Mel Gibson
in
THE ROAD
WARRIOR (animated - DVD)
MAD MAX 2 (animated - Blu-ray version)

with
Bruce Spence
Mike Preston
Max Phipps
as the
Toadie
Vernon Wells
as
Wez
and
Emil Minty
as the
Feral Kid

Screenplay by
Terry Hayes
George Miller
with Brian Hannant

Art Direction
Graham "Grace" Walker

Costume Design
Norma Moriceau

Director of Photography
Dean Semler A.C.S.
Voice Over, over black, then images of Mad Max in a desolate future landscape, then images of times past in the oil age, stock footage of war, rioting and anarchy, then footage from the first Mad Max:

My life fades. The visiondims. All that remains are memories. I remember a time of chaos, ruined dreams, this wasted land. But most of all, I remember the Road Warrior, the man we called Max. To understand who he was, you have to go back to another time when the world was powered by the black fuel, and the deserts sprouted great cities of pipe and steel.

Gone now, swept away. For reasons long forgotten, two mighty warrior tribes went to war and touched off a blaze which engulfed them all. Without fuel they were nothing. They’d built a house of straw. The thundering machines sputtered and stopped. Their leaders talked and talked and talked, but nothing could stem the avalanche. Their world crumbled, the cities exploded. A whirlwind of looting, a firestorm of fear. Men began to feed on men. On the roads it was a white-line nightmare. Only those mobile enough to scavenge, brutal enough to pillage would survive. The gangs took over the highways, ready to wage war for a tank of juice.

And in this maelstrom of decay ordinary men were battered and smashed. Men like Max, the warrior Max. In the roar of an engine, he lost everything ... and became a shell of a man, a burnt out, desolate man, a man haunted by the demons of his past. A man who wandered out into the wasteland. And it was here, in this blighted place, that he learned to live again...