



Film
Gigantic

When Ongoing

Daily (2, 4:30, 7 & 9:40pm)

Where Landmark Lumiere Theatre (1572 California St, 415.267.4893)

Price \$10.50

Details <http://test.landmarktheatres.com/lmk/SanFranciscoSchedulePg.html?mkt=sanfrancisco#LumiereTheatre>



There are many mysteries in *Gigantic*: its title, for one, and a homeless character who stalks the film's protagonist and quite possibly might not be real. It's a romantic comedy that could easily veer into twee territory, but even the presence of ur-Manic Pixie Dream Girl Zooey Deschanel cannot send the subtle, smart, and surprising story by first-time director Matt Aselton into quirk-overload. *Gigantic* stars Paul Dano as Brian, a young mattress salesman who sells a luxury bed to Al (John Goodman in a hilarious turn as a loudmouthed art collector), and soon falls for his eccentric daughter Happy (Deschanel). The excellent supporting cast (including Lou Grant himself, Ed Asner) and lovely score by Roddy Bottom (ex-Imperial Teen and Faith No More) add up to a soon-to-be-sleeper hit.

— *Audrey Mast*



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