Green Lantern: Shattered Fear

- Main Character: Jessica Cruz aka Green Lantern
 - Played By: Jenna Ortega
 - Still new to the powers of the lantern
- Villain: Sinestro former Green Lantern
 - Played By: Jude Law
 - Serves as the main antagonist. Empowered by the Eclipse Force, he believes he can bring order to the universe by controlling emotions through fear.
- <u>Composer</u>: Hans Zimmer
 - Known for his ability to create epic and emotionally charged scores
 - Pirates of the Caribbean
 - Gladiator
 - The Lion King
- **Director**: James Gunn
 - Brings his unique blend of humor, action, and heart.

Side Characters:

- Hugo Strange Therapist / PTSD Specialist
 - o Played By: John Malkovich
- Barry Allen The Flash
 - o Played By: Grant Gustin
- Soranik Natu
 - Played By: Natalie Dormer













Plot:

Opening Scene

- As the opening title cards play, we hear the voice of Jenna Ortega saying things like "I've never done this before... I don't know where to start.... Do I lay down?"
 - We then cut to a shot looking down at a couch and Jenna Ortega's character flopping backward onto it.
 - A voice asks "Why don't you start at the beginning?"
 - We see Jenna take a deep breath
 - Cut to a scene with 3 young women walking through the woods, carrying camping equipment, laughing, and talking.
 - Cut back to Jenna looking upset
 - Cut to the girls walking into a small clearing and seeing 2 men toss a body into a freshly dug hole. Obviously mobsters.
 - Cut to Jenna, staring into the camera, tears on her face
 - Cut back to see the girls turn to run, the men pursue
 - We hear gunfire as the shot cuts back to Jenna, In full tears now, the high-pitched squeal-like ringing ears are all that can be heard.
 - o Finally, we're brought back by the therapist saying "Jessica!" All audio returns
 - The next shot is of Jenna walking out the door with the therapist saying "See you next week, okay?" The office door has writing on it: Hugo Strange - PTSD Specialist
- The movie follows Jessica Cruz as she navigates life with PTSD after the trauma of seeing her 2 closest friends get murdered in front of her. We see her often staring silently into nothing, fingering a ring on her finger.
 - While sitting on a subway train, the rumbling of the train causes another flashback. We see Jessica accepting The Ring of Volthoom, and it possessing her. Her eyes turned green and evil.
- We snap back to reality as Jessica gets up and leaves the train at her stop. The next scene is here walking into her apartment, dropping her bag on the floor and collapsing onto a couch, closing her eyes.
 - In this flashback, we see Jessica as Volthoom involved in a great battle with brief cameos of heroes fighting Darkseid. She hears a loud crack and sees the Black Flash (Black Racer) exit the speed force and immediately take off in a chase to catch the Flash. Seeing he is about to be caught, Jessica forcefully flies into Barry shoving him out of the way and instead being caught by the Black Flash herself. We see the Black Flash rip a cloudy soul from her body and disappear back into the Speed Force. The Flash rushes to her side only to find she's miraculously still alive, though barely. The Ring of Volthoom begins to dissolve into dust and we learn that the Black Flash just ripped Volthoom's spirit from her body instead of hers, effectively killing him and releasing her from his possession.

