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1932 with Joan Crawford in "Grand Hotel."

GRAND HOTEL 1932 (Thirtieth film)

Directed by Edmund Goulding. With Greta Garbo, Lionel Barrymore, Joan Crawford, Wallace Beery, Lewis Stone, Jean Hersholt.

Thalberg had correctly estimated that his insistence on having Barrymore forego his Gothic tendencies and trade again on his elegant charm and soigne style would be far more effective in the box office than were the animated Gustav Dore creations. Garbo and Barrymore responded to one another with genuine warmth and mutual respect; the result was to turn the role of the Baron into a major attraction of "Grand Hotel."



1932 On the set of "Grand Hotel."

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