



Seven days in the life of Father Christmas

Author/Director: Gulya Mirzoeva

Producer: Mille et Une films

Country: France

Length: 52'

Igor and Luba are actors with the Saratov theatre. During the festive season they earn extra money by going from house to house dressed up as Father Christmas and the Little Snow Maiden. Keeping to tradition, once they have given out all the presents to the children, they spend time with each family. Between these visits and other more intimate moments, the film paints the tender picture of a family and that of a Russian society which is losing its bearings.

Coproduction TV: Arte France

TV participation: RTBF, DRTV, YLE

Original version: Russian

Versions available:

English version

French version

German version

Credits:

Director : Gulya Mirzoeva, photography: Sergey Zezyulkov, Sound: Abdiroyim Chariev, editing: Gisèle Rapp-Meichler

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