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Mr. Dynamite: The James Brown Story

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M: I thought that the documentary film was very good. (I think that the SNL James Brown skit was very witty). The documentary was very insightful on James Browns life, career, and how he treated others. It was interesting to hear famous musicians, like Bootsy Collins, Mick Jagger, and James Browns band members talk about watching James Brown perform and what it was like to work with him.

J: After seeing this music documentary, Eddie Murphy's parody of James Brown on SNL now seems nothing short of stupid. Brown's legendary rags to riches tale could rank among the most powerful American success stories of the 20th century. This documentary is thoroughly examined by director Alex Gibney who weaves compelling footage with warm Mick Jagger interviews to create a worthy investment of time for any music buff.

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