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AT TCL Chinese 6 Theatres

A tropical beach scene with palm trees, blue water, and a shadow of a vintage camera on the sand. The image is framed by a light blue border. The background shows a clear blue sky with a few clouds, a white sandy beach, and turquoise water. A large palm tree trunk and fronds are visible in the upper left and right. In the lower right, a shadow of a vintage camera is cast on the sand. The text is overlaid on the image.

Like Son, Like Father

SOME SECRETS REFUSE TO BE KEPT...

LAZARUS
TATE

EDWARD
NEQUAYE

KHALIMAH
GASTON

WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY
MARK BETHEA



LA Premiere!!!

September 12 @ 2:00 pm
TCL Chinese 6 - Theater 3
(Festival Block "GGG")

TICKETS AND INFORMATION:

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Silicon Beach Film Festival[®]

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Welcome to the Silicon Beach Film Festival at TCL Chinese 6 Theatres!!

This festival will also be featured on the ShortsDaily Roku Channel! You will find the festival's films listed in alphabetical order according to the page numbers below.

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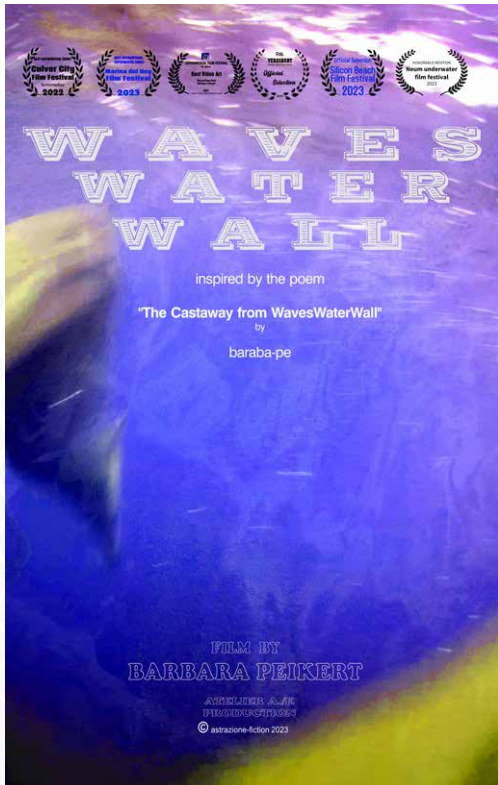
Theatre Tickets: \$15 General Admission

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1813**Director: Mateo Fromont** 6:15

Gabriël is balancing on the edge of the abyss, ready to take his own life.

**1986 PUNK SHOW****Director: Angela Matemetotja** 4:53

A young punk falls for a cheerleader and is desperate to show her his world.

**7 HOURS****Directors: V. Amodeo, G. Cascella** 29:40

Roberto and Tommaso, father and son, share a long night road trip.

**A BITTER MURMUR****Director: Manuel Baeza** 8:00

Sam's struggle with loneliness and isolation brings the return of a haunting presence.

**A BRUSH WITH DEATH****Director: Yuval Sol Boker** 7:59

An Israeli mossad agents goes to a funeral and finds out he's dead.

**A CHRISTMAS KAREN****Directors: J. Binkowski, L. Smith** 1:38:00

Karen is a woman who receives an "intervention" from some unconventional spirits.



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A COMPLETELY SAD MIRACLE

Director: Henry Jack Toll 6:04

A deranged artist in the present day begins a correspondence with John Howland, a pilgrim.



A CURIOUS WOMAN

Director: Kelby Thwaites 8:00

A surreal love story. A lonely woman with erotic desires, searches for love in Paris.



A DINNER

Directors: J. Gorman, S. Walsh 9:53

Two people, unhappy with their current partners, form an unexpected connection.



A FEAST THAT NEVER COMES

Director: Maria Juranic 16:22

Characters inhabit cycles of contentment, discontentment, inertia, movement, desire, and betrayal.



A GIFT TO THE LIVING

Director: Alex Lang 7:20

A young woman returns home, hoping to come out to her religious grandfather before he dies.



A HOME FOR CHRISTMAS - A FOSTER CARE STORY

Director: Kevin Ruiz 5:26

An orphan boy makes a wish to stay with his current foster parents.



A KILLER SERVICE

Director: Gio Randazzo 25:08

Elliott is just a woman trying to make a living any way she can.



A LOVE OF MY OWN**Director: William LiPera** 19:00

A jilted woman seeks revenge, in her imagination, which stops after she finds her true love.

**A MUSICAL BOX****Director: Abraham Lopez** 20:35

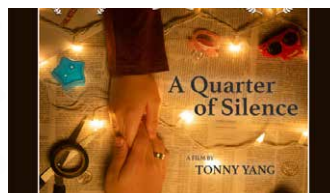
A group of teenagers venture into a vacant house with the intent to explore.

**A PARENT'S WORST NIGHTMARE****Director: Michael Gellis** 1:29

A PSA about an epidemic sweeping America.

**A QUARTER OF SILENCE****Director: Tonny Yang** 13:26

Two young parents go through one night of silence that reignites their proclivity for love.

**A REACTION****Director: Ethan Nahlinder** 30:00

Jason finds a way to allow himself to express openly and honestly how he feels.

**A ROCK AND ROLL STREET****Director: Cathie Boruch** 9:55

A stroll down some rock and roll streets in New York City.

**A SILENT CALL:
CAN ANYONE HEAR ME?****Director: Ana A P. Braunstein** 40:00

The story of protagonist Blake Smith, an artist that lives in LA, played by Barrett Burnes.



A SLICE OF HEAVEN

Director: David Wittkower 9:00

A relationship between a Sugar Daddy and his young girlfriend turns sour.



A WORK OF HEART

Director: Christine Bergeron 12:47

12 year old Amanda defies her mother's rules by fostering a kinship with a homeless woman.



ACTORS BY ACTORS SHOW - EPISODE 004

Director: Arek Zasowski 33:42

Suzanne von Schaack, actress, filmmaker, model and writer, is in an interview.



ALIEN BEING HUMAN

Director: Pretty Weird Blonde 14:07

This is a story about a soul's cosmic journey through the universe.



ALIEN INTERVENTION AKA THE WARM SEASON

Director: Janet Grillo 1:43:00

It's 1967 and 12 year-old Clive is playing in the desert when a Mexican worker appears.



ALL FIRE NO MIDS

Director: Matthias MacLeod 30:33

Cannabis expert Jamie Norrish and his team travel the world, discovering the best cannabis.



ALTERED PERCEPTIONS

Director: Jorge Ameer 2:01:14

In a post-pandemic world, things are slowly returning to some sense of normalcy.



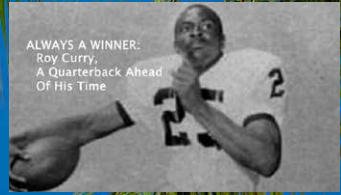
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ALWAYS A WINNER: ROY CURRY, A QUARTERBACK AHEAD OF HIS TIME

Director: Seth Schwartz 48:35

Roy Curry was considered by many to be a quarterback with NFL star ability. This is his story.



AMINA

Director: Xabiso Mtoba 7:32

A girl returns from boarding school hoping the circumstances have changed at home.



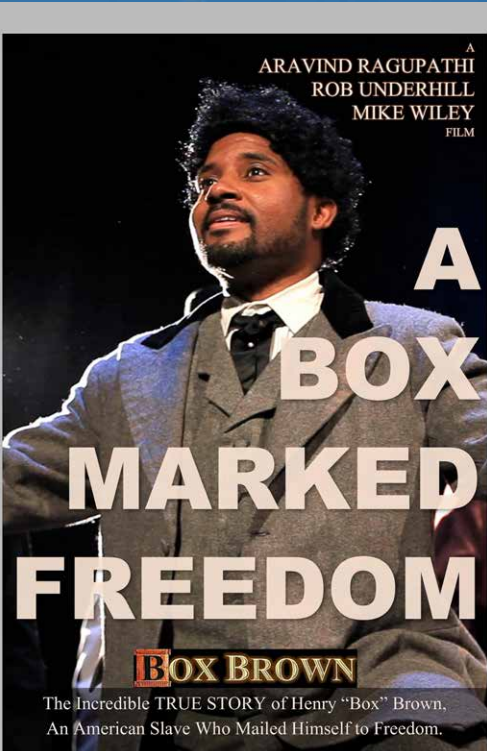
AMINA WORKS PRESENTS "SHE SAID" BY JOHN NICOLA

Directors: J. DeNicola, H. Steadman 4:25

An artistic approach to award-winning songwriter and artist John DeNicola's latest release.



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AN ELECTRIC SLEEP**Director: Theo Brown** 1:16:20

A sickly teenager's last chance for survival rests in torturing a secretive family of scientists.

**ANOMALY****Director: Michael Veritas** 1:53:32

"Anomaly" follows Abraham, a government interrogator, on his first Tier One assignment.

**ARIS DEMENTRIOS: SCULPTURE FROM THE HEART****Director: Josh Aronson** 14:57

This short film explores the life and work of the renowned sculptor Aris Demetrios.

**ARMY MEN****Director: Paul Louis** 39:25

A Miami based songwriter returns to the battlefield of his childhood neighborhood.

**ARTISTS UNKNOWN****Director: Travis Schlauderaff** 7:26

An artistic exploration of connection between the individual and Mother Nature.

