m Law & Courtroom Movies

Classic Courtroom Drama

- 1. **12 Angry Men (1957)** Tense, smart, and perfectly acted jury room drama.
- 2. **To Kill a Mockingbird (1962)** Timeless courtroom and social justice story.
- 3. **A Few Good Men (1992)** Intense, quotable, and thrilling military courtroom drama.
- 4. **Judgment at Nuremberg (1961)** Epic, morally complex courtroom story.

Legal Thrillers

- 5. **Michael Clayton (2007)** Stylish, dark legal thriller with George Clooney.
- 6. **The Firm (1993)** Suspenseful, smart, and well-paced legal story.
- 7. **Primal Fear (1996)** Tense, twisty courtroom thriller with standout performances.
- 8. **The Lincoln Lawyer (2011)** Cool, modern legal thriller with sharp dialogue.

True Story & Inspirational

- 9. **Erin Brockovich (2000)** Smart, empowering legal drama based on real events.
- 10.**Spotlight (2015)** Investigative journalism with legal undertones; gripping and serious.
- 11.**The Post (2017)** Courtroom-adjacent, about freedom of the press and legal stakes.
- 12.**Marshall (2017)** Historical legal drama about Thurgood Marshall's early cases.

Crime & Legal Crossover

- 13.**The Verdict (1982)** Moody courtroom drama with emotional weight.
- 14.**A Time to Kill (1996)** Intense Southern legal drama with moral complexity.
- 15.**Runaway Jury (2003)** Clever thriller about jury manipulation; stylish and fast-paced.

Indie & Unique

- 16.**Conviction (2010)** Emotional, real-life story about fighting wrongful convictions.
- 17.**The Paper Chase (1973)** Insightful look at law school life and the challenges of the profession.
- 18. **Anatomy of a Murder (1959)** Classic courtroom film with subtle tension and sharp writing.