

## My Super Ex-Girlfriend (2006)



Matt Saunders first meets the representative of Jenny Johnson. The representative is the best side of any given individual once they begin dating. Typically, the representative sticks around for about three to four dates if the relationship is moving in the right direction. No matter what, the representative stage can only last but so long. In the film *My Super Ex-Girlfriend*, Jenny becomes too needy, controlling and jealous. This new behavior or dismissal of the representative frightens Matt in such a way in that he wishes to terminate his relationship with Jenny. The major problem is that he decides to end this relationship after learning about Jenny's little secret. Yes homie, she is in fact the super hero G-girl. "Funny how power change a situation, miscommunication leads to complication." Sometimes in the game of love, when one door closes another one opens. In this case, Matt found Hannah his ambitious co-worker knocking on the door with her overnight bag. She too was dealing with the rougher side of love. When Jenny aka G-girl learns of Matt's relationship with Hannah she takes revenge on him, Kill Bill style.

The major question is will a hiphop audience appreciate this film. And the answer is yes. This film is a metaphor for every female hiphop artist out today. Jenny Johnson is Lil Kim, Foxy Brown and Lauryn Hill all rolled into one. She's bright, gifted and talented however, has yet to really figure the whole relationship thing. At times the film can be a little preachy on the issues of sexual harassment and the role of women in the work force, but nonetheless, this film is needed in this post Sex and the City world. I think Mary Tyler Moore could have made an amazing cameo in this film as Jenny Johnson Super Hero Mom.

Grade B-

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