**BAD ATMOSPHERE****Director: Mason Sperling** 39:45

Eight scientists are locked inside a prototype Mars Base simulation, on a two year mission.

**BAD DAY****Director: Michael J. Baptiste** 25:47

An extra-marital affair by a cop's wife results in her murder in a hotel room.



BALL AND VASE**Director: David Baram** 31:00

A 92-year-old magician struggles to reconnect with the world--and himself--one last time.

**BANG BANG BETTY****Director: Alex T Hwang** 1:26:00

Kiara, a veteran turned lawyer trying to do good to make up for her past.

**BAR NONE****Director: Charles Papert** 7:00

How many times do you have to meet someone before they remember you?

**BARAYE****Director: B B** 14:41

A documentary covering the changes Iran has gone through in the past 44 years.

**BARE METAL****Directors: B. R. Gries, R. Freng, J. Shoemaker** 10:00

This film details the digital infrastructure industry's work to reduce their carbon footprint.

**BEAUTIFUL DISASTER****Director: James Avelar** 20:40

When a tragedy strikes Jesse, she turns to alcoholism to cope with this pain.

**BEAUTIFUL STRANGERS****Director: Louise L. Christensen** 13:35

An adoptee meets up with her biological mother for the first time as an adult.



BEHIND THE MASK 5 RECEPTIONIST DUTIES

Director: Cathie Boruch 4:56

Episode 5 in a series created about and During the Covid Pandemic in New York City.



BENNY BILL

Director: Yakov Olivarría 19:44

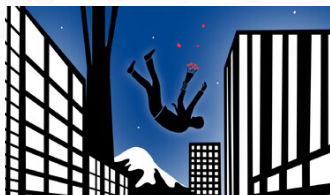
Benny must figure out how to pass a drug test he's definitely going to fail.



BEST SERVED COLD

Director: Van Allen Cooper 12:50

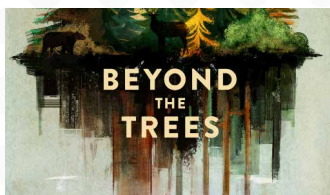
Discovered during the final session, truth lies between justice and vengeance.



BEYOND THE TREES

Director: Anthony Gibbs 33:00

A determined team of climate champions fight to restore our native forests.



BIRD OF PARADISE

Director: Reza Amidi 1:29:55

A thriller about an Iranian-American actress whose life spirals out of control.



BIRDIE

Director: Shana Gagnon 13:00

Birdie struggles with depression as she raises her two-year old in rural Missouri.



BIRTHDAY SUIT

Director: Jerry Weil 7:30

A good looking man's encounter with a woman leads to some unexpected problems.



BLACK IN COLOR**Director: Santino Acheronti** 4:30

A story about a blind man giving a deaf woman flowers.

**BLACK IN COLOR****BLACKBIRD****Director: Morgan Davies** 24:45

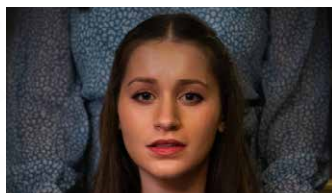
Alma, a black teenager recovering from Bulemia meets Noa at a treatment center.

**BLACKWATER BLUES****Director: Stephen Wise** 25:00

Two brothers in a small Mississippi town receive clues regarding their mother's disappearance.

**BLOOD AND WATER****Director: Jane Simonetti** 15:00

A young girl is pressured by her mother to lie about a boating accident.

**BLUEBERRY SMOOTHIE****Director: Darren Murphy** 19:00

Karl wakes from yet another dream about his ex, Brad.

**BONDING****Director: Luke Rex** 13:21

A solitary figure at an empty bar, Dr. John Flemington, is planning to visit his girlfriend in Mexico.

**BONDING****BOO?****Director: Hayden D. Perry** 13:21

A girl moves to France, only to find a friendly but hopelessly inept ghost.



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BOOP

Director: Sara Newton 9:46
Inside the infamous Bermuda Triangle lies an urban legend.



BOUCHAIB

Director: Ali Boudra 13:00
In Morocco, some experienced the tearing between the Quranic school and European school.

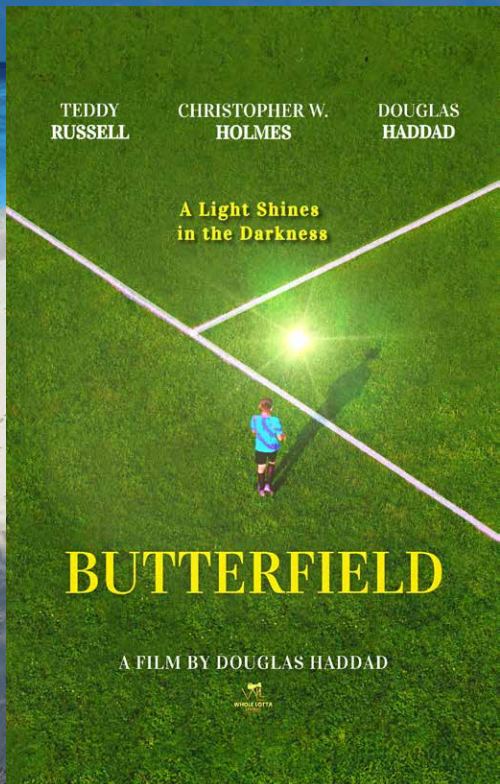


BREADWINNERS

Director: C. Haines 9:00
Professional doofus Wade Nelson, a customer service rep, picks up a career defining call.



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BROKEN MIRROR**Director: Steve Brock** 4:44

Music Video for Broken Mirror by Kayla Burch.

**BROKEN VESSELS****Directors: L & T Ziegelman** 20:00

A thriller about Jane, a woman in a toxic relationship, learning to stand up for herself.

**BRONX BANDA: ARTURO O'FARRILL AND THE BRONX****Director: Taylor Krauss** 1:18:40

Grammy Award-winning jazz pianist Arturo O'Farrill brings to life a hip-hop-jazz ensemble.

**BROTHERS IN IRON****Director: Enrique Vazquez** 17:10

Attempting to make fast cash, two brothers make a life-risking decision.

**BROWN BOX:
A BOX MARKED FREEDOM****Directors:****R. A. Underhill, A. Ragupathi** 1:32:00

The true story of Henry "Box" Brown, a slave who mailed himself to freedom in 1849.

**BUTTERFIELD****Director: Douglas Haddad** 13:49

After the loss of his father, a middle school boy struggles to find hope.

**BUZZKILL****Director: Ron Harris** 46:55

Pharmaceutical giant Bayer AG installs a light-hearted mural in Decatur, Georgia.

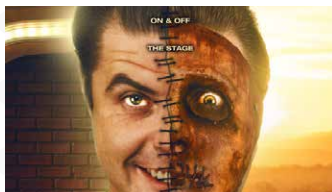


CANARY**Director: Taka Tsubota** 17:58

Four high-school boys find themselves huddled in a cabin nestled in Californian woods.

**CANNIBAL COMEDIAN****Director: Sean Haitz** 1:27:00

A psychopathic cannibal, fed up with his lack of ambition, tries his hand at stand-up comedy.

**CAROLINE****Director: Riccardo Constant** 13:47

A schizophrenic young man is faced with the challenge of reaching San Francisco.

**CHARLES SLOAN****Director: Franklin Lowry** 1:22:20

A terminally ill man navigates through his remaining days.

**CHILDREN IN CAGES****Director: Jon Santana** 17:46

Two teenagers make a documentary about the recent teen suicides in their hometown.

**CIAO! JOHN CROWTHER****Director: Joseph F Alexandre** 18:39

A personal salute to the man who 'raised me' in the film business, my paisan, John Crowther...

**CITY OF LOVE****Director: Eric Boadella** 1:27:00

Spencer, a troubled rideshare driver in Los Angeles, reconnects with the world.



CLARITY

Director: Bryce Mackie 6:29
The struggle of addiction. The healing in recovery.

**CLEAN UP CREW**

Director: Frankie MacLaughlin 17:41
Cisco and Electra are a married couple who are experiencing financial hardship.

**CLEARLY HUMAN**

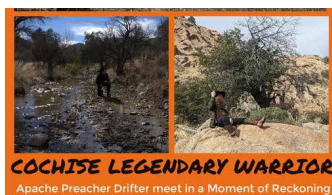
Director: Nora K 7:24
Lee, who is "clearly human" fails the captcha test, and is labeled a "malfunctioning robot".

**CO-STAR MASTER CLASS**

Director: Michael L. Garcia 16:56
A documentary crew follows a group of aspiring actors in an acting class.

**COCHISE LEGENDARY WARRIOR**

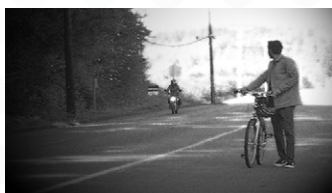
Director: Richard Allen Pines TBA
Cochise is regarded as a fierce warrior, a truthful leader of his people—the Chiricahua Apaches.

**COLD SUMMER**

Director: Anna Evtushenko 9:57
A young woman is freezing - figuratively and literally and needs to make a choice.

**COMMUTER**

Director: Anthony Culanag 18:58
A commuter leaves for work to catch the ferry to Seattle.



