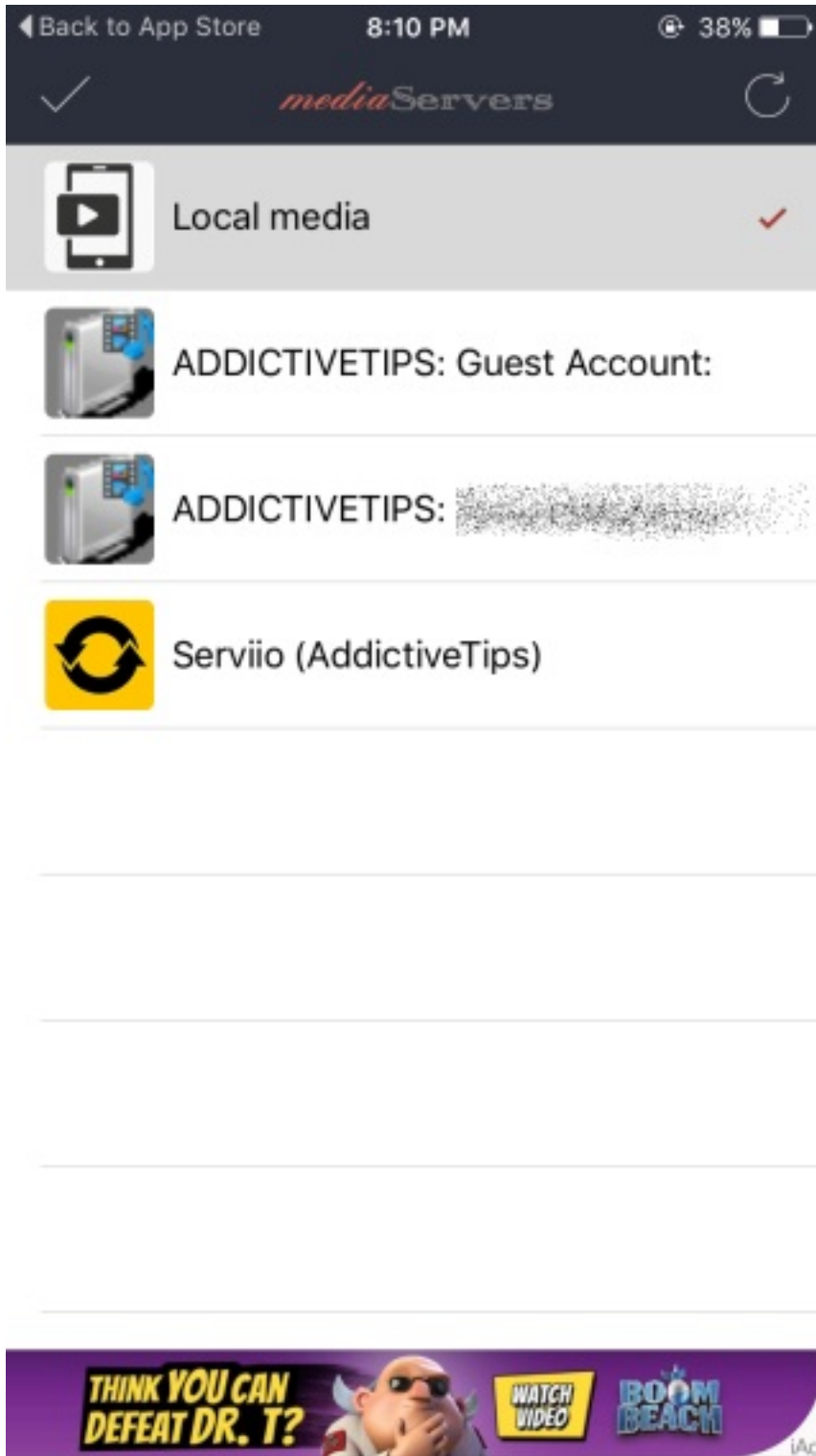
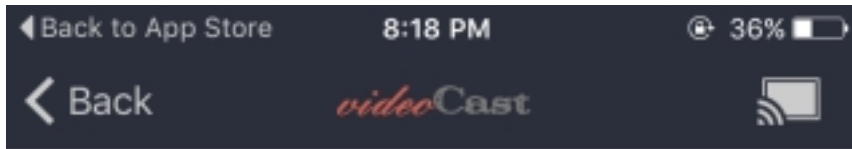


We [reviewed Plex](#) as a must-have app for anyone with a Chromecast app. Plex basically creates a media server on your PC but it's popularity stems from its support for Chromecast which very few other media server apps do. If you're already using a different media server app and don't want to switch to Plex, or it's [near competitor Emby](#), you can instead use your iPhone or Android phone to control the media and cast it to your Chromecast. We've combed the app stores for both iOS and Android to find apps that let you play movies and TV shows from a media server and cast it to your TV.

