

# IMTA ALUM AARON PAUL FOLLOWS *THE PATH*

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“*The Path*” premieres on Hulu on March 30<sup>th</sup>

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“I wasn’t really looking to jump back into TV this quickly, but my reps called and said, ‘You must read these first two episodes.’ I read them and I just could not ignore the material. It was just so gripping and so beautifully written and so well done.” – Aaron Paul

In what is turning out to be a banner year for Aaron Paul following roles in *Eye in the Sky* and *Triple 9*, the IMTA alum returns to television in a new series on Hulu which early reviews are describing as “compelling” and “engaging.” “*The Path*” focuses on a family at the center of a controversial cult movement as they struggle with relationships, faith, and power. According to Hulu, “Each episode takes an in-depth look at the gravitational pull of belief and what it means to choose between the life we live and the life we want. The series blends elements of mystery-thriller, romance, and mysticism.”



The show’s fictional cult is called Meyerism, founded by a disillusioned veteran who claims to have had a vision of the future and afterlife. Paul plays Eddie Lane, a man who has married into the Meyerist Movement, of which his wife and her family have been lifelong members. During a retreat in Peru, Eddie makes a startling discovery about Meyerism’s founder that causes him to question everything he has been led to believe about the Meyerists, putting himself, his family and his relationships at risk. Michelle

Monaghan plays Paul’s wife Sarah, and Hugh Dancy is the controlling Meyerist leader.



“I find religion sort of fascinating,” Paul explained. “There’s an endless amount of religion out there, and everyone, as humans beings — people are just trying to find answers to their deep questions. My father was a very intense Southern Baptist minister. I had to read the Bible multiple



times. I know the scripture. I am definitely drawn to that sort of story. I read this and I was just blown away by my character. He is having some sort of doubt — in the pilot, he’s really searching for his questions to be answered, to find a truth.”

“I’m really having the greatest time [on ‘*The Path*’],” Paul said. “We’ve captured lightning in a bottle yet again and I really, truly feel that people are going to be excited about this project.”