

THE SKYWALKER SAGA GALACTIC SURVEY

Since the beginning of the year, *Star Wars Insider* has been examining each episode of the Skywalker Saga in great detail, exploring the themes, characters, and events of each movie in preparation for the release of *Star Wars: The Rise of Skywalker* this December. As we approach that final episode, we think now is the ideal time to canvas the thoughts of our faithful readers, to get their insights into the galaxy-spanning story we've all enjoyed for so long. To this end, we'd like you to take part in our Galactic Survey of the Skywalker Saga. Our panel of experts has compiled a list of momentous moments, most impressive battles, and scene-stealing heroes and villains, and we'd like you to pick your top choice from each section, then in the space provided tell us why. What's more, if you think there's a better moment that we've missed out, then use that space to tell us.

The results will be published in issue 194 of *Star Wars Insider*, to be released on December 24, 2019—just after the Skywalker Saga reaches its climax as *Star Wars: The Rise of Skywalker* opens in cinemas. Join us, as we celebrate a day that will be long remembered.

How to Take Part: Send us your answers via post or email to our regular address (see 'Contact Us' on page 5) by September 16, 2019, the closing date for submissions. If you don't want to wreck this copy of *Insider*, you can download a printable copy of the survey from titanmagazines.com/t/star-wars-insider and StarWars.com, or simply type your answers and send them via email to starwarsinsider@titanemail.com.

Father & Son

Anakin Skywalker/Darth Vader

A bright eyed boy who grew up to embrace darkness, Anakin was a hero of the Clone Wars yet made some terrible decisions in the name of love.

- "Are you an angel?"**
Anakin meets Padmé, the love of his life, for the first time.
- "I killed them. I killed them all."**
Anakin takes revenge on the Tusken Raiders who'd kidnapped his mother.
- "I will do whatever you ask."**
After allowing Darth Sidious to kill Mace Windu, Anakin turns to the dark side.
- "Your powers are weak, old man."**
Darth Vader strikes down his former friend and mentor, Obi-Wan Kenobi.
- "No, I am your father."**
Vader reveals the shocking truth to Luke Skywalker.
- "Tell your sister, you were right."**
Having saved his son from the Emperor, Vader is redeemed.

Luke Skywalker

A farm boy impatient for adventure who follows the call of destiny, Luke became one of the most celebrated Jedi of all time.

- "There's nothing left for me here now."**
Luke resolves to follow Ben Kenobi after the Empire murders his aunt and uncle.
- "Let go, Luke."**
Luke places his trust in the Force during his Death Star trench run.
- "I'm a Jedi, like my father before me."**
Luke throws his lightsaber aside and embraces the light side after defeating Darth Vader on the second Death Star.
- "I'll never join you."**
Bested by Darth Vader on Bespin, Luke remains defiant—even after Vader's coming revelation.
- "No one's ever really gone."**
Luke & Leia share a final moment together, and remember Han.
- "I will not be the last Jedi."**
Luke teaches Kylo Ren a final lesson on the salt flats of Crait.

Mother & Daughter

Padmé Amidala

An elected queen with a fierce dedication to peace and freedom, Padmé fought to stop it all slipping away as evil engulfed the galaxy.

- "You Jedi are far too reckless."**
Padmé remonstrates with Qui-Gon Jinn over Anakin's participation in the Boonta Eve Classic podrace.
- "I was not elected to watch my people suffer."**
Queen Amidala stands firm in the Republic Senate.
- "I ask you to help us... no, I beg you to help us."**
Padmé drops her disguise as a handmaiden to persuade Boss Nass and the Gungans to join forces with the Naboo.
- "So this is how liberty dies. With thunderous applause."**
Padmé witnesses Palpatine's declaration establishing the first Galactic Empire.
- "You're going to kill him, aren't you?"**
Padmé is unwilling to believe Obi-Wan Kenobi when he reveals that Anakin has turned to the dark side.
- "You're a good person. Don't do this."**
Padmé pleads with Anakin to choose a different path.

Leia Organa

Like her mother, Leia had a firm resolve and a heroic streak that made her a great leader during conflicts with the Empire and the First Order.

