

The Piano: An Australian Screen Classic



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The Piano is an iconic Australian film that has captured the hearts of audiences around the world. Released in 1993, the film tells the story of Ada McGrath (Holly Hunter), a mute Scottish woman who is sent to New Zealand to marry a wealthy landowner (Harvey Keitel). Ada brings her piano with her, and it soon becomes a symbol of her independence and her longing for a life beyond the confines of her marriage.

The Piano is a beautifully crafted film that explores themes of love, loss, and redemption. Jane Campion's direction is masterful, and the performances from Hunter, Keitel, and Anna Paquin (who plays Ada's young daughter, Flora) are all excellent. The film's stunning cinematography and haunting score by Michael Nyman add to its overall impact.

The Piano was a critical and commercial success, winning the Palme d'Or at the Cannes Film Festival and three Academy Awards, including Best

Actress for Hunter. The film has also been praised for its groundbreaking portrayal of female sexuality and its exploration of the complex relationship between men and women.

This book explