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# **BLIND SUN**





A film by Joyce A. NASHAWATI 88 min, FRANCE & GREECE, 2015 Color, HD & DCP



#### **SYNOPSIS**

Greece. Sometime in the near future. A seaside resort struck by a heavy heat wave. Water is rare and violence is mounting. Ashraf, a solitary immigrant, is looking after a villa while its owners are away. On a dusty road crushed by the sun, he is stopped by a police officer for an identity check...

### **CAST**

ASHRAF IDRISS Ziad Bakri

POLICE OFFICER Yannis Stankoglou

KATERINA Mimi Denissi

GILLES Louis do De Lencquesaing

ALICE Laurène Brun

**ELISABETH Gwendoline Hamon** 

PRIEST Yorgos Gallos

SECOND POLICEMAN Thodoris Kandiliotis

**CRAZY SHEPHERD Andreas Marianos** 

SINGER Sarah Krebs

#### **DIRECTORS'S BIOGRAPHY & FILMOGRAPHY**

Joyce A. Nashawati grew up between Beirut, Accra, Kuwait and Athens. She studied Film in the UK&Paris where she got a scholarship for a doctoral thesis. She wrote and directed three mystery short films which travelled around festivals: The Umbrella (08), The Bite (10), On Leave (13). The Bite received the Best short film award at Gerardmer Film Festival. Blind Sun, a dystopian thriller,is her first feature.



## **CREW**

Director Joyce A. Nashawati
Screenplay Joyce A. Nashawati
Cinematography Yorgos Arvanitis
Editing Sebastien Prangère
Production Design William Mordos
Sound Design Frederic Le louet
Music Cedric 'Pilooski' Marszewski and Pierrot Casanova
Make-Up and Hair Yannis Pamoukis
Costumes Agis Panagiotou
Co-Producers Marie-Pierre Macia, Christian Hadjiminas, Juliette Lepoutre, Pierre Menahem
Associate Producer Jean-François Hugel
Producers Fenia Cossovitsa, Philippe Akoka, Alain Peyrollaz, Vincent Brançon, Lionel Guedj,
Dominique Marzotto