- "I recognized your foul stench when I was brought on board."**
Princess Leia displays her contempt for Darth Vader, Tarkin, and the Empire.
- "Into the garbage shoot, flyboy."**
The resourceful Leia rescues her rescuers in the Death Star detention block.
- "I love you."**
On Cloud City, Leia admits her love for Han Solo before it's too late.
- "Somehow I've always known."**
Leia learns she is Luke Skywalker's sister, and tries to stop him from facing their father.
- "We can still save him. Me. You."**
Leia tells an unconvinced Han that she knows there is still light in Ben Solo.
- "We have everything we need."**
Leia reassures Rey that they can build a rebellion against the First Order.

The Fallen Son & A Forgotten Child

Kylo Ren

The son of two heroes, the grandson of the foulest of villains, Kylo Ren is torn between the light, the dark, and the burden of expectation.

- "I will finish what you started."**
Kylo Ren makes a promise to the twisted mask of Darth Vader.
- "I know what I have to do."**
Kylo Ren asks for his father's help, then stabs him with his lightsaber.
- "That lightsaber. It belongs to me."**
Kylo Ren reaches out for Luke Skywalker's lightsaber—only to find it drawn to the hands of another.
- "Follow my lead."**
Kylo Ren hesitates instead of firing on the Resistance ship carrying his mother, Leia.
- "I see him turning the lightsaber to strike true."**
Masking his true intent, Kylo Ren kills Supreme Leader Snoke.
- "You come from nothing. You're nothing."**
Kylo Ren tries to break Rey with the truth about her parents.

Rey

Abandoned on a far flung world and left to fend for herself, Rey knows how to take care of herself, but can't see her place in the galaxy.

- "The saber. Take it."**
Facing Kylo Ren on Starkiller Base, Rey wields Luke's lightsaber—having refused to take it from Maz's castle earlier.
- "We came back for you."**
Rey is overjoyed when her friends find her on Starkiller Base.
- "I thought I'd find answers here. I was wrong."**
After her vision in the cave on Ahch-To, Rey's connection with Kylo Ren becomes closer.
- "If I go to him, Ben Solo will turn."**
Rey leaves Ahch-To, determined to face Kylo Ren, with or without Luke's help.
- "Don't do this"**
On the Supremacy, Rey implores Kylo Ren not to turn further towards the darkness.
- Rey closes the *Falcon's* main hatch on Kylo Ren, putting an end to their Force connection.

Friends, Foes & Fights

Double Acts

Heroic, horrible, and sometimes hilarious, which of these duos has been the most entertaining of the Skywalker saga?

- Han Solo and Chewbacca
- R2-D2 and C-3PO
- Poe Dameron and BB-8
- Finn and Rose Tico
- Kylo Ren and General Hux
- Grand Moff Tarkin and Darth Vader
- Luke Skywalker and Yoda
- Rey and Finn

Most Villainous

It's a straight choice between bad and badder. Which of these ten vile villains is your number one bad guy?

- Palpatine
- Count Dooku
- Darth Maul
- Boba Fett
- Jabba the Hutt
- Darth Vader
- Grand Moff Tarkin
- Kylo Ren
- General Hux
- Supreme Leader Snoke

Duels

Amid the flashing blades and Force-fueled acrobatics, which lightsaber duel had the most impact on the saga?

- Qui-Gon and Obi-Wan vs Darth Maul on Naboo.
- Dooku vs Yoda on Geonosis.
- Anakin vs Obi-Wan on Mustafar.
- Ben Kenobi vs Darth Vader on the Death Star.
- Luke vs Darth Vader on Bespin.
- Rey vs Kylo Ren on the *Supremacy*.

Battle Stations

From the upper atmosphere of Naboo to the salty plains of Crait, epic space battles and ground assaults put the war into *Star Wars*, but which battle hit your target?

- The Battle of Crait.
- The Battle of Hoth.
- The Battle of Yavin.
- The Battle of Endor.
- The Battle of Starkiller Base.
- The Battle of Naboo.
- The Battle of Geonosis.
- The Battle of Coruscant.

Most Momentous Moment

Which is the most powerful, most memorable scene in the entire Skywalker saga? Perhaps we've mentioned it already, or perhaps you have another moment in mind? Here is your chance to make your choice:

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