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MOVIES WATCHED BY PRESIDENT CARTER IN THE WHITE HOUSE

Carter is sworn into office January 20, 1977

All the President’s Men (1976) - January 22, 1977
One Flew Over the Cuckoo’s Nest (1975) - January 28, 1977
Network (1976) - February 5, 1977
Rocky (1976) - February 19, 1977
The Pink Panther Strikes Again (1976)- February 25, 1977
Bambi (1942)- February 26, 1977
The Godfather (1972) - March 3, 1977
The Magic Christian (1969) - March 5, 1977
Buffalo Bill and the Indians (1976) - March 12, 1977
Casablanca (1942) and Young Frankenstein (1974) - March 25, 1977
The Bad News Bears (1976) - March 26, 1977
The Shootist (1976) - March 27, 1977
Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid (1969) - April 2, 1977
Harry and Tonto (1974) - April 7, 1977
Nashville (1975) - April 22, 1977
Chinatown (1974) - April 26, 1977
Blazing Saddles (1974) - April 28, 1977
Lucky Lady (1975) - April 29, 1977
Annie Hall (1977)- May 13, 1977
African Queen (1951) - May 13, 1977
The Last Tycoon (1976) - May 14, 1977
The Island of Allah (1956) and Herbie Rides Again (1974) - May 21, 1977
Paper Moon (1973) and The Hungry Planet - June 4, 1977
Zorro (1940 or 1975?) and The Hungry Planet - June 9, 1977
The French Connection (1971) - June 12, 1977
Star Wars (1977)- June 17, 1977
Tomahawk (1951) and Right on Course? - June 17, 1977
True Grit (1979)- June 18, 1977
Silver Streak (1976) - June 24, 1977
Rocky (1976) - June 25, 1977
The Caine Mutiny (1954) - June 27, 1977
Camelot (1967) - June 30, 1977
The Cassandra Crossing (1976) - July 1, 1977
Silent Movie (1976) - July 2, 1977
The Littlest Horse Thieves (1976) The Late Show (1977) and Star Wars (1977)- July 3, 1977

MacArthur (1977) - July 6, 1977
Islands in the Stream (1977) - July 10, 1977
The Spy Who Loved Me (1977) - July 15, 1977
Logan's Run (1976) and Ecuador? - July 16, 1977
Jaws (1975) - July 22, 1977
Music Man (1962) - July 23, 1977
A Star is Born (1937, 1954, or 1976?) - July 29, 1977
The Deep (1977) - July 31, 1977
American Graffiti (1973) and Bridge On the River Kwai (1957) - August 2, 1977
Smokey and the Bandit (1977) - August 12, 1977
The Return of the Pink Panther (1975) - August 15, 1977
Orca (1977) - August 16, 1977
The Rescuers (1977) - August 17, 1977
The Sting (1973)- August 18, 1977
Harry and Walter Go To New York (1976) - August 20, 1977
High Noon (1952) - August 27, 1977
Gnome Mobile (1967) - August 30, 1977
That's Entertainment (1974) - August 31, 1977
Ode to Huck Finn? - September 2, 1977
Jonathan Livingston Seagull (1973) The Pink Panther (1963) - September 3, 1977
2001: A Space Odyssey - September 4, 1977
Tentacles (1977) - September 5, 1977
Cabaret (1972) - September 9, 1977
What's Up Doc? (1972) - September 11, 1977
W.C. Fields and Me (1977) - September 16, 1977
The Man Who Would Be King (1975) - September 17, 1977
Escape to Witch Mountain (1975) - September 18, 1977
The Longest Yard (1974) - September 21, 1977
Sinbad and the Eye of the Tiger (1977) - September 23, 1977
Sunder (1972) - September 26, 1977
One on One (1977) - September 30, 1977
The Amazing Dobermans (1976) - October 1, 1977
Citizen Kane (1941) - December 3, 1977
Treasure of the Sierra Madre (1948) and the Maltese Falcon (1941) - October 6, 1977
Rooster Cogburn (1977) - October 7, 1977
The Thomas Crown Affair (1968) - October 8, 1977
The Hustler (1961) - October 15, 1977
The Lincoln Conspiracy (1977) - October 18, 1977
Frankenstein (1931) - October 19, 1977
The Bears and I (1974) - October 20, 1977
On the Waterfront (1954) - October 23, 1977
The Wind and the Lion (1975) - October 26, 1977
Three Days of the Condor (1975) - October 28, 1977
Murder by Death (1976) - October 29, 1977