CONCOURSE

Director: Jane Fleiss 1:47

Shelbie and Cal are two best friends who are trapped by a bunch of zombies.



CONFESSION

Director: Anastasia Norenko 10:47

In late 19th Century Russia, an ill sinner confesses to God about his absent faith.



CONSUMPTION

Director: Everett Ray Aponte 16:49

Desperate for a role of a lifetime, Scarlett takes a lead in a movie playing an addict.



COUGAR HUNTERS

Director: Jesse Holland 7:23

Trenton Malice and his team seek to discover the truth: are Cougars real?



COURAGE

Directors: J. Armijo, P. Adkins 14:00

Courage focuses on the journey of a detective who has recently learned that he has cancer.



CRAVE

Director: Zac Coats 13:13

A young man in an isolated motel desperately tries not to succumb to addiction.



CREATURE

Directors: N. Nikolova, P. Gerzilov 7:25

Beyond the concepts of monstrous and divine a reverse creation explored.

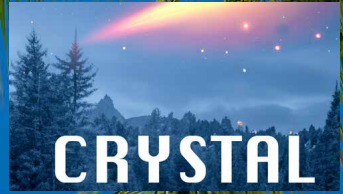


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CRYSTAL

Director: Jonathan Green 8:35
Galactic explorer Alex tries to gather information from his personal AI.



CRYSTAL CLEAR

Director: Meg Darbourne 10:19
A dark comedy revolving around college student Charlie and her free-spirited roommate Annie.

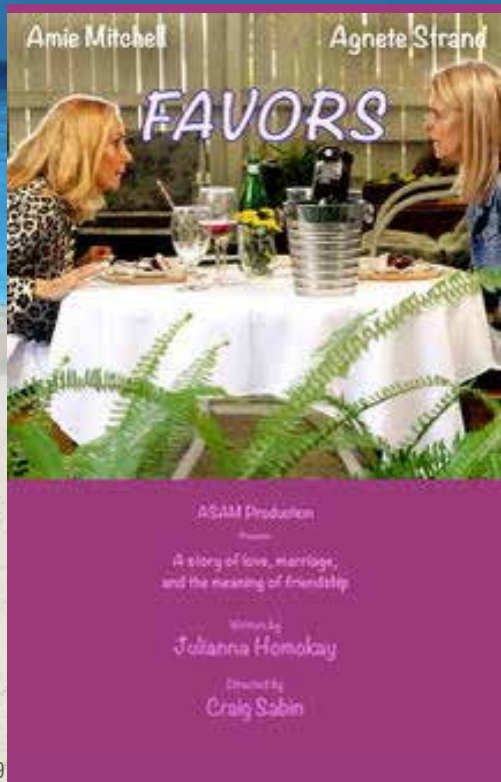
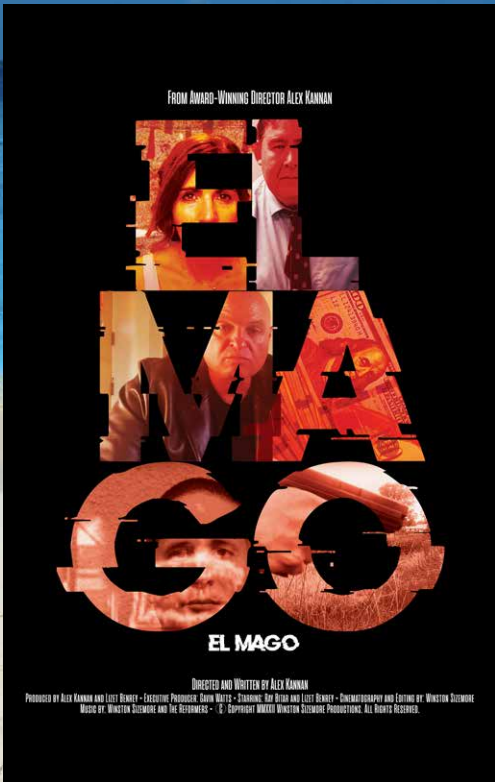


CULTURA

Director: DeeDee Blase 60:00
A generation spanning drama regarding a Phoenix lowrider community.



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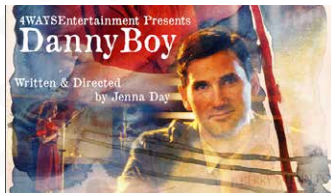


CUP OF ROMANCE**Director: Chris Levine** 9:00

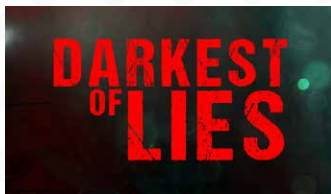
Amanda and Jason, meet in a coffee shop to discuss their upcoming cohabitation.

**DANNY BOY****Director: Jenna Day** 10:43

Danny Boy is a riveting silent film that explores parallel narratives of grief and joy.

**DARKEST OF LIES****Director: Kelly Schwarze** 1:50:38

An army veteran is plagued by dark visions of the future.

**DAY ONE****Director: Jiarong Lu** 5:51

An unemployed man discovers his wife's secret, which leads to his decision to change.

**DECEMBER FADES - "SUNRISE" MUSIC VIDEO****Director: Joel Umbaugh** 3:41

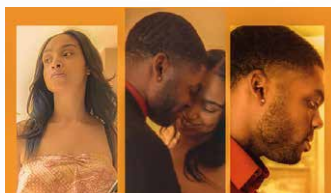
"Sunrise" channels the torment and seduction of ever fleeting moments.

**DESCENSION (DAY 267)****Directors: J. Kline, B. B. Peters** 11:56

Glen (42) has become a paranoid agoraphobe which spirals him into depression and anxiety.

**DESERVE****Director: Arpège Lundyn** 10:00

A career driven woman and her partner begin to unravel the value of their relationship.



DISSOCIATION**Director: Andrew Graziosa** 7:15

A day in the life of a twenty one year old girl suffering from mental health issues.

**DIVORCE: A LOVE STORY****Director: Greg Homan** 52:38

A divorcee recounts the events that led to the dissolve of his marriage to a friend.

**DOG PARK****Director: Andrew Danish** 5:00

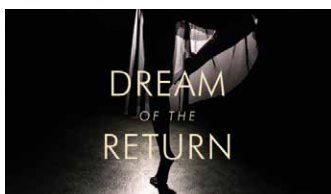
A short comedy about a day with a very enthusiastic dog owner.

**DOWN AND OUT IN VAMPIRE HILLS****Director: Dawna Lee Heising** 22:00

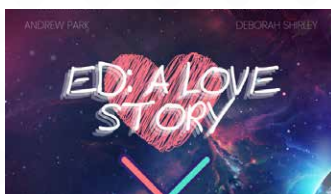
A pending eviction forces a vampire queen to get a job to pay for a new home.

**DREAM OF THE RETURN****Director: Yew Weng Ho** 14:00

An older Chinese woman's struggle with loss and loneliness.

**ED: A LOVE STORY****Director: Abraham Lopez** 29:45

Ed is a socially awkward teenager on a quest to find true love.

**EL MAGO****Director: Alex Kannan** 58:00

Winston, contemplating his last day of freedom before he begins a 25 year prison sentence.



ELECTRIC PIONEERS**Director: Patrick Phillips** 23:48

Exploring the popularity of PEV (personal electric vehicles) through a group of riders in Atlanta.

**ELLEN NEEDS INSURANCE****Director: Dru Johnston** 13:06

Ellen needs to book one more SAG job - or she'll lose her health insurance.

**ELLIDA****Director: Leon Mitchell** 1:25:16

Based upon Henrik Ibsen's famous play, The Lady From The Sea. Shot south of Norway.

**EVERYTHING IS FINE****Director: Piotr Matyja** 24:26

After waking up with no recollection, a young man seeks to find out what happened.

**EVERYTHING IS NOT WHAT IT SEEMS****Director: Anton Chernonog** 16:34

A depressed ballet dancer on the verge of losing her career must come to terms with reality.

**EX-HUSBAND****Director: Aubrey Smyth** 16:45

Allison Chambers is a sharp-witted workaholic executive at the top of her game.

**EXPERIMENTS IN FREEDOM****Director: Yehuda Sharim** 1:08

Ana stands by her eighteen-year-old son, Marcos, as he decides to work in the fields.



FAMILY VALUES

Director: Heather Mingo 8:10
Emily pleas her case for survival to her pregnant sister.



Family Values

FAULTLINE

Director: Ella Mikayelyan 25:24
A young sex worker creates black holes to her final destination: her crucifixion...

**FAVORS**

Director: Craig Sabin 11:03
A film about Love, Marriage, and Friendship.

**FILI**

Director: Peter Filimaua 16:03
Fili Tanuvasa is torn between playing football and his passion for acting.

**FINDING FAITH**

Director: Tajoura Davis 1:24:33
Trissa's faith is shaken after her sister-in-law dies of pancreatic cancer.

**FIRST BAD LOVE**

Director: Michael Jean Baptiste 50:07
Kelly has had enough of her marriage and wants to move on.

**FIRST TIME CALLER**

Director: Nate Allison 29:59
Jansen Tull finds a new hobby in an old HAM radio.



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FLOAT ON HOPE

Directors: Debra & John DeNicola 5:15

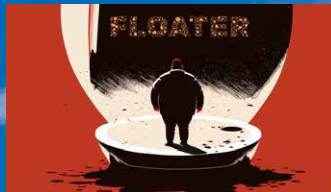
Float on Hope reflects on how we are leaving planet Earth to our children and fellow beings.



