Moonfall is a disaster movie about the Moon falling



You pretty much always know what to expect from a Roland Emmerich movie: namely, that a good chunk of the planet is going to be destroyed. The director of films like *2012* and *The Day After Tomorrow* is now taking that to its logical extreme with *Moonfall*, a movie about the Moon… falling.

According to the synopsis, the movie is set when "a mysterious force knocks the Moon from its orbit around Earth and sends it hurtling on a collision course with life as we know it." It stars Halle Berry as a NASA exec who seems to know how to stop it, but the only people who believe her are a former astronaut (Patrick Wilson) and a conspiracy theorist (John Bradley). "These unlikely heroes will mount an impossible last-ditch mission into space, leaving behind everyone they love, only to find out that our Moon is not what we think it is," the description reads.

Really, *Moonfall* sounds like what would happen if you mashed a Hollywood disaster movie with *Destiny* lore – which is to say, it sounds like a lot of fun. It's expected to come to theaters

on February 4th, 2022.

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