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**Fathom Events and the TCM Big Screen Classics Series Present
The Godfather in Cinemas for Two Days Only, June 4 and 7,
in Celebration of the Film's 45th Anniversary**

WHAT: It's an epic saga that redefined American cinema and remains one of the greatest films ever made. On June 4 and June 7, Fathom Events and the [TCM Big Screen Classics](#) series commemorate the 45th anniversary of **Francis Ford Coppola's *The Godfather*** by bringing the milestone film back to movie theaters nationwide for two days only.

The iconic story of a New York mafia family's rise to power, [The Godfather](#) won the Academy Award® for Best Picture, was the highest grossing film of 1972 and is widely considered to be one of the most influential films in cinematic history.

Ranked second on the list of [greatest American films](#) by the American Film Institute, behind only *Citizen Kane*, [The Godfather](#) will be presented with specially produced commentary by Turner Classic Movies (TCM) host **Ben Mankiewicz** before and after the feature.

WHO: Fathom Events, Turner Classic Movies and Paramount Pictures

WHEN: **Sunday, June 4, 2017;** 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. (local time)
Wednesday, June 7, 2017; 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. (local time)

WHERE: Tickets for [The Godfather](#) can be purchased online by visiting [FathomEvents.com](#) or at participating theater box offices. Fans throughout the U.S. will be able to enjoy the event in more than 700 select movie theaters through Fathom's Digital Broadcast Network (DBN). For a complete list of theater locations visit the Fathom Events [website](#) (*theaters and participants are subject to change*).

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If you would like to be considered for press passes, please email kschwappach@fathomevents.com by Tuesday, May 30 with your full name, media outlet, number of passes (1-2) and desired [theater location](#).