secret government agency charged with the intervention of nuclear terrorism. For reasons of nuclear terrorism. General profession secret from his wife, Helen (Jamie Lee Cuttie), all the years they've been married. Now, after 16 years, Helengton and the profession of the profes

man she thinks seins component for allving. Harry has the skills, the resourcefulness and the courage to save the country, now if only he can save his marriage.

"True Lies," opening Friday at metro Detroit movie theaters, is a Twentieth Century Fox presenta-

## PREVIEW

tion, it is directed by James Cameron and produced by James Cameron and Stephanie Austin, with Rae Sanchini, Robert Shriver and Lawrence Kasanoff as executive producers.

The film also stars Tom Anold, Bill Paston, Art Malik, Tia Carrere, Eliza Dushku, Grant Heslov and Charlton Heslon as Spencer Trilby.

"True Liea" is inspired by a French film written by Claude Zidl, Simon Michael and Didier Kaminka which first came to the extention of Arnold Schwarzeneggyn.

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"When Harry Tasker comes home, he has to lie about where he's been," Schwarzenegger explains. "He goes out and risks his life in every imaginable kind of intrigue and when he goes home, his wife asks how his day went

and he fabricates these stories. He tails her how he went to his computer convention and got a new model system and was at roubleshooting with the Japanese because their computer system broke down, and so on.

"So here is this superspy," director James Cameron adds, "who throws all his best qualities and all his focus into his work and thrings none of it home. No relationship can survive when you don't bring the best part of your-self home."

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self home."

Jamie Lee Curtis, who plays Heien Tasker, is trying very hard to reignite her marriage. "Heien nand Harry have fallen into the classic rut where they've really stopped paying attention to each other and each other's needs and really take one another for granted," said Curtis.

"Helen starts off sort of mousy and a bit repressed," Cameron says. "Through her journey into

the world of international espionage, we find that there's this whole other person under there just waiting to come out under the right circumstances. She becomes quite a strong character toward the then db, but it's a very goofy transition. Heien's journey is filled with laughs because she doesn't know what's going on half the time and when alse does, there's hell to pay."

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Tom Amold plays Gib, Harry's partner at Omega Sector and the only character not lying about something (other than his profession, which no one can know). "Gib's a career spy; he hasn't done very well with his personal life," Arnold explains. "He and Harry are the only two people that are totally honest with each other. When Harry's life stars to unravel, Gib finds it a little smusing because that's what a spy's life is all about. You can't live a double life forever."



Arnold Schwarzenegger is Harry Tasker and Jamie Lee Curtis is Helen Tasker in "True Lies.

## **UPCOMING MOVIES**

There's something for everyone at the movies. Here's a list of what's in the wings:

Opening Wednesday, July 20

"The Client" — A young boy becomes pricy to a secret that puts him in mortal danger. In an effort-to protect himself and his family, he hires a lawyer to help him defend his right not to reveal what he knows. Stars Suşan Sarsadon, Tommy Lee Junes and Brian, Renfto. Froim the best seller by John Grisham.

Opening Friday, July 22

"Lassie" — A new generation will encounter this family motion

picture as Lessie comes to the rescue as neighbors make life impossible for a new family.

Whorth'—North's an 11-year-old boy, and feeling under appreciated by his parents. So he declares himself a free agent and sets off in search of the "perfect" parents. Stars Elijah Wood, Bruce Willis, and Julia Louis-Dreyfus.

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"It Could Happen to You" — A
romantic comedy about an incorruptible cop who tips a bankrupt
waitress with a winning lottery
ticket, much to the horror of his

upwardly mobile wife. Stars Nicholas Cage, Bridget Fonda and
Rosie Perez.

"Black Beauty" — A feature
film adaptation of Ann Sewell's
classic children's story.

"White" — The second film in
Krrysztof Kieslowski's "Three
Colors" triology. The story of a
man's return home to Poland after losing all that was dear to him.

Opening Wednesday, August
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3 "Airheads" — They're just a bunch of rock n'rollers trying to get their record played — at least until they found themselves hold-

ing an entire radio station hostage. Comedy.

Opening Friday, August 5

"Desperate Remedies" — Romantic drama set in the 19th century in an imaginary New Zeland town about women and when and schemes to outmaneuer each other in the games flows.

Opening Friday, August 12

"The Next Karate Kid" — Miyagi, the wise karate menter is brought together with the teenage granddaughter of an old war buddy who saved his life, and must each her to find the strength to defeat her foce and to be herself.

## Win tickets to new 'Lassie' movie



Best friend: "Lassie" stars as the eighth descendant of the original dog that lease "Lassie Come Home. The new Paramount film is opening at metro Detroit novie theaters on July 22.

There's still time to enter our contest to win tickets to a preview screening of "Lassie," opening Friday, July 22 at metro Detroit movie theaters.

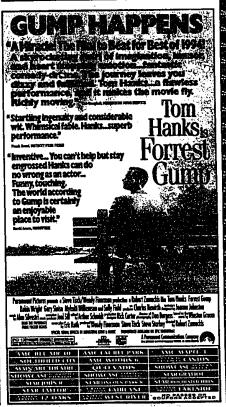
Write a short note explaining why your pet is your best friend to win. Be sure to include your name, hometown, and a daytime telephone number.

The deadline to enter is Friday, July 15. Entries can be faxed to Keely Wygonik Taste/Entertain-ment editor (313) 591-7279 or dropped off by noon Friday, July 15 at the front deak of our Livonia Gillee, 36251 Schoolcraft or Bir-mingham office, 805 East Maple,

Birmingham.

Ten lucky families will win four tickets to take their family to preview screening of "Lassle" on Tuesday, July 19.

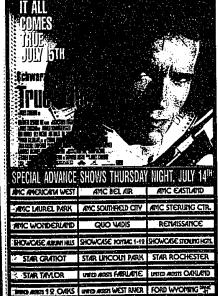
Winners will be notified by phone on Friday, July 15. A grand prize winner, one of the 10, will also receive a poster and t-ahirt.





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