LA PATRIE DE L'HOMME FIER

DIRECTOR
Yves Langlois

DURATION
21:35

YEAR
1985

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE
French

CATEGORY
Documentary



DESCRIPTION
Yves Langlois filmed a group of Quebecers working for non-govenmental organisations in international co-operation in Burkina Faso, a country whose name can be translated as "proud man's native land". He has captured images of smiling, optimistic and persevering Burkinabese working relentlessly against desertification. "Africa needs help, not pity, not miserabilism; but support and solidarity..." This documentary questions current forms of international aid.

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IMAGE FORMAT
4:3

KEYWORDS
Rural areas, Education, Health issues, Nutrition, Development, Corruption, Freedom, Women, Literacy, Family, Society, Culture, Dance, Music, Environment, Africa, Culture, Humanitarian aid, Community, Family, Burkina Faso,

THEMES
Art and culture
Identity
Society