FLOATER

Director: D.M. Harring 13:52

After his abusive father's death, a troubled man builds a mausoleum.



FOG AROUND AUGUST

Director: Ryan Cairns 11:35

An intimate look at a young man's desires or the lack thereof.



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Finding Faith



ARE YOU EVEN LISTENING?

DIRECTED BY
TAJOURA DAVIS

ORIGINAL MUSIC BY:
FLORENT ATHENOSY

SCREENPLAY
BY TOM ANASTAS



SOULSTAR ENTERTAINMENT PRESENTS

A MILA PERKINS FILM



THE RISING

PATRIARCHY IS OVER. LONG LIVE THE QUEEN.

WRITTEN BY MILA PERKINS DIRECTED BY ZACH SALSMAN COSTUME DESIGNER SASHA ANUFRIEVA EXECUTIVE PRODUCERS MILA PERKINS & DIONNE GIPSON
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FOOTZILLA**Director: Brandon Scullion** 7:00

A man has a wild fever dream that a Giant Foot monster is attacking Las Vegas.

**FRIDAY NIGHT AT ANDRE'S****Director: Josiah Dermody** 1:30:00

A group of men are waiting for their shrooms to kick in, their friend becomes a zombie.

**GIMME THE WORD****Director: Andy Chung** 6:57

A 2020's VHS cassette dance tutorial makes its way to a high school boy in the 1980s.

**GOOD FILIPINO KIDS****Director: Andrew Acedo** TBA

Two Filipino lovers struggle to fulfill cultural and familial expectations.

**GOOD GIRL****Director: Jenny Kleiman** 11:37

A well-behaved, Jewish, OBGYN decides to turn her brain off and her body on.

**GUARDIAN ANGEL****Directors: Joey Rogoff, Brian Yuran** 16:25

After an abusive relationship and a miscarriage, Wilma Reed immerses herself in her career.

**H.O.E.S - THE BULGE****Director: Robin Leabman** 17:51

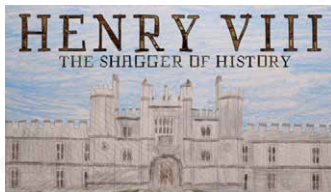
A comedy that shows shenanigans at the Home, Outdoor, and Entertainment channel.



HENRY THE VIII: THE SHAGGER OF HISTORY

Director: Luke Marley 12:16

After the death of his 5th wife, Henry VIII goes on a journey of shagging and executing.



HIDDEN WITHIN

Director: Daniel Lasker 1:21:03

A young woman returns to her hometown to tend to her sick father.



HIDE AND BEEP

Director: Jackson Roth 7:06

Hide and Beep is an animated short about friendship. It features three robots.



HISTORY IN THE FORGOTTEN

Director: William Green 12:14

While researching secrets from the past, a reporter befriends a kindhearted bookshop owner.



HOLLYWOOD JAY'S FISHING ADVENTURES

Director: Jamon Holmes 8:15

A day of fishing at Lake Balboa in Los Angeles.



HOMEBOUY

Director: Graham Hebron 10:30

Hassan experiences trauma while searching for a better life.



HONEYMOON MISSOURI

Director: Joe Eckstein 18:52

A traveler's night veers into the uncanny when she's given a suite reserved by another.



HOW DO YOU FALL OUT OF LOVE WITH COUNTRY MUSIC?

Director: Shyamala Moorthy 12:30

She just wants to sing country and western on stage, but it's not easy.



I DRUM TO A DIFFERENT PUZZLE

Director: Lisa Dunning 9:35

Noah is a teenager. Faith is having responsibilities attaching to her (ASD) personality.



I SCREAM POLICY

Director: John Schade 8:18

Frustrated by inflexible people with policies, a young man is inspired to succeed.



I THOUGHT YOU'D NEVER ASK

Director: Libby Jasper 17:00

The story of strangers whose different backgrounds, age, and life experience set them apart.



IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE HOLY BIBLE

Director: Ronen Tregerman 18:14

A pair of treasure hunters are on a global quest searching for Biblical artifacts.



INCOHERENCE

Director: Emily Rodriguez 20:00

A birthday dinner reunion devolves into madness.



INDULGENCE

Director: Bruce Chiu 16:11

Christine, a transgender woman, realizes she has been mentally manipulated.



INSTANT NOODLE**Director: Michelle Sastraatmadja** 14:26

Having just lost her mother less than a year ago, Marianna comes home to Pasadena.

**INVENTING THE HELIX****Director: Tom** 10:00

Digital wallet company, Eco, partnered with Work & Co, to help users make decisions.

**IRISH EXIT****Director: Melissa Tracy** 9:00

Meet Erika. While her friends are settling down, Erika is still on the quest of finding love.

**IRREVERSIBLE IMPRINTS****Director: Carlos Mora** 5:41

Aurora accompanies her parents to the Castello Ursino in Catania, Sicily.

**ISOLATED****Director: Phoenix Medina** 7:48

After losing his best friend, a young man spirals into an unstable mental state.

**JACK & BLUE****Director: Katherine Sheyno** 26:00

A popular blogger Jack lives isolated from the world.

**JENNIFER AND CHICKEN (EPISODE 1)****Director: Meg Kelly** 9:47

A mockumentary following party-girl Jennifer in a show, co-starring her friend, Chicken.



JES AND LORA

Director: Patrick C. Duncan 12:13

Jes wants to borrow a can of gas, but Lora wants to find out more about the stranger.



JESSICA AI

Director: Ian Mark 5:00

Albert's conversation with an AI assistant named Jessica goes haywire.



JOHN DEMENA - ETERNAL EYES -(MUSIC VIDEO)

Director: Ishan Shukla 5:05

Outer space, dystopia, love, and captivating graphics intertwine in this animated story.



JUST PASSING TIME

Director: Brigid Marshall 14:25

This film encapsulates the nature of dating people who don't know what they want.



JUSTICE

Director: Iurii Sumaneev 13:43

A couple is approached by a transient man at Newport Beach. Unexpected trouble results.



KID CHOCOLATE

Director: Brandon "Rick" Alexander 19:22

Five boys forge a bond as they strive to rise above their circumstances.



KILL ME FAMOUS

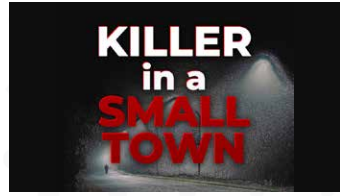
Director: Allie Rick, Joseph Padilla 3:07

How far are you willing to go to get people to notice you?



KILLER IN A SMALL TOWN**Director: Clinton Cornwell** 18:23

Will Wesley, has seen it all, but tonight a face in the dark may outsmart him.

**KISS ME GOODNIGHT****Director: Christine Machlin** 7:56

A drama about John and Maggie, who reminisce about their marriage, life, and love.

**LA UNDERCOVER****Director: Omar Cook, Adonis Armstrong**

1:00:00 Corey Shaw is a rookie cop in the LAPD with his intentions set on bettering his community. After his girlfriend, Sierra, reveals her pregnancy, Corey is offered the job of a lifetime, but it comes at a price.

**LAPSE****Director: Luis Tovar** 9:55

Two photographers of different eras, meet in Venice and connect over a mutual loss.



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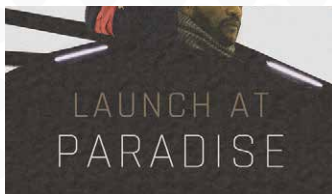


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LAUNCH IN PARADISE

Director: Carrie Ann Quinn 15:00

The lines between life and death become blurred for John as he takes the risk to live forever.



LEARNING WITH REMY RAYSTAR - ABC - PILOT

Director: Chase Stewart 22:02

Come along with Captain Remy Raystar and friends, as they teach kids about Earth!



LEAVING

Director: Scott Alexander Naar 16:00

Daniel is a gay Jamaican immigrant who is under threat of being deported from the US.



LEGACY OF LOVE

Director: Rosario Amico 4:37

The short film follows a Navy Seal who is deployed on a dangerous mission.



LET GO

Director: Shannon Hardy 4:44

In this LGBTQ+ Drama Short Film, a couple's "perfect" weekend getaway begins to crumble.



LET'S MEET HALFWAY

Directors: D. Dveris, M. Schmitz 1:30:05

A long distance couple meet once a month in an attempt to preserve their relationship.



LIFT ME UP

Director: Daniel Corey 3:27

Music video for musician Daniel Corey's single that was released on all streaming platforms.



LIGHTS UP EAGLES, LIGHTS OUT ORIOLES

Director: Jordan Rockwell 1:44

In this "Meta Short Film," Jordan Rockwell finds that his "Sports Soul" is split in two.



LIKE SON LIKE FATHER

Director: Mark Bethea 17:00

15-year-old Harry came out as gay while his Army Ranger father was deployed in Afghanistan.



LIVING STILL

Director: Frederik Wiedmann 13:58

A woman wakes up in park, and she doesn't remember how she ended up there.



LOCK THE DOOR BEHIND YOU

Director: Lauren Barker 6:06

After Lexi realizes she left her front door unlocked, paranoia sets in.



LONG LIVE ZANDER THE GREAT!