### Media Server Remote Control Apps For Chromecast – iOS

**VideoCast For Chromecast** is a free app that will scan your Wi-Fi network for media servers. We tested the app out with a server created with Serviio. Select the server from the list of media sources in the app and then navigate to the folder with your movies in it. Before you play a movie, tap the Chromecast button at the top right and connect to your Chromecast device. Once connected, you can play your movie. VideoCast For Chromecast support the MP4, WebM, and MOV media containers. You will need to download a proxy if you want to play videos in MKV and AVI format.





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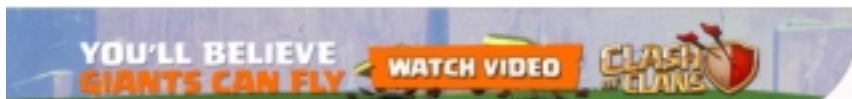


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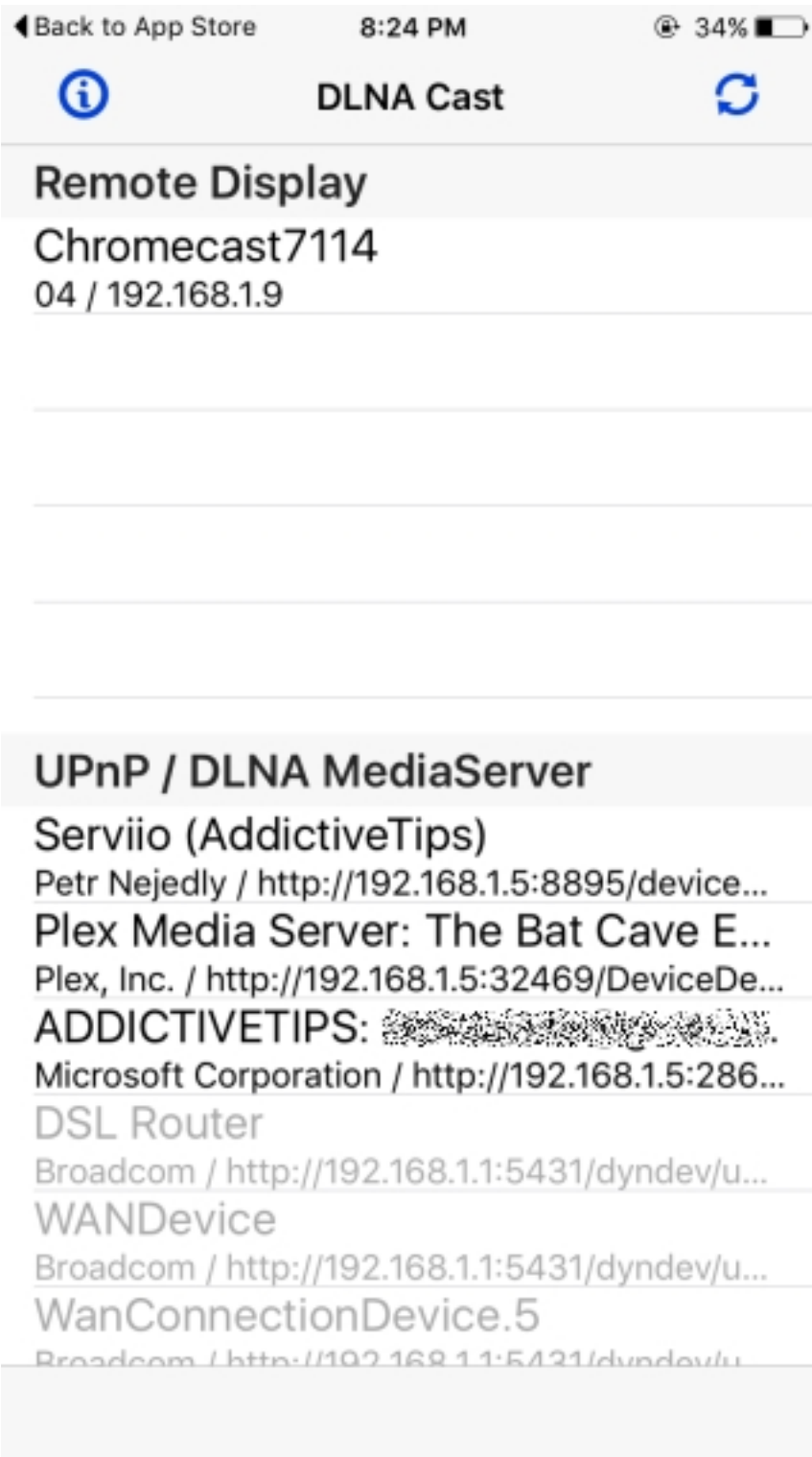