Fiddler on the Roof (1971) - November 4, 1977
The Great Waldo Pepper (1975) - November 9, 1977
Man With the Golden Gun (1974) - November 10, 1977
Island at the Top of the World (1974) - November 11, 1977
The Turning Point (1977) - November 13, 1977
Black and White in Color (1976) - November 16, 1977
Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf? (1966) - November 19, 1977
Goodbye Columbus (1969) - November 22, 1977
Close Encounters of the Third Kind (1977) - November 23, 1977
Oh God (1977) - November 24, 1977
The Eagle Has Landed (1976) - November 25, 1977
Bound For Glory (1976) - November 26, 1977
Citizen Kane (1941) - December 3, 1977
Funny Girl (1968) - December 8, 1977
A Bridge Too Far (1977) - December 9, 1977
The Goodbye Girl (1977) - December 10, 1977
New York, New York (1977) - December 12, 1977
The Maltese Falcon (1941) - December 19, 1977
Live and Let Die (1973) - December 26, 1977
Midnight Cowboy (1969) - December 27, 1977

1978

Love in the Afternoon (1957) — January 7, 1978
The Bingo Long Traveling All-Stars and Motor Kings (1976) — January 8, 1978
Breakheart Pass (1975) — January 10, 1978
The Graduate (1967) — January 12, 1978
Roman Holiday (1953) — January 24, 1978
Best Years of Our Lives (1946) — January 25, 1978
Julia (1977) and A Town Called Plains — January 27, 1978
Semi-Tough (1977) — January 28, 1978
Sabrina (1954) — January 30, 1978
King Kong (1976) — January 31, 1978
Star Wars (1977) — February 4, 1978
It's a Wonderful Life (1946) — February 6, 1978
Papillon (1973) — February 9, 1978
Citizens Band (1977) — February 14, 1978
Jeremiah Johnson (1972) — February 15, 1978
Wait Until Dark (1967) — February 16, 1978
The Big Sleep (1946) — February 18, 1978
High Anxiety (1977) — February 20, 1978
Airport '77 (1977) — February 21, 1978
Mr. Smith Goes to Washington (1939) — February 23, 1978
The Twelve Chairs (1970) — February 25, 1978
Unconquered (1947) — February 27, 1978
The Guns of Navarone (1961) — March 1, 1978