Director: Devin Scott 25:00

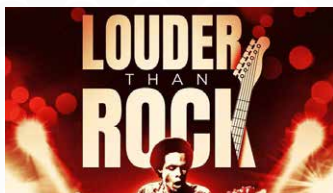
Jordan looks back on his childhood to the realization that his parents were not heroes.



LOUDER THAN ROCK

Director: Valerie J Tucker 1:35:28

A documentary about Caleb Quaye, best known as Elton John's Original guitarist.



LOVE TRUMPS ALL

Director: Jeff Schubert 30:55

Is Charlie destined to be alone? Or with the help of his therapist, will Love Trump All?



LOVE YOU BROTHER**Director: Jack Geren** 9:00

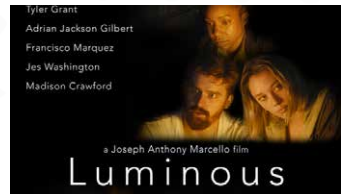
A man invites his brother to a cafe in Los Angeles to make amends and it doesn't go well.

**LULLABY****Director: Noah Kinsey** 8:38

Police officers show up at the house of a mother to what they think is a domestic dispute.

**LUMINOUS****Director: Joseph Marcello** 30:00

After escaping a collapsed society, a group of young adults seek survival in the Mountains.

**MADE IN TECHNICOLOR****Director: Millie Cupp** 11:02

A sci-fi coming of age story about a boy who meets a girl and helps her find her dog.

**MAKE UP YOUR MIND****Director: Hayley Nash** 13:54

A young woman struggling with her health must decide whether or not to buy a new brain.

**MAKING WAVES****Director: Alex Winn** 12:37

Documentary follows London sculptor JD Fox as he creates a singular monolithic form in clay.

**MALUNA****Director: Jason Gonzalez** 17:00

A young woman discovers her family's secret when a plague infests her city.



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MARE IMMENSUS (SEA OF THE BOUNDLESS)

Director: Jocelyn Zhao 8:54

A visceral and mysterious venture from the mountain to the sea.



MARIGOLD

Director: Luis Perez Villegas 55:43

Different women in their stories of deception of love and the supernatural consequences.



MAYA

Director: Paul C Hemmes 1:30:00

Maya, a shape shifting soul collector seeks to lead a group of non-believers into the afterlife.



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Stay With Me



PANTHER PICTURES WITH ROSELAND PICTURES PRESENTS GARY J KLAVANS' SHEILA SAWHNY 'STAY WITH ME' DIRECTED BY GRAEME FINLAYSON WRITTEN BY ERIC PLAYER CO-STARRING EMILY KAUTZ STEVE FREDERICH'S BRAD LEESER MINKA LEESER GUEST PERFORMERS KANAROSE DONHATEPARUK SHEILA SAWHNY AND ERIC PLAYER DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY ADRIAN SIERKOWSKI FEATURING MUSIC BY MICHAEL MCLEAN ADDITIONAL MUSIC BY JOHN BATDORF AND DOLLI GRACE



It's Never Too Late To Let Love Be Your Legacy

**TEACHING THE HOLOCAUST:
BEYOND FACTS AND FIGURES**

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS LEARN ABOUT THE HOLOCAUST IN A WAY THAT IS MORE THAN JUST ANOTHER SCHOOL ASSIGNMENT.

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MEET LOS PARENTS**Director: Joey Medina** 3:43

A caucasian man is nervous to meet his Mexican girlfriend's parents for the first time.

**METEORIC****Director: Philip Sedgwick** 18:37

Two couples discover a meteorite landing site, the claim to the object becomes a battle of wits.

**MITLA/UNDER WORLD****Director: Mark Chavez** 3:20

Mitla | Underworld is a film inspired by my visit to Teotihuacan and the tunnel beneath.

**MIWENE****Directors: K. Heyward, J.Berglund, G. Enomenga, O. Nihua** 1:45:30

Gange Yeti shares her story as a young Waorani woman living deep within the rainforest.

**MOIRAI, THREAD OF LIFE****Director: Ina Conradi, Mark Joseph Chavez** 5:38

A female astronaut finds herself gravitating toward a mysterious force in a strange cave.

**MONSTERS IN HAVASU****Director: Jamon Holmes** 13:50

"Monsters in Havasu," is a mini-documentary film of the "Monster Storm 2017."

**MORENDO****Director: Kyle Cyr** 18:21

In the solitude of his twilight years, Mateo can't help but reminisce about his life.



MOTHER MARTYR SALT & SAINT**Director: CK Thornton** 11:23

Mother Martyr, Salt & Saint demonstrates the idea where the mother is trying to help her son.

**MOTHER OF THE STATION****Director: Kostoula Tomadaki** 1:19:25

During the 20th century, a lot of Greek women left their homeland and emigrated in Germany.

**MOTHER TONGUE****Director: Nicole Stigler** 28:00

A young woman is forced to reflect on her relationship with her mother.

**MOUNTAINS****Director: Alex Knopf** 12:47

For Sedona, and her legacy that will allow others to "defy all medical expectations".

**MRS BUICA****Director: Eugene Buica** 1:23:00

Mrs. Buica - her worldly accomplishments were raising a family and surviving a bad marriage.

**MY NAME IS****Director: J. Darwish, A. Stone** 9:33

Lizzie confronts her friend, Ahmed, after he Anglicizes his name to order coffee.

**MYSTERY HIGHWAY****Director: Clarke M. Smith** TBA

Radio DJ George Bell does his weekly adventure drama series "Mystery Highway".



NIECY

Director: Shandaeya Caldwell 5:39

Robert goes into work - he doesn't realize he will meet the love of his life for the first time.



NIGHT RITUAL

Director: J.D. Boxley 2:48

Beware of strange noises in the night! Or not.



NO AIR FOR ANGELS

Director: Erin Elizabeth 13:00

Laird goes to great lengths to bring her estranged father-in-law back into America.



NO NO GIRL

Director: Paul Goodman 1:57:00

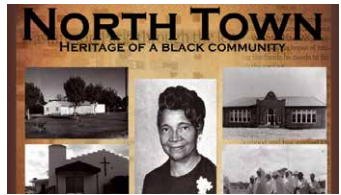
Eighty years ago, a Japanese American family buries a secret in their backyard garden.



NORTH TOWN

Director: Bruce Nelson 1:05:14

North Town explores the once segregated community in Mesa, Arizona 1900's to the 1980's.



NUESTRA SANTA LUCIA

Director: Paul Tully 15:30

A story about love, sacrifice and courage. Lucia must make a decision and leave her family.



OMG!

Director: A. Morf, C. Müller 27:42

The famous American Tiktoker "CandyMandy" share "stories" with her community.



OUIJA BRO**Director: Justin Zagri** 10:00

Kevin encounters a ghost through a Ouija board - a former fraternity member.

**OUR BROKEN FAMILY****Director: Renee Garcia** 23:20

Alina and her children are a broken family having a hard time dealing with the divorce.

**OUT OF WATER****Director: Madi Stine** 12:44

When a mermaid-for-hire is mistaken for a real one, she plays along.

**OVERLOAD****Director: Jamen Meistrich** 8:32

A young man with a porn addiction faces his demons.

**PACIFIC COAST****Director: Mark Kiefer** 1:26:00

Two brothers make a road trip down the Pacific Coast Highway.

**PAPER PLANES****Director: Enrico Miglino** 5:43

This short is a story of a couple that no longer stays together.

**PARTY GIRL****Director: Stacey Kelly** 6:38

A straight-laced student takes an unexpected detour one night and has a wild fling.



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PATIENT 4.0

Director: Patrice Goldberg, Cyril Fleury 26:03

We are becoming digital patients - patients 4.0! Is this good news or bad?



PERCEPTION

Director: Erik Bloomquist 12:08

A seemingly perfect family has a secret that they aren't willing to share.



PETE & RE-PETE

Director: Martha Van Garza 11:49

A zombie attack on three elderly men takes an unexpected turn.



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A NEW CLAUSTROPHOBIC DRAMA FROM WRITER/DIRECTOR
LILTON STEWART III

TEALA STAMPLEY **TOREAN THOMAS** **ROSA PILL** AND **MARIAH SALAE**

THE BURDEN OF GUILT



EVERYTHING'S BIGGER IN TEXAS, INCLUDING REVENGE.

THE POST



PIPE DREAM**Director: Mark Grabianowski** 5:15

A man encounters himself in an alternate reality through a sink drain pipe.

**PLAY THE GAME OF THRONES****Director: Leigh Roberts** 5:56

In this parody music video, two teachers try to recruit movie/TV star Peter Dinklage.

**PLIGHT****Director: MJ Alhabeeb Jr** 1:21:07

A Ukrainian woman (Valentina) comes to the States to care for her sister.

**PORCELAIN****Director: Nicole Cinaglia** 1:27:35

After her estranged father's death, Elise and her boyfriend return to her hometown.

**PRETEND****Director: Doug Bollinger** 4:00

Pretend is a music video about a couple navigating their rocky relationship.

**PRINCENEY****Director: Ariel Orama (AG ORLOZ)** 8:45

Princëney is a Caribbean boy that begins a journey towards his greatest wish: to be a prince.

**PRINCESS****Director: Brandon R. Kersjes** 1:40:20

A girl with the dream of becoming a princess, ends up a prostitute.



