

Movie Review: 'Call Me By Your Name'



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Call Me By Your Name is a coming-of-age story set in 1983 in Italy. It follows the budding romance of Elio (Timothée Chalamet) and Oliver (Armie Hammer). The twists: Oliver is Elio's research assistant, Judaism, and homosexuality. Armie Hammer has been in notable films, such as *Nocturnal Animals*, *The Birth of a Nation*, and *Entourage*. Timothée Chalamet has been in both TV (*Law and Order*) and movies (*Interstellar*). The film is packed with tension, drama, and faith.

This movie is filled with budding relationship advice!

Should you see it:

If you loved the anticipation of an impactful ending like *Interstellar*, *Call Me By Your Name* will take you down a winding storyline. The challenges of forbidden romance create anticipation and hope.

Who to take: This is a romance story at its core, so find someone who loves matters of the heart. No matter their sexual orientation, the story of two people fighting for love against all odds will appeal to any friend. If your significant other is down for a love story, then it will be well worth the watch for a [date night](#).

Cupid's Advice:

Coming out to friends and family is one of the most terrifying things anyone could do. Admitting this to yourself is even more challenging. Whether it's you or someone you care about, Cupid has [relationship advice](#) for this new territory:

1. Don't de-individualize: A lot of people are far more accepting of homosexuality than ever before, but that doesn't mean it's any easier to admit a new aspect of someone's identity. But be careful, if someone you care about tells you they're homosexual, don't say, "I love all gay people!" As supportive as that may sound, no group of people is ever exactly the same, and by clumping your friend into a group shows you lack knowledge about their new identity.

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2. Go shopping: One of the best parts of changing your

identity is creating a new wardrobe! Embrace your friend's identity by taking them out for a shopping trip. It will help them feel more confident and show your support.

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3. Take them out on the town: Your friend hasn't changed; they still love going out with you. Show more support for them by taking them out to a club that caters to their needs and play their wingman (or woman). Plus, you'll both just have a great time dancing and looking good!

Are you adding this emotionally0challenging movie to your must-watch list? What does this make you think about people who may be coming out in your own life? Share any advice you have below!