Gray Lady Down (1978) — March 2, 1978
Kid Galahad (1962) — March 8, 1978
She Done Him Wrong (1933) — March 11, 1978
Reap the Wind Wild (1942) — March 12, 1978 (misabeled as Keep the Wind Wild in the daily diary?)
The Roaring Twenties (1939) — March 13, 1978
South Pacific (1958) — March 22, 1978
A Touch of Class (1973) — March 26, 1978
Cactus Flower (1969) — April 4, 1978
The World's Greatest Lover (1977) — April 5, 1978
Horse Feathers (1932) — April 11, 1978
Georgy Girl (1966) — April 13, 1978
Annie Hall (1977) — April 16, 1978
Tin Star (1957) — April 19, 1978
In Harm's Way (1965) — April 20, 1978
For Pete's Sake (1974) — April 22, 1978
Come Back Little Sheba (1952) — April 24, 1978
Operation Petticoat (1959) — April 27, 1978
The Apartment (1960) — May 6, 1978
Born Yesterday (1950) — May 8, 1978
Gunfight at the OK Corral (1957) — May 10, 1978
One, Two, Three (1961)— May 15, 1978
Key Largo (1948) — May 16, 1978
Bend of the River (1952) — May 18, 1978
Dial M for Murder (1954) — May 19, 1978
Patton (1970) — May 22, 1978
To Kill a Mockingbird (1962) — May 27, 1978
Life with Father (1947) — May 28, 1978
Cool Hand Luke (1967) — May 31, 1978
Gunga Din (1939) — June 1, 1978
President's Lady (1953) — June 6, 1978
Life of Emile Zola (1937) — June 7, 1978
Red River (1948) — June 12, 1978
Cowboy (1958) — June 14, 1978
To Have and Have Not (1944) — June 17, 1978
Topkapi (1964) — June 22, 1978
To Catch a Thief (1955) — June 24, 1978
Teacher's Pet (1958) — June 25, 1978
Pete and Tillie (1972) — June 26, 1978
Cheap Detective (1978) — June 28, 1978
Arsenic and Old Lace (1944) — June 29, 1978
From Here to Eternity (1953) — July 18, 1978
Heaven Can Wait (1978) — July 20, 1978
Casey's Shadow (1978) — July 23, 1978
Marty (1955) — August 1, 1978

West Side Story (1961) — August 5, 1978
Diamonds Are Forever (1971) — August 6, 1978
Hooper (1978) — August 14, 1978
Charge of the Light Brigade (1968) — August 16, 1978
Magnificent Yankee (1950) — August 30, 1978
Hang 'Em High (1968) — September 4, 1978
Shane (1953) — September 6, 1978
Sleuth (1972) — September 8, 1978
My Darling Clementine (1946) — September 9, 1978
Save the Tiger (1973) — September 10, 1978
New Voyager (1942) — September 12, 1978
Bad Day at Black Rock (1955) — September 14, 1978
The Candidate (1972) — September 21, 1978
Mildred Pierce (1945) — September 24, 1978
Paint Your Wagon (1969) — September 28, 1978
The Mouse That Roared (1959) — September 29, 1978
Coming Home (1978) — October 3, 1978
Garden of Evil (1954) — October 6, 1978
Johnny Belinda (1948) — October 9, 1978
Boys from Brazil (1978) — October 10, 1978
A Wedding (1978) — October 11, 1978
Yankee Doodle Dandy (1942) — October 12, 1978
Days of Heaven (1978) — October 13, 1978
Tennessee Johnson (1942) — October 14, 1978
Jezebel (1938) — October 17, 1978
From Russia With Love (1963) — October 18, 1978
For Whom the Bell Tolls (1943) — October 25, 1978
Mrs. Miniver (1942) — October 27, 1978
Wilson (1944) — November 1, 1978
The Cat From Outer Space (1978) — November 8, 1978
Lawrence of Arabia (1962) — November 9, 1978
Animal House (1978) — November 10, 1978
The Last Hurrah (1958) — November 11, 1978
Lost Horizon (1937 or 1973?) — November 12, 1978
Dodge City (1939) — November 15, 1978
Children of Sanchez (1978) — November 16, 1978
Separate Tables (1958) — November 20, 1978
Dangerous (1935) — November 28, 1978
Force 10 From Navarone (1978) — November 29, 1978
Hunchback of Notre Dame (1956) — November 30, 1978
Elmer Gantry (1960) — December 1, 1978
Northwest Mounted Police (1940) — December 4, 1978
East of Eden (1955) — December 9, 1978
Superman (1978) — December 10, 1978

A Thousand Clowns (1965) — December 14, 1978
A Streetcar Named Desire (1951) — December 21, 1978