PROCESION**Director: Gabriel Valbuena** 11:44

After centuries, Spain's Easter Week traditions went into silence in 2020.

**PULP FRICTION****Directors: T. Olmos, M. Atkinson** 14:10

The lives of two roommates and a mysterious man intertwine in a tale of conflict.

**PURPLE HEART FOR EFFECT****Director: Bradford Uyeda** 1:36

In 1985 a retired Japanese American war veteran tells his Grandson his hardships.

**RAVINE****Director: Selene E. Alvarez** 19:01

This film explores the differences between growing up Mexican vs Mexican-American.

**RE-ENTRY****Director: RJ Zabasky** 17:58

After serving a 15 year sentence, a man re-enters a society which has outgrown him.

**RECEDING****Director: Renee Garcia** 15:58

Sophia, is an 8-year-old girl suffering from Alopecia and she gets bullied by other kids.

**RECOVERY PHASE****Director: James Ken Blackmon** 16:11

Addict Isaiah (James Ken Blackmon) reaches out to his sponsor Emmett (Cole Sydnor).



RED CARPET READY SHEKHAR RAHATE

Director: Harper Gahunia 20:19

A journey of an indian american hot couture designer shekhar rahate.



RESILIENT

Director: Claire Chubbuck 11:03

A woman with a traumatic past is supported by her husband's deep love.



REVERSE

Director: Christophe Lenoir 12:09

An ex-spy with dissociative identity disorder hatches a plan to get revenge.



RIGHT OF PASSAGE

Director: Michael A. Krehan 16:20

A teenage boy must endure a series of challenges on his quest to become a man.



ROB THE ROBBER

Director: Steven Arippez 12:11

Rob is hired to steal a rising influencer's leopard panties.



ROCK INN

Director: Fon Davis 11:21

It's last call in more ways than one for the regulars and new visitors to a dive bar.



ROCK PAPER MILKSHAKE

Director: Paraskevas Mourikis 16:20

Andy wrestles with the idea of telling his friend Bec how truly feels about her.



ROOKIE CARD**Director: Anthony La Pira** 18:13

A teenage boy in the 1980s grapples with his family and the regret of selling a baseball card.

**ROOTS TOUR - A SIBLING JOURNEY: FROM HATRED TO HARMONY****Directors: C. Hanna, J. Marriott, Dr. B. Sapir** 30:00

70% of all domestic violence reported is from sibling abuse, and no one talks about it.

**ROSES DON'T ONLY BLOOM LOVE****Director: Sienna Stiefel** 3:27

About a couple who branches over the line from a healthy relationship to a toxic relationship.

**RUBY'S DAD****Director: David Tschan** 16:11

Stanley and his daughter try to sneak into an upscale hotel to get an autograph.

**S.Q.U.A.D.****Directors: E. Cyr, C. Lavezzari, D. Holmes-Dodge** 24:57

Can a group of black men act as a force for good on behalf of a society? The SQUAD finds out.

**SANDPAPER****Director: Danny Mooney** 30:00

A story of overcoming obstacles and rediscovering one's passion, all set in the ballet world.

**SCHOOL NIGHTS****Director: John Killoran** 9:53

A man finds himself transported to a world where seventh grade lasts forever.



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SCREEN TEST

Director: Adam Shimberg 9:00

An actor lands her first big role. The question now is, stand up for herself or take the role?



SCRUM WARS - EPISODE 1: A NEW SPRINT

Director: Jaz Garewal 6:21

Ha'nah Bilbraxia-Stevens gets a crash course on her first day as project manager.



SEE YOU AT SUNRISE

Director: Andie Naar 11:11

Eight-year-old Charlie, and his terminally ill mom, Hannah, take a road trip to Joshua Tree.



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TAKING THE FIGHT



"We all have a fight"

Stuart Warren Dansby

Directed by CARLOS ARRIETA • Edited by CARLOS PITA • Musical Score by NICOLAS (CAPPED) ARRIETA

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SEVEN MINUTES IN HEAVEN

Director: King Dawit 10:25

At a high school party, popular Maria and under-confident Carl end up in the closet together.



SHAMAN'S CALL

Director: Jon Mancinetti 4:54

A depressed poet drunk and alone in the desert receives a message from a familiar face.



SHARING THE FLOOR

Director: Lily Brooks O'Briant 16:57

Sharing the Floor is the emotional journey of teen girls who find support in one another.



SHATTER THE GLASS

Director: Patrick Hogan 14:59

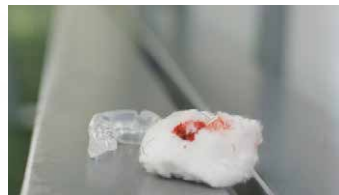
Alex Therien proudly posts her new status as 1st chair in her school band but is mocked.



SIDELINED

Director: Romain Fleury 3:20

Eric, a coach, is willing to do anything to win. Even to risk the integrity of his players...



SIGHTS UNSEEN

Director: Jesse Terrell 29:53

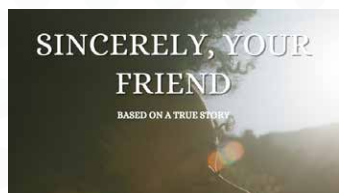
A student's fascination with extra dimensions will lead to an obsession.



SINCERELY YOUR FRIEND

Director: Julia Hess Hess 8:27

Based on a true story, Nia reads aloud a letter from the heart.



SMILE AS YOU KILL**Director: Michael Sarrow** 1:26:30

With only a few months to live, a desperate man kidnaps a successful advertising director.

**SOMETHING GOOD COMING****Director: Eddie Vigil V** 1:38:00

Two grocery store workers meet and end up spending time with each other.

**SOW DON'T SING - THIS OLD WINNER****Director: Alysha Nunez** 11:44

Two soldiers bond over their experience with abuse and vow to die together.

**SPELL IT OUT IN NEON****Director: Tammy Minoff** 11:51

Beth, an artist, and her commitment phobic coworker, Brian, definitely have a "thing".

**SPIRITQUEST WITH JACK MAXWELL****Director: Meredith Thomas** 29:38

Jack's back and hittin' the road! Join him on his new sea-to-shining-sea search.

**STARS****Director: Mars Roberge** 1:47:43

Homeless women learn that hope is worth more than all the money in the world.

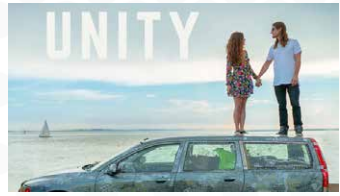
**STARS BEHIND THE CLOUDS****Director: Thomas Tulak** 14:12

Fresh on the heels of a romantic rejection, Kelsey attends a friend's party.



STATE OF UNITY**Directors: N. Hoff, J. Speece** 1:28:31

Brooklyn-based band The Bergamot on a quest to all 50 States to unite people with music.

**STAY WITH ME****Director: Graeme Finlayson** 24:00

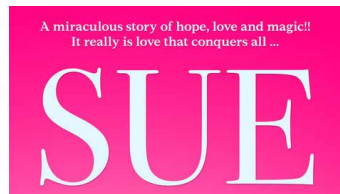
A couple on the brink of collapse experience their last drive home.

**STUMBLE BUMS****Director: Diana Ljungaeus** 1:18:00

A pair of hustlers plan a murder for a once-in-a-lifetime score and get more than they bargain for.

**SUE****Director: Nancye Ferguson** TBA

In the hopes to fulfill her mom's dream, Nancye creates an online dating profile for Sue.

**SUNLIGHT CAN'T GET THROUGH****Director: Jonas Sansone** 6:03

A fisherman confronts his politician brother over his potentially hazardous decision.

**SUPER TACO****Director: W. Thompson, R. Lyn** 10:22

Lycia collects her brother Rodillo from prison, convincing him to help their father.

**SWEET STRUGGLE****Director: Adriana Kostetska** 18:05

A mother struggles to cope with her son's diabetes.



SWINDLE**Director: Zach Koeppe** 7:14

A struggling music producer pretends a Hollywood Hills mansion is his own.

**TAG-ULAN****Director: Jon Matthews** 14:45

A grandmother is determined to spend her remaining days in the Philippines.

**TAHANAN****Director: Nicholas James Barber** 1:02:03

After being forced to move to the United States, a Filipino boy questions what home means.

**TAKING THE FIGHT****Director: Carlos Arrieta** 1:15:00

The journey of Stuart Warren Dansby, who enters the kickboxing ring for the first time.

**TALE OF THE TEN FINGER SALOON****Director: Gavin Gines** 13:01

A revenge seeking cowgirl finds her way into a saloon with some unfinished business.

**TALK TO ME****Director: Alec Latulippe** 10:30

After losing his fiancé Liz, Atlas hits rock bottom.

**TEACHING THE HOLOCAUST: BEYOND FACTS AND FIGURES****Director: Phyllis Zimbler Miller** 26:34

About Phyllis Zimbler Miller's nonfiction Holocaust project - www.ThinEdgeOfTheWedge.com



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**TESLA'S MEDICINE:
THE UNIVESAL FLUID**

Director: Bob Connolly 1:50:00

An investigative journalist travels the world to discover the lost secrets of Nikola Tesla.



TESTIMONIAL

Director: Dan Karlok 19:50

A professor in the early stages of Alzheimer's meets a former student at his testimonial dinner.



