

## FICTION

**DIRECTOR**

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**DURATION**

17:00

**YEAR**

1985

**ORIGINAL LANGUAGE**

English

French

**CATEGORY**

Video Art



**DESCRIPTION**

In front of a respectable office building, a woman is suddenly kidnapped by another woman and two men. The kidnapers telephone the victim's husband. He follows the instructions word-for-word. Once he has been reunited with his wife - whom he finds abandoned on a country road - he goes to the motel room where he has promised to meet the kidnapers. There the dramatic events come to a surprising conclusion as the wife, the kidnapper, and her two accomplices gather to toast the husband and wish him happy birthday.

**IMAGE FORMAT**

4:3

**SHOOTING FORMAT**

3/4" video

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**KEYWORDS**

Fantasy, Psychology, Surprise, Kidnapping

**THEMES**

Identity

Technology and medias