1979

Gold Rush (1925) — January 2, 1979
Lord of the Rings (1978) — January 12, 1979
California Suite (1978) — January 13, 1979
Grand Hotel (1932) — January 15, 1979
Heiress (1949) — January 16, 1979
Zorba the Greek (1964) — January 18, 1979
Sergeant York (1941) — January 24, 1979
Stalag 17 (1953) — January 25, 1979
The VIPs (1963) — January 30, 1979
The Devil's Disciple (1959) — February 23, 1979
Every Which Way But Loose (1978) — February 24, 1979
Magic (1978) — February 25, 1979
Darling (1965) — February 28, 1979
All About Eve (1950) — March 6, 1979
The Rare Breed (1966) — March 14, 1979
The Red Badge of Courage (1951) — March 20, 1979
The Bells of St. Mary (1945) — March 21, 1979
Ice Castles (1978) — March 23, 1979
Hair (1979) — March 28, 1979
Same Time Next Year (1978) — March 29, 1979
The Last Picture Show (1971) — April 4, 1979
Viva Max (1969) — April 9, 1979
Lone Star (1952) — April 10, 1979
Rebel Without a Cause (1955) — April 13, 1979
Bullitt (1968) — April 14, 1979
Enemy Below (1957) — April 26, 1979
Captains Courageous (1937) — April 27, 1979
Autumn Sonata (1978) — April 30, 1979
Manhattan (1979) — May 6, 1979
Apocalypse Now (1979) — May 10, 1979
Beau Geste (1939) — May 17, 1979
The Road to Bali (1952) — May 19, 1979
Manhattan (1979) — May 23, 1979
Phantom of the Opera (1925, 1943, or 1962?) — May 24, 1979
A Very Big Withdraw (1979) — May 25, 1979
Dixie (1943) and Prisoner of Zenda (1979) — May 26, 1979
Friendly Persuasion (1956) — May 27, 1979
Dear Inspector (1977) — June 1, 1979
Fahrenheit 451 (1966) — June 3, 1979
You Can't Cheat an Honest Man (1939) — June 4, 1979
Alien (1979) — June 13, 1979

The Kentuckian (1955) — June 19, 1979
The China Syndrome (1979) — June 20, 1979
My Little Chickadee (1940) — June 22, 1979
The In-Laws (1979) — July 14, 1979
The Robe (1953) — July 17, 1979
Rocky II (1979) — July 18, 1979
To Each His Own (1946) — July 20, 1979
The In-Laws (1979) — July 23, 1979
The Angel and the Badman (1947) — July 24, 1979
The Jazz Singer (1927 or 1980?) — July 26, 1979
Blue Skies (1946) — August 2, 1979
Meatballs (1979) — August 3, 1979
Sweet Bird of Youth (1962) — August 4, 1979
Break-Out (1975) — August 7, 1979
Escape to Athena (1979) — August 13, 1979
For A Few Dollars More (1965) — August 14, 1979
3:10 to Yuma (1957) — August 15, 1979
Don Juan (1926 or 1948?) — August 24, 1979
North Dallas Forty (1979) — August 25, 1979
Dracula (1979) — August 26, 1979
Lost and Found (1979) — August 27, 1979
Ride the High Country (1962) — August 28, 1979
The Horse Soldiers (1959) — September 4, 1979
Avalanche Express (1979) — September 5, 1979
Run Silent, Run Deep (1958) — September 6, 1979
St. Louis Blues (1958) — September 9, 1979
The Misfits (1961) — September 14, 1979
Lost Horizon (1937 or 1973?) — September 15, 1979
Bonjour Tristesse (1958) — September 16, 1979
Two Years Before the Mast (1946) — September 18, 1979
A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum (1966) — September 20, 1979
Inherit the Wind (1960) — September 21, 1979
Miracle on 34th Street (1947) — September 24, 1979
Time After Time (1979) — September 29, 1979
The King and I (1956) — October 4, 1979
Torn Curtain (1966) — October 5, 1979
10 (1979) — October 6, 1979
The Gunfighter (1950) — October 11, 1979
Gorgeous Hussy (1936) — October 16, 1979
Sheep Man (1958) — October 20, 1979
The Onion Field (1979) — October 21, 1979
Shenandoah (1965) — October 22, 1979
Legends of Frank Woods (1977) — October 27, 1979
MacKenna's Gold (1969) — October 30, 1979