THAT'S FUNNY

Director: Alex Grossman 1:20:00

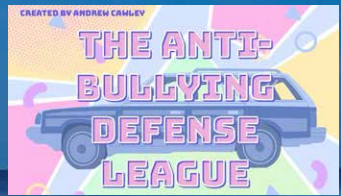
On the verge of a mid-life crisis, Alex seizes his final shot at stand-up comedy fame.



**THE ANTI-BULLYING
DEFENSE LEAGUE (PILOT)**

Director: Sally Rubin 18:18

A group of lifelong best friends take a road trip to confront their childhood bullies one by one.



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*Thank you for
joining us!*

THE BLAME GAME

Director: John Daly 12:47

Meet Jesse and Reed, a couple going through a breakup... live on TV!



THE BREAKAWAY

Director: Johnny Read 20:00

In a world rebuilt on paranoia, government enforced systems surveil their every move.



THE BURDEN OF GUILT

Director: Lilton Stewart III 1:41:06

Mallory and Tristan's grief over their son's loss drove them to a boiling point.



THE BYTE DREAMS ARE MADE OF

Director: Alessandro Amaducci 1:07:00

The dream world of the digital machine manifests itself on the computer screen.



THE CAN

Director: S. C. LaValley, D. Purdy 22:02

A broken-spirited Tim struggles to navigate love and loss.



THE DARK

Director: Randy Sage 14:48

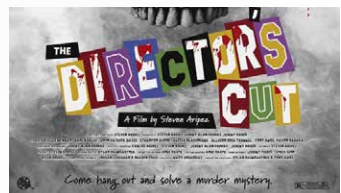
A young woman finds herself being stalked and terrorized on Halloween night.



THE DIRECTOR'S CUT

Director: Steven Aripez 1:25:43

A video store owner plans a sting operation with his stoner friends.



THE DIRTY DIVIDE

Director: Paul Freedman 1:37:00

A film about the homeless crisis in Los Angeles, a complicated and controversial tragedy.



THE DIVINE TOAD

Directors: A. Zbar, T. MacNiven 54:24

A modern retelling of Dante's Inferno set in Silicon Valley.



THE EXCHANGE GIRL

Director: George Larkin 9:20

The Exchange Girl is about women working in dangerous conditions in silent film production.



THE FEATURE

Director: Derek Diamond 19:29

An aspiring filmmaker learns that life is not a movie.



THE FOAM

Director: Shanshan Zhang 4:43

The Foam is a 16mm black-and-white experimental short film.



THE GAMBLER

Director: David R. Anderson 17:45

Sometimes you need to put all your chips in...For someone else.



THE HAMBURGER CHASE, CHARLIE THE CHUM DOES IT AGAIN!

Director: Antonette Trussoni 7:00

Commander Theodore Carnegie, a Keystone Cop, finds himself duped by a mysterious thief.



THE INSIDE JOB

Director: Joseph D Charafi 15:13

"The Inside Job" is a high-stakes political thriller about a businesswoman.



THE JOHNNY & NICO SHOW

Director: Victor O 8:25

We follow the lives of Johnny & Nico, the thieving money-hungry duo.



THE KEYS

Director: Pann Murujaiyan 18:24

Los Angeles, 1949: Young realtor Rupert steals a prime estate listing.



THE KID BEHIND THE IRON DOOR

Director: Farnaz Samiinia 21:00

In order to cope with loss of her friend, 8 year-old Neda escapes into her own fantasy world.



THE LAST CALL

Director: Alex T Hwang 15:29

A home invasion by a hired hitman results in several murders.



THE LAST COOKIE

Director: Michael Gellis 2:16

A mother's love is unconditional, kind of.



THE LAWS OF MOTION

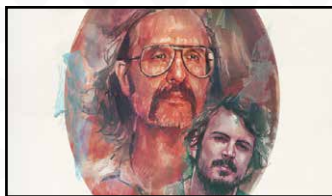
Director: Patrick Kendall 23:54

Three Friends help a Divorcee pack up his life and abandon his family home.



THE LIZARD LAUGHED**Director: Allen Cordell** 21:00

Comedic story of a father doing the least he can to reconnect with his son.

**THE MOSQUITO****Director: Joshua Ebrahimi** 6:00

An Iranian-American medical student confronts the ramifications of his parent's failed dreams.

**THE NANNY****Director: Brian Reynolds** 1:50:00

A wealthy couple hire a girl from Finland to take care of their newborn.

**THE NEXT TO LAST SUPPER****Director: John Kestner** 10:14

A husband and his wife join her bitter, terminally-ill father for lunch.

**THE ORCHESTRA CHUCK BUILT****Director: Christopher Stoudt** 23:00

Only 1.8% of the professional orchestra workforce in the US is Black.

**THE PERFECT COUPLE****Director: Enrico Banson** 19:45

A wild and event-filled Filipino-American wedding like no other.

**THE POOL BOY****Director: Jay Reiss** 12:16

AJ, a college student forced to take over the family pool cleaning business.



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THE POST

Director: Justin Hunt 1:39:51
A loving father in a football-crazed Texas town is left devastated.



THE PUSSYCAT

Director: David Bird 21:24
The Heat is coming. Katie must lock herself up before the heat is here.



THE RECRUIT

Director: Bao Truong 10:36
A chronically ill people-pleaser interviews for a life changing job.



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If it weren't for second chances...

THE REFLECTION OF FRANCISCA NEWMAN

Director: Jon Frenkel Garcia 15:00

A psychologically disturbed ballerina fails at her life audition.



THE RETROSPECTIVE

Director: S.J. Inwards, Alec Ziff 11:52

Citizens are judged to determine whether they will proceed or conclude their journeys on earth.



THE RISING

Director: Mila Perkins 28:40

Joe Sutton, a desperate Veteran, becomes entangled with a conspiracy group.



THE ROMANCE OF UNREQUITED LOVE

Director: Aleksei Doktorevich 18:11

The story of musician Geo who grapples with attraction towards his sister's fiancé.



THE SCULPTOR'S WIFE: A LOVE STORY IN DOCUMENTATION

Director: Traci Slatton 25:20

In 2024, in Washington, DC—Pershing Square—a colossal classic sculpture will be revealed.



THE SEA

Director: Vu Pham 8:05

A pair of lovers find themselves at a crossroads as they travel through the Salton Sea.



THE SEEKER'S SPEAKEASY

Director: David Barnett 12:55

Off his medication, a schizophrenic saxophone player must battle his demons.



THE SPIDER WEB**Director: Timothy Hay** 14:00

Short documentary about a well known shaper called Spider Murphy.

**THE SUBWAY CHALLENGE****Director: Maya Castronovo** 5:45

Two Columbia freshmen attempt to travel to every New York City subway station.

**THE SUMMERS OF YOUR WINTER****Director: Nei Loya** 17:21

Sara receives the opportunity to travel to the past and experience moments that marked her.

**THE TRUTH ABOUT NUTS****Director: Candace Williamson** 5:47

It's Black History Month in Mrs.G's History class, and they are having "Peanut Butter Day."

**THE TRYOUT****Director: Michael Gellis** 4:49

The story of a young man who tries out for a big league baseball team.

**THE TUNNEL:
INTERVIEW WITH A MONSTER****Director: David L. Meiselman** 24:25

Dr. Larry Levin, a convicted serial killer is "interviewed" by two government agents.

**THE VACUUM CLEANER****Director: Chris Rydo** 2:45

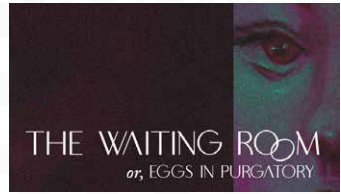
Two dogs left alone in a dark house must contend with a sinister force.



THE WAITING ROOM

Director: Madeline Blair 15:40

In a waiting room in the space between the living and the beyond, an unlikely pair sits.



THE WAY WOMEN ARE

Director: Adam Tuliński 20:00

Ewa starts an affair with a younger man, and her husband becomes suspicious.



THE WRITER'S ROOM

Director: Diego Ramos 15:45

A group of writers have only one hour to make the greatest script of all time.



THEY TOOK JACOB

Director: Lexi Johnson 10:43

Ellie's husband is taken by a mandatory emergency draft, she turns to her neighbor Turner.



THUMPERS REVENGE

Director: Sean Haitz 8:48

They can run and they can plead, but Thumper is about to make them bleed.



TIBETAN HEARTS

Director: Dodger D. Karlcha 1:08:51

Like a Romeo and Juliet story that happened on the Tibetan Plateau.



TIR NA NOG

Director: Ashley Callahan 12:00

When her father suddenly passes, Aelish Foley seeks out supernatural aid.



TO KEN WITH LOVE**Director: Mike Talplacido** 19:16

A flamboyant talk show host, who relishes being the "whitest Gaysian ever".

**TOGETHER FOREVER****Director: Rebecca Scott** 17:33

Not all love stories have a happy ending ...

**TOM AND LUCE****Director: Muxel Paule** 1:02:00

A couple in crisis is about to renovate an apartment.

**TORN****Director: Colby Cyrus** 21:02

Two men confront each other after the funeral of the woman (Nora) they both loved.

**TOUCH****Director: Justin Burquist** 7:49

A police unit brings in a mysterious young woman to help solve a grisly homicide.

