

World War Z

So that book about the approaching zombie apocalypse, *World War Z*, is soon out at the theatres. I had meant to read the book. Alas, Hollywood's ability to convert text to pixels is outpacing my ability to read. Truly Sad. [Here](#) is a link to the movie website. It is quite a nicely integrated site with my iPad.

As I ruminated on the continued proliferation of the zombie genre I couldn't help but to think that, like Paul Krugman and other, that the zombie metaphor is **the** metaphor of the age: no matter how dead you think an idea is, wrong. It is still alive. Ideas that inhibit the growth of our culture and our society still linger, old hatreds die hard. Or, I think, don't die at all. Horror movies used to have a single threat, a Jason or a Freddie. Now all of use are potentially the destroyer of all that is good. So much for inevitable progress!

I'll put the zombie movie on my list, although that list is growing and no plans to hit the theatres in my immediate future. Oh, and [Superman](#) looks good too! Nice iPad site too!

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