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George Lucas, National Public Radio : Star Wars and The Empire Strikes Back: The Radio Drama (Collector's Limited Edition- 5000 numbered copies) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Star Wars and The Empire Strikes Back: The Radio Drama (Collector's Limited Edition- 5000 numbered copies):

0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Two discs are not usable, but that is not ...By CustomerTwo discs are not usable, but that is not a surprise due to age. Gift for my son - he loves it!1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. A fun way to relive the movieBy ArnoldI'm surprised I've been a Star Wars fan for so long and had never bothered to listen to this. It's actually a great way to relive the movie. It's quite different from the actual film script and includes expanded and deleted scenes. For me, the best part was the beginning, with Luke's friends at Tosche Station. It has such a 1970s flavor and would have started the movie off really differently (although nothing beats the actual opening space battle).Overall, the case works well. Mark Hamill actually plays Luke Skywalker and does a great job of it. Likewise, Anthony Daniels plays C-3PO. Most of the other characters come off at least similar to their on-screen counterparts. Han is appropriately cocky, although he's also more selfish than portrayed in the films. Leia has a good amount of spunk. Unfortunately, the series didn't quite get Darth Vader right. The torture scene with Leia - not in the movie for good reason - was particularly onerous and Vader sounds more like a shrink than a Sith

Lord. One other thing that bugged me is the episode breaks. Originally, when this aired as a radio show, it was broadcast as 13 episodes, and each time there was an introductory narration and credits. Unfortunately, these remain on the audiobook version. Thus, every 15 minutes or so you hear another listing of credits, then another introduction. I hope future versions eliminate this and allow listeners to hear just one uninterrupted book. The ESB episode wasn't quite as strong. Luke, Han, and Leia are all well done. However, Vader comes off as corny and Yoda just doesn't have the majesty he demands. Also, it doesn't have many deleted scenes, aside from the Battle of Derra at the beginning. It's about an hour shorter than the ANH radio show. Overall, this is a great set to listen to during commutes, even if you've watch the movie dozens of times already. Fans will appreciate deleted scenes.

This set is a great way to relive the movie. There are 12 cds - The first one offers 13 episodes on 7 compact discs. The first of these 7 has front inserts, the other 6 do not, as issued. They all have their back and side inserts- All back inserts are present which list each Track - The next in this set is 10 episodes on 5 compact discs. The first of these 5 has front insert, all have back with track info, and the last cd is: REMEMBERING STAR WARS EXPERIENCE. An interview with George Lucas, Harrison Ford, Carrie Fisher, Lawrence Kasdan and Jeff Mann (with front insert.)