

Film title

Dancing On Broken Glass

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Dancing on Broken Glass is an original Slovak music and dance film. The story of a mature man, who relives the important moments of his life, makes his dreams, desires and ideas come true. The fragility of love, strength of desire, pain, rejection, bitterness and beauty of knowledge, and the unequal struggle with the death and oneself – such strong emotions are transformed into temperamental and poetic dance images. In his film, director Marek Ťapák follows the traditions of music and dance films made by legendary Slovak filmmakers of the past and transforms them into a new, contemporary form. The story is based on the imagination and ideas of the main character, emerging from the depth of his memory. He experiences significant moments of his life through dance, impressive music, tenderness and the power of poetic words. His journey is made up of individual fragments of life, completing a fascinating mosaic of images moving in time and space. Marek Ťapák's charismatic personality, amazing images of the Slovak nature, captivating music and dance artistry create a unique picture, which radiates irrepressible energy.

Technical information and credits

Original title: Tanec medzi črepinami
English title: Dancing On Broken Glass
Year: 2012
Country: Slovakia
Subtitles: cz
Running time: 80 min
Dostupnost: 12

Genre: Musical, Drama
Directed by: Marek Ťapák
Written by: Marek Ťapák
Edited by: Marek Ťapák
Cinematography: Matej Beneš
Sound by: Skupina Banda a Samo Smetana, Tono Popovič

Awards

Actors

Anna Javorková, Marek Ťapák, Stanislav Marišler,
Ondrej Mlynárik, Martin Urban

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