6 OF THE BEST RAIN SCENES IN MOVIES FOR APRIL SHOWERS



Gene Kelly in a scene from "Singin' in the Rain" (1952).

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ain is restorative and moody and when it is used in a film, it often signifies a moment of great importance or change. The following iconic scenes utilize the rain in such a way that you can't separate the film from the storm. Be forewarned, since rain is often used for these big and important moments (it can be expensive and hard to film in, hence why it's only used when necessary), a lot of the following moments reveal spoilers for the movies.

"Blade Runner" (1982) — The final moments of the neo-noir, sci-fi film wouldn't have been as memorable without a doctoring from Rutger Hauer as he played the dying replicant, Roy Batty. Sure, the finale is packed with cool action shots of the showdown between Batty and Detective Rick Deckard (Harrison Ford) as they bounce on rooftops in a downpour, but it was Hauer's delivery of his characters final lines remembering the vivid moments of his past before culminating it with, "All those moments will be lost to time, like tears in the rain," that seal it. For an already visually stunning film, the short monologue stands out as one of the most memorable moments in it. Stream it on Hulu or HBO Max or rent it on Amazon Prime, Google Play, iTunes, Vudu or YouTube.

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Tim Robbins performs in a scene from "The Shawshank Redemption" (1994). Castle Rock

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