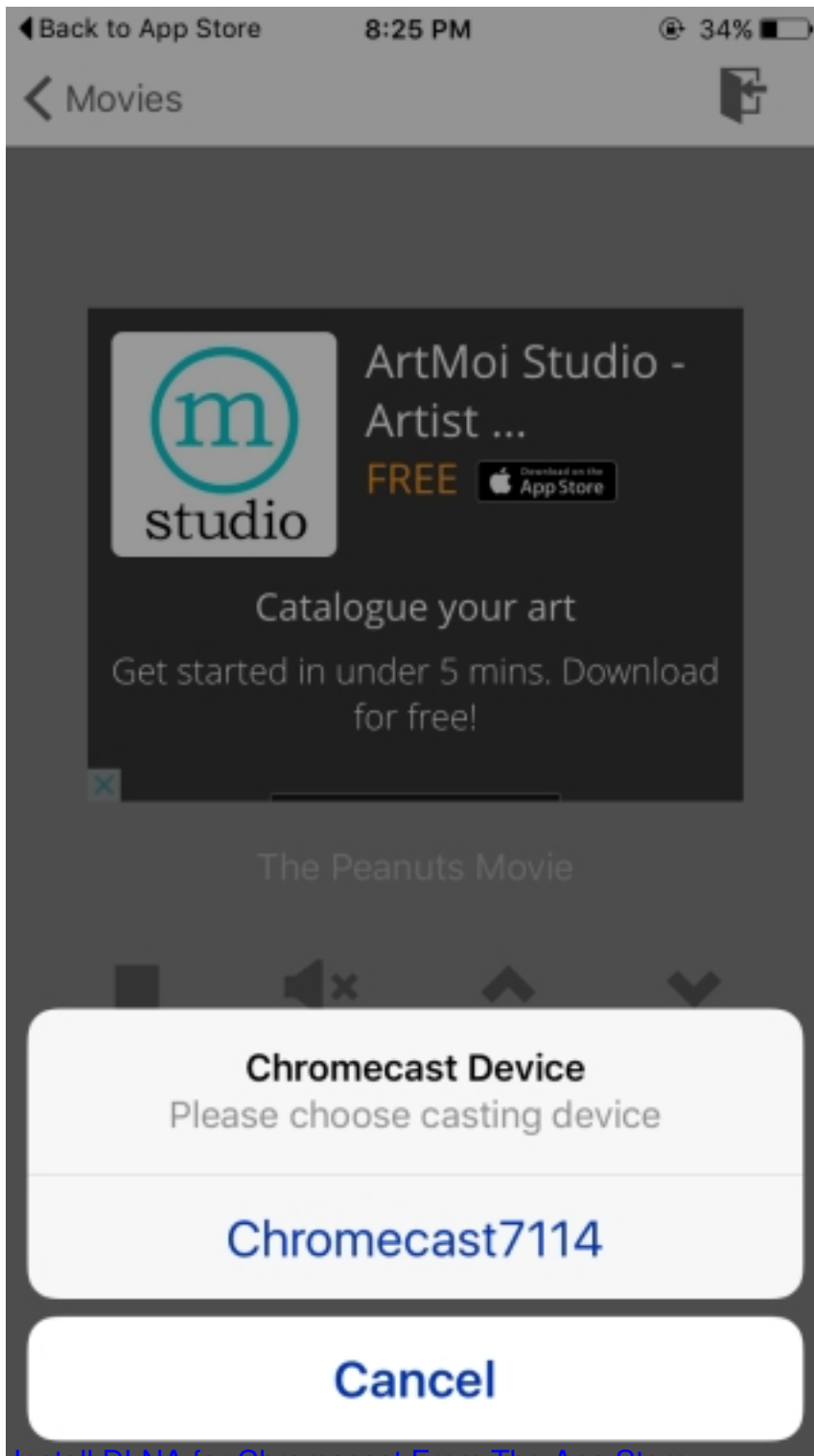
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Cast: Elijah Wood, Sean Astin, Ian McKellen, Andy Serkis, Viggo Mortensen



Source: [Clash Royale](#) - Clash Royale is a free-to-play strategy game for iOS and Android. It was developed by Supercell and released in 2016. The game is a tower defense game where players build a village and defend it from enemy attacks. It is one of the most popular mobile games in the world.



