

Wrestlemania XXX Preview: Shield vs. Kane/New Age Outlaws

Let's get this one over with. If you've been reading my reviews lately, you know that I wanted this to be Ascension. Kane even eluded to a new team coming in when he said Shield could be replaced. Instead we get a nostalgia act who couldn't remember if they were heels or faces recently. I just can't buy the Outlaws as a threat to Shield after they've spent a year and a half tormenting the likes of John Cena, Daniel Bryan, Kane, Big Show, Randy Orton, Sheamus and the Wyatts. The Outlaws couldn't hang with these guys fifteen years ago but now we're supposed to buy them as a real threat to the Shield? That just doesn't work for me.

I have to go with Shield, as there's absolutely no reason for the old guys to win. They've tried to play this up as Attitude Era vs. Modern Era but it's just not working all that well. Shield deserves to win, but this feels like a major step down after facing three former world champions last year. The team as faces is interesting though and hopefully lasts for a few months.

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