

## **“Parasite”**

This will be an abbreviated review as I do not want to reveal the myriad of surprises that are in store for you in this wonderfully inventive Korean film. Winner of one of filmdom’s most coveted awards, the Palm d’Or, “Parasite” chronicles the relationship between a dirt-poor family of hustlers crowded into a squalid basement apartment and a super-rich couple living in a home you could expect to see on the cover of Architectural Digest. (End of plot summary)

So what is in store for you as the house lights go down: (1) A scam as convoluted and artful as anything I can recall having recently seen on screen; (2) Innumerable moments of unbridled humor both subtle and broad; (3) The suspense of a thriller; and (4) A biting take on social inequality. “Parasite” contains stories within stories that continually keep you off guard.

(Amazon Prime)