**TOUCHING THE UNGRIEVED GRIEF****Director: Sah D'Simone** 7:42

About Sah D'Simone, a queer person of color who both stars in and created the film.

**TRAINS****Director: Robert Priel** 11:32

Set in 1987 New York after the crash on Wall Street. Charlie's wallet goes missing.



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TREMOR DOCUMENTARY 2022

Director: Rob Scherer 40:39

The subject of this documentary, John Dutton, has dealt with adversity.



TRUNDLE AND THE LOST BORSCHT OF ATLANTIS

Director: Laura Lee 13:30

Trundle makes the best borscht, Mr. Murray says he is too hideous to work the counter.



TRUST IN LOVE

Director: Mick Davis 1:34:06

Mickey Ferrera's career is down the tubes, his wife wants a divorce and his son is struggling.



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SIGHTS UNSEEN

WHAT IS THE FORMULA TO UNLOCK THE DOORS OF PERCEPTION?

Strike With Chaos Productions presents
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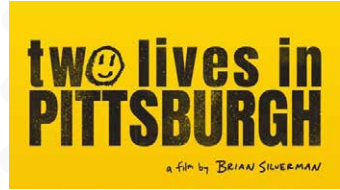
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TV IN BED**Director: Bill Doty** 1:34:00

A couple goes to bed to watch Bad TV before sleep.

**TWO LIVES IN PITTSBURGH****Director: Brian Silverman** 1:28:00

A blue-collar guy is torn between who he has always been and who his child needs.

**TWO SISTERS****Director: Mathilde Zampieri** 8:46

Amelie tells her sister's story, from her rebirth to the assault that will lead to her death.

**ULTRAVIOLET****Director: Jack Wolf Perry** 5:25

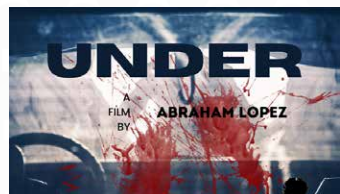
A destructive college relationship falls apart - nonlinearly.

**UNBELIEVABLE!
THE ART WILLIAMS STORY****Director: Edward C. Bartel II** 29:16

"Unbelievable!" provides the audience with a glimpse into the life of Art Williams.

**UNDER****Director: Abraham Lopez** 33:32

A young detective is dedicated to solving a case that has been open for over a decade.

**UNDER MY SKIN****Directors: Sarah Klein, Tom Mason** 13:20

A film that uncovers the physical and emotional challenges faced by people with eczema.



UNDER THE INFLUENCER**Director: Alex Haughey** 1:33:35

A successful Youtuber is aging out of the platform, and struggling to redefine herself.

**UNDERCOVER****Director: Jake Reardon** 14:00

A cop resurfaces to relay information, but he may have given away too much.

**UNFRIENDING****Director: B. Butler, J. Butler** 1:27:48

This black comedy is a razor sharp satire on cancel culture and the me generation.

**UNIT 01****Director: Karson Utzinger** 15:00

An IT technician created a robot that could change the professional landscape.

**UNKIND CUT****Director: Marc Pitre** 13:57

A vasectomy consultation goes awry.

**UTHER****Director: Peter J Tisma** 18:16

He was known as 'Uther the Brave.' King of the Bretons.

**VENICE BOULEVARD****Director: Joey De La Cruz** 7:00

A detective takes on big oil to save the eco warrior he loves.



VISION**Director: Steve Dawson** 19:00

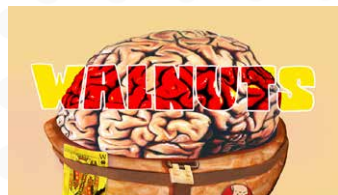
A painter loses his eyesight and the use of his hands in an accident, and loses his faith.

**WAIT****Director: Cody Hamilton** 16:59

Wait is a coming-of-age drama that highlights the process and importance of grief.

**WALNUTS****Director: Jonas Ball** 2:09:36

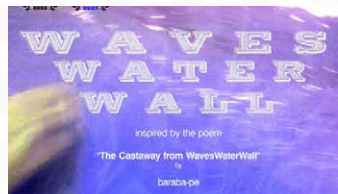
Actor Jerry Stax is whisked away to a remote locale where a "Doctor" runs a clinic.

**WARNING NO SWIMMING****Director: Maziyar Kabiri** 11:00

About how any human being does not reach anywhere by immersing himself in delusion.

**WAVESWATERWALL****Director: Barbara Peikert** 8:00

The castaway is pulverized by monstrous waves and transformed into a tsunami.

**WE HAVE NOTES****Director: Jordan McKittrick** 14:00

"We Have Notes" centers around the making of one scene in a Joan of Arc movie.

**WE'RE NOT IN KANSAS ANYMORE****Directors: G. Mellao, R. Velloso** 1:17:00

A former actress reviews fragments of what would be audio and video recordings of her past.



WEIRD ANIMALS - TIMOTHY BAILEY & THE ANIMALS

Director: Rachel Kleinman 4:44
Music Video - official.



WHAT DO YOU WANT?

Director: Al Chang 7:30
A couple's hunger-fueled indecisiveness about where to eat sparks a showdown.



WHEN WILL I SEE YOU AGAIN

Director: Nicholas Prainito 15:30
A boy recruits an ex-con uncle and a heartbroken woman to find his missing sister.



WHICH SUBWAY

Director: Jean Jonasson 1:29:00
At the tender age of 18, Carolina leaves the home of her uncle who raised her.



WHISKY MOUNTAIN DAYS - PROOF OF CONCEPT

Director: Bill Walker 10:07
A young man falls for a famed actress of yesteryear, can he control his overflowing emotions?



WHO COULD THAT BE?

Director: Will DaRosa 8:53
A woman working from home is visited by a door salesman.



WHO INVITED THE ROBOTS?

**Directors: J. Schneiderman, T. Wallace,
D. Rathke** 18:28
Adam and Dolores want to take the next big step in their relationship.



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WHO IS GOD?

Director: Oscar Adan L. Parres 3:05
The first short film created by artificial intelligence.



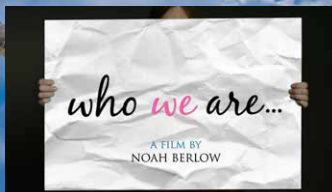
WHO KNOWS

Director: Brandon Rozó 13:22
A painter is living his new life, and finds that a Mail Carrier knows about the life he once had.



WHO WE ARE

Director: Noah Berlow 8:55
How women fall victim to the influences of drugs, domestic violence, poverty, and self-harm.



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"She will move
MOUNTAINS"



DOCUMENTARY SHORT BY ALEX KNOFF

Which Subway

(Sans métro fixe)



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SANDELEARTS

WITH JOYFUL RING**Director: Gary Karapetyan** 11:34

A man with depression longs for a joyful connection during the holiday season.

**WITH SALT****Director: Phyllis Bancroft** 16:15

A college student's date takes an unexpected turn, silence is easier, but at what cost?

**WOMAN IN THE MAZE****Director: Mitesh Patel** 1:41:00

A woman rents a house in Arizona, but soon discovers that the house is cursed.

**YOU FORGOT YOUR WALLET?****Director: Brandon Blackmon** 14:34

At the end of a dinner date, Nate makes an indecent proposal to get out of paying the bill.

**YOUR IRON LADY****Director: Jorge Xolalpa** 1:32:00

A year in the life of Teresa: an immigrant mother of four who after being married for 22 years, decides to leave her abusive husband upon her arrival to the U.S., in 1998.

**YOUR KISS ON MY LIST****Director: Joe White** 13:01

A woman who keeps a strange list meets up with a man at a train station waiting area.

**Additional Films****1848****Director: Alfonso Otero** 13:20

A folk tale set in Mexico's XIX century. A pregnant woman and her sisters wait for childbirth in isolation.



A BREATH OF FRESH AIR

Director: Brandon Swanson 15:01

A military veteran past troubles get stirred up when his "village" doesn't show up for him. Devastated & Alone. He looks for a way out.



BEFORE I GO

Director: Francisco J Bolivar 10:46

Before I Go delivers a dramatic romance between two young 20 year old's, and the sacrifices a young relationship takes.



ABOVE THE BRANCHES

Director: Matt Kravitsky 14:46

An adopted introvert aims to find his biological parents to feel a sense of belonging, but after taking a genealogy test he discovers he may not belong to the human race.



I WALK WITH GHOSTS

Director: Grant Clover 7:44

A man follows ghosts, witnessing the subtle beauty of their journeys and their desires.



MORE...MORE...MORE

Director: Brad Banacka TBA

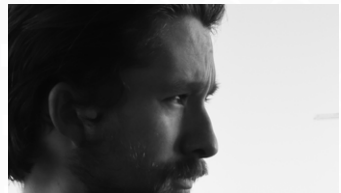
A light hearted poignant dark comedy about Joe, a novice screenwriter navigating through the complex world of moviemaking while being haunted by past life choices



NEVER ANY BLUE

Director: Charles Curtice 1:33:49

An A-list celebrity good ole boy with humble beginnings struggles to overcome the guilt and grief that now plague his everyday life after the death of his fiancé fourteen months ago.



THE LAST EMBRACE

Director: Diego Contreras 8:48

A mother and son embrace one last time before taking six feet apart and isolating themselves to avoid the risks of a dangerous air-borne pandemic.



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