- Because Jessica had to completely conquer her fear to perform this act of selflessness, a Green ring appears before her, this time bearing the Green Lantern Corp insignia. The Flash smiles, "Looks like you've been chosen."
- Cut back to Jessica in her apartment and we hear police sirens and gunfire. Jessica
 opens her eyes and gets a small smirk on her face. The Green Lantern logo appears
 over her eye as she stands up and her suit materializes. We see her run and dive out an
 open window and the GREEN LANTERN title screen appears.
- The powerful Yellow Lantern, Sinestro, returns to our universe with a sinister plan.
 Sinestro has harnessed an advanced form of fear-based energy and has amassed a devoted following, the Fearmongers, who seek to spread fear and chaos across the cosmos. Jessica must rise to the challenge, confront her own fears, and stand against Sinestro and his minions before they can reach Earth.
- **Sinestro's Motive**: As the story unfolds, it becomes apparent that Sinestro's motivations are not solely driven by power. He believes that by imposing order through fear, he can save civilizations from their own destructive tendencies. This twist adds complexity to his character and raises questions about the ethics of his methods. Is he doing the wrong thing for the right reason?
- Ties to Jessica's Past: Jessica's investigation into Sinestro's plans reveals a surprising
 connection between his goals and a traumatic event from her past. She uncovers that
 the men who killed her friends were working for Sinestro in the beginning stages of
 sowing fear. The man they were burying was a rival mob boss, killed to send fear into the
 ranks of his empire. This adds a personal layer to the conflict for Jessica.
- An Unexpected Ally: During her journey into space to find Sinestro, Jessica encounters Soranik Natu, another Green lantern with something to prove. Now together, they form an uneasy alliance after Jessica learns that Sinestro is Soranik's father. Soranik seeks an end to her father's reign through any means necessary.
- Acquiring Fear-Based Energy: Sinestro has discovered an ancient and dark form of energy that feeds on fear. This energy, which he dubs "Astra Fear," allows him to manipulate and amplify the fears of individuals, spreading panic and chaos.
- The Fearmongers: Sinestro has gathered a group of devoted followers known as the Fearmongers. These individuals have been exposed to Astra Fear and are fiercely loyal to Sinestro, believing that his vision of imposing order through fear is the only way to save the universe from its own destructive tendencies.
- **Seeding Fear**: Sinestro's plan involves sowing the seeds of fear across different planets and civilizations. He dispatches the Fearmongers to strategically chosen locations where

they use Astra Fear to manipulate and amplify the fears of the inhabitants, leading to panic, discord, and violence.

- **Creating Chaos**: The Fearmongers' activities create chaos and social breakdowns on these planets. Sinestro's ultimate goal is to push societies to the brink of collapse, as he believes that when faced with fear and chaos, individuals will willingly surrender their autonomy in exchange for his leadership and the illusion of stability.
- The Dominance Crystal: At the heart of Sinestro's plan lies the Dominance Crystal, a powerful artifact that can magnify and project Astra Fear on a planetary scale. Sinestro intends to activate the crystal at a strategically chosen cosmic convergence point, unleashing a wave of fear across the universe that will cement his control.
- Jessica Cruz's Connection: Unbeknownst to Jessica, her past trauma and her unique connection to fear make her a prime target for Sinestro's plans. Sinestro believes that by breaking her, he can demonstrate the futility of resisting fear and compel the other Lanterns to submit to his rule.
- Confrontation and Climax: As Jessica uncovers Sinestro's scheme and learns about her personal connection to his plans, she must confront her own fears and doubts. With the help of Soranik Natu, Jessica sets out to thwart Sinestro's efforts and prevent the activation of the Dominance Crystal.
- Twist: The True Intentions of Astra Fear
 - In a surprising twist, it's revealed that Astra Fear doesn't just thrive on negative emotions. Sinestro's plan has inadvertently caused individuals to confront their fears, leading to personal growth and inner strength. As the movie progresses, some of the worlds affected by Astra Fear begin to rally against Sinestro, realizing that fear can be overcome and that true unity arises from facing challenges together.
- The ultimate climax centers around Jessica and her allies using the very energy of Astra Fear against Sinestro. By harnessing their courage and determination, they turn the tide of battle and demonstrate that hope and solidarity can triumph over fear.

Resolution:

The movie's resolution sees Sinestro defeated and the Fearmongers disbanded but with a bittersweet revelation. Sinestro's own fear of chaos and his desperate attempt to control it were the very factors that led to his downfall. As the universe rebuilds, the lesson learned is that strength lies not in imposing fear, but in finding the courage to overcome it and build a better future.

• End Credits Scene:

- We see Sinestro alone in space staring down at Earth.
- o A voice from behind him says "You know... brute force isn't everything."
- o Soranik Natu appears beside Sinestro, her green glow fading to Yellow
- o "Sometimes these things need a feminine touch."
- Cut to credits