

THURSDAY NIGHT MOVIE

February 9, 2012 7:30 p.m.

RUSSELL CROWE

THE NEXT THREE DAYS

"How far would you go to save everything you live for and love?"



FROM THE DIRECTOR OF CRASH

Editorial Review

The powerful presence of Russell Crowe and the skillful writing and directing of Paul Haggis (*Crash*) give *The Next Three Days* an emotional heft to match its taut suspense. Schoolteacher John Brennan (Crowe) is stunned when his

wife Laura (Elizabeth Banks, *W.*) is sentenced to life imprisonment for murder. As he watches her emotional decline behind bars, he becomes determined to break her out of prison--and *The Next Three Days* tracks his meticulous efforts, including wrong turns that threaten to capsize

everything. The movie is most compelling in how it follows Brennan's wrenching emotional changes. The outstanding supporting cast includes Liam Neeson, Brian Dennehy, and rapper RZA, but the vast majority of the movie rests on Crowe's shoulders and he carries it like an athlete.

PG 13 Violence, Drug Material, Language, some Sexuality and Thematic Elements.