Thunderball (1965) — November 2, 1979
Sahara (1943) — November 4, 1979
Running (1979) — November 9, 1979
Big Country (1958) — November 11, 1979
If I Had a Million (1932) — November 16, 1979
Captain Horatio Hornblower (1951) — November 17, 1979
An American in Paris (1951) — November 19, 1979
Bloodline (1979) — November 20, 1979
Hanover Street (1979) — November 21, 1979
Anne of a Thousand Days (1969) — November 22, 1979
Spencer's Mountain (1963) — November 23, 1979
Julius Caesar (1953) — November 24, 1979
The Picture Show Man (1977) — November 30, 1979
Bus Stop (1956) — December 1, 1979
Mary Queen of Scots (1971) — December 3, 1979
Star Trek (1979) — December 12, 1979
MASH (1970) — December 15, 1979
The Black Hole (1979) — December 18, 1979
Kramer vs Kramer (1979) — December 21, 1979
The Electric Horseman (1979) — December 22, 1979
The Rose (1979) — December 23, 1979
Chapter Two (1979) — December 24, 1979
The Black Stallion — December 25, 1979
Going in Style (1979) — December 26, 1979
Advise and Consent (1962) — December 27, 1979
The Marriage of Maria Braun (1979) — December 29, 1979
Luv (1967) — December 30, 1979

1980

The Good Earth (1937) — January 9, 1980
Being There (1979) — January 14, 1980
The Bank Dick (1940) — January 16, 1980
The European (1979) — January 18, 1980
Harper (1966) — January 19, 1980
10 (1979) — January 25, 1980
Jesus (1979) — January 26, 1980
The Prince and the Showgirl (1957) — January 29, 1980
Cat on a Hot Tin Roof (1958) — February 2, 1980
Rio Grande (1950) — February 3, 1980
A Little Romance (1979) — February 8, 1980
All That Jazz (1979) — February 10, 1980
Mutiny on the Bounty (1962) — February 12, 1980
Night of the Iguana (1964) — February 16, 1980
Coal Miner's Daughter (1980) — February 18, 1980
Broken Lance (1954) — February 19, 1980

Agatha (1979) — February 23, 1980
Fedora (1978) — February 27, 1980
The Snows of Kilimanjaro (1952) — February 29, 1980
My Brilliant Career (1979) — March 1, 1980
Barry Lyndon (1975) — March 2, 1980
Arabesque (1966) — March 7, 1980
Scalp Hunters (1968) — March 15, 1980
Hide in Plain Sight (1980) — March 22, 1980
Watch on the Rhine (1943) — March 21, 1980
The Petrified Forest (1936) — March 23, 1980
Mr. 880 (1950) — March 24, 1980
Cinderella Liberty (1973) — March 28, 1980
The Paper Chase (1973) — March 29, 1980
Simon (1980) — April 1, 1980
Oklahoma Crude (1973) — April 3, 1980
The Bugs Bunny and Roadrunner Movie — April 4, 1980
When Time Ran Out (1980) — April 5, 1980
Five Easy Pieces (1970) and They Came to Cordura (1959) — April 6, 1980
High Society (1956) — April 11, 1980
The Postman Always Rings Twice (1946) — April 12, 1980
The Human Factor (1979) — April 13, 1980
Baltimore Bullet (1980) — April 19, 1980
The Undefeated (1969) — April 20, 1980
Klute (1971) — April 25, 1980
Ffolkes (1979) — April 26, 1980
Laura (1944) — April 27, 1980
Barefoot Contessa (1954) — May 2, 1980
Kramer vs Kramer (1979) — May 3, 1980
The Black Marble (1980) — May 4, 1980
The Jerk (1979) — May 5, 1980
Bronco Billy (1980) — May 9, 1980
A Fistful of Dollars (1964) — May 10, 1980
Anastasia (1956) — May 12, 1980
Splendor in the Grass (1961) — May 13, 1980
The Devil at Four O'Clock (1961) — May 15, 1980
Strangers on a Train (1951) — May 16, 1980
The Last Married Couple in America (1980) — May 17, 1980
Silent Partner (1978) — May 20, 1980
Blue Lagoon (1980) — May 23, 1980
Fastest Gun Alive (1956) — May 24, 1980
The Man Who Loved Women (1977) — May 25, 1980
The Empire Strikes Back (1980) — May 26, 1980
Cass Timberlane (1947) — May 30, 1980
The Final Countdown (1980) — May 31, 1980