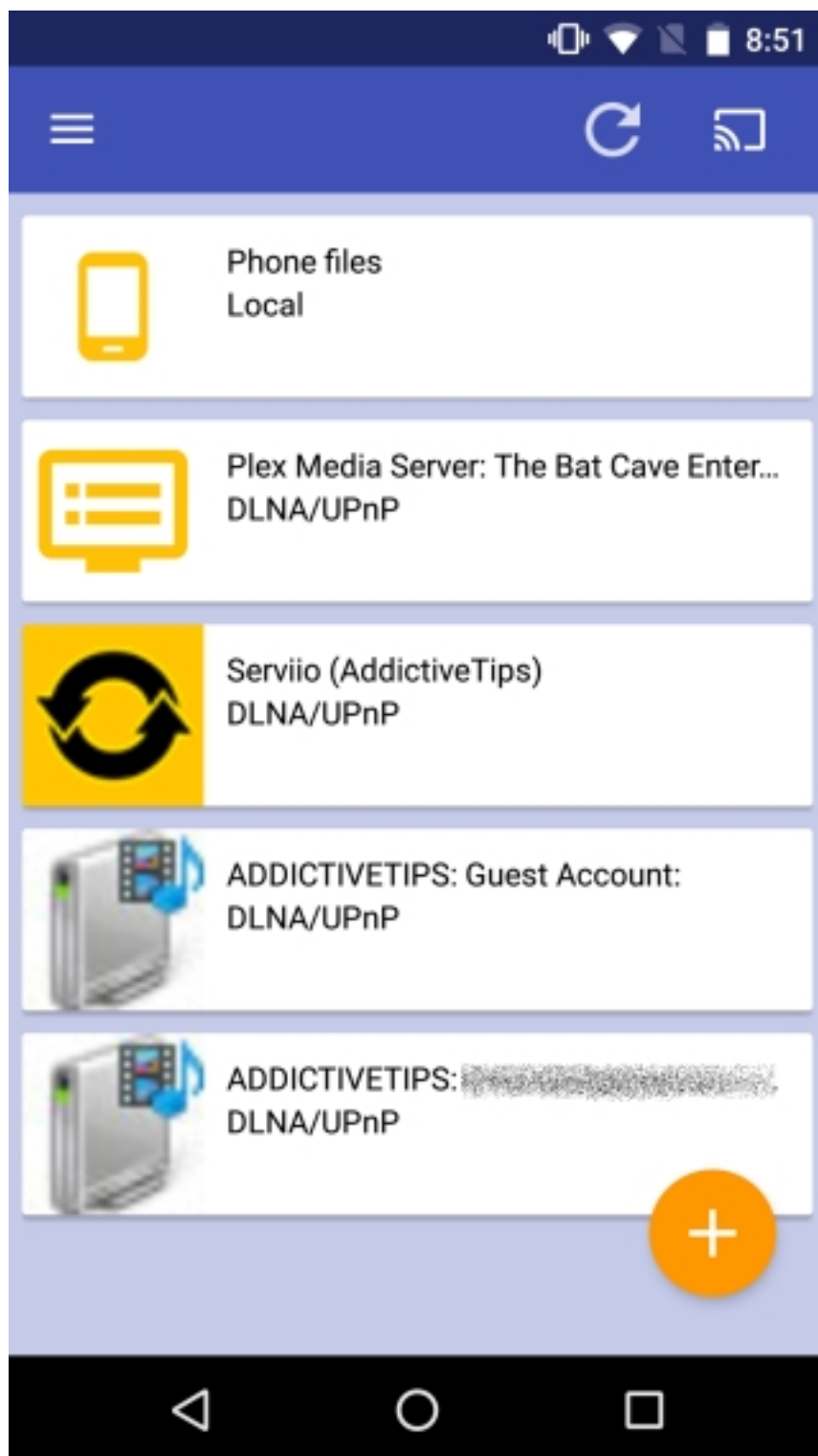


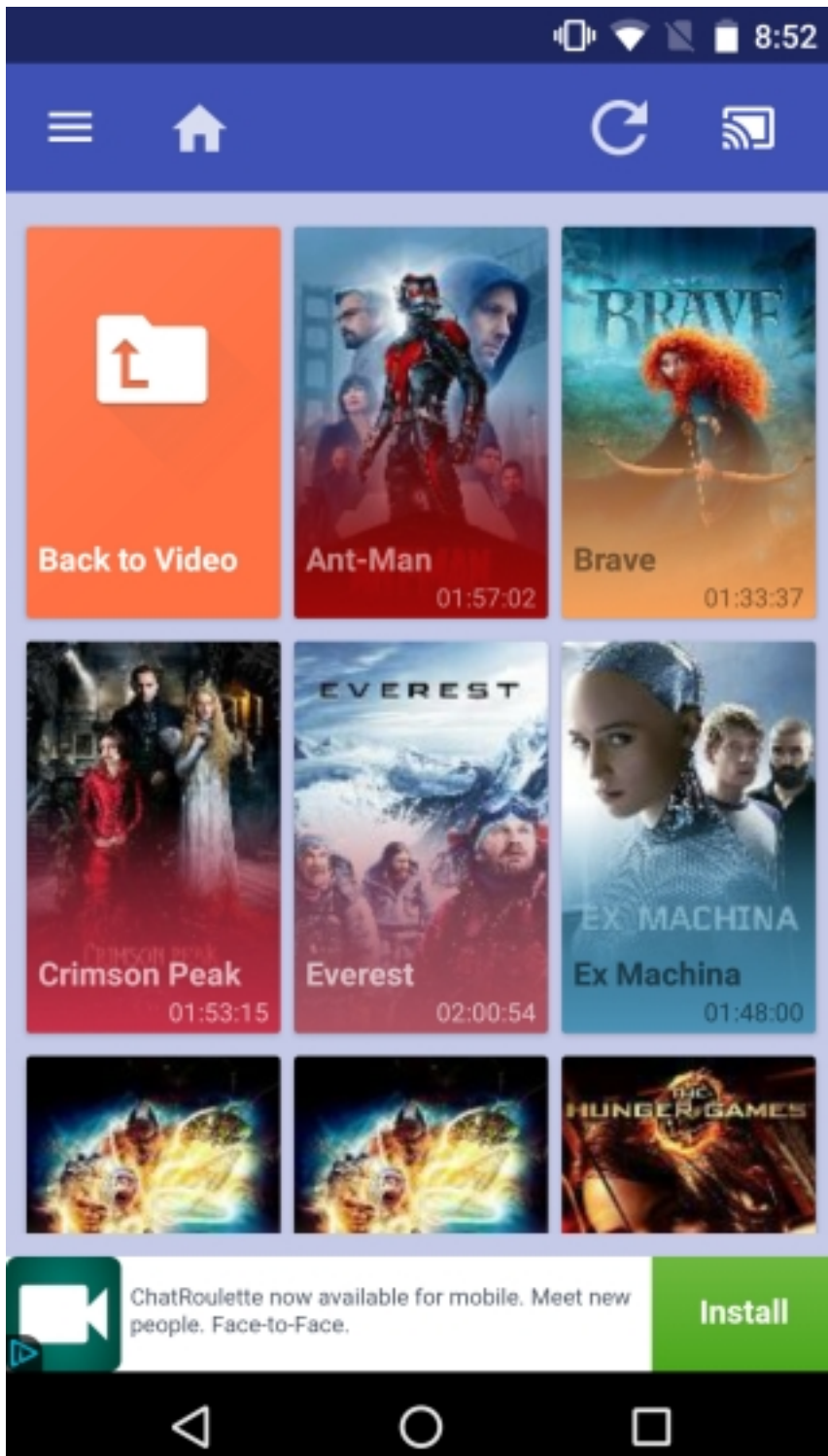
[Install DLNA for Chromecast From The App Store](#)

## Media Server Remote Control Apps For Chromecast – Android

With Android 6.0, the whole OS supports the Chromecast. You can basically use any app that can access a media server and then cast your screen to your TV with the native cast function. If you're on an older phone that doesn't have native support for Chromecast, **Server Cast Chromecast/SmartTV** is the app to use. What's most noteworthy about this app is that it offers support for subtitles.

Install it and it will detect the media servers on your network. It takes a little time to load the titles but they are displayed with their posters. The UI is better than what you get in iOS apps and playback is excellent.





[Read More About How To Play Movies From A Media Server To Your TV Using Your Phone \[Chromecast\] On Your Phone](#)