All Quiet on the Western Front (1979) — June 5, 1980
In Praise of Older Women (1978) — June 6, 1980
The Shining (1980) — June 7, 1980
The Long Riders (1980) — June 13, 1980
Brubaker (1980) — June 27, 1980
Urban Cowboy (1980) — June 28, 1980
Nothing Personal (1980) — June 29, 1980
The Searchers (1956) — July 11, 1980
A Fine Madness (1966) — July 12, 1980
Little Miss Marker (1980) — July 13, 1980
Flower Drum Song (1961) — July 18, 1980
The Big Red One (1980) - July 25, 1980
Dressed to Kill (1980) - August 8, 1980
Touch of Love (1969) - August 17, 1980
Hopscotch (1980) — August 18, 1980
The Changeling (1980) — August 21, 1980
The Lady Vanishes (1938) — August 22, 1980
The Fiendish Plot of Dr. Fu Manchu (1980) — August 26, 1980
The Hunter (1980) — August 29, 1980
Caddyshack (1980) — August 30, 1980
The Flim Flam Man (1967) — September 2, 1980
Fame (1980) — September 5, 1980
Robin and Marian (1976) — September 8, 1980
The Great Santini (1979) — September 6, 1980
Mountain Men (1980) — September 12, 1980
Diamond Head (1962) — September 24, 1980
Resurrection (1980) — September 26, 1980
Oh God Book II (1980) — September 27, 1980
Ordinary People (1980) — October 11, 1980
My Bodyguard (1980) — October 17, 1980
Gloria (1980) — October 18, 1980
The Stunt Man (1980) — October 26, 1980
The Bandits (1967) — November 5, 1980
The First Deadly Sin (1980) — November 7, 1980
Loving Couples (1980) — November 8, 1980
The Brothers Karamazov — November 9, 1980
Goldfinger (1964) — November 11, 1980
Airplane (1980) — November 12, 1980
Love is a Many Splendored Thing (1955) — November 13, 1980
A Change of Seasons (1980) — November 15, 1980
Many Rivers to Cross (1955) — November 17, 1980
It's My Turn (1980) — November 18, 1980
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The Blues Brothers (1980) — November 20, 1980

Tribute (1980) — November 22, 1980
Nine to Five (1980) — November 26, 1980
Any Which Way You Can (1980) — November 27, 1980
Stir Crazy (1980) — November 28, 1980
The Island (1980) — November 29, 1980
Tribute (1980) — December 3, 1980
Irma La Douce (1963) — December 4, 1980
It Seems Like Old Times (1980) — December 5, 1980
It's Grit (True Grit?) and Raging Bull (1980) — December 6, 1980
The Duchess and the Dirtwater Fox (1976) — December 10, 1980
The Competition (1980) — December 12, 1980
Kagemusha (1980) — December 13, 1980
Private Benjamin (1980) — December 19, 1980
The Formula (1980) — December 20, 1980
Two Rode Together (1961) — December 31, 1980

1981

The Owl and the Pussycat (1970) — January 2, 1981
Popeye (1980) — January 3, 1981
Fools' Parade (1971) — [January 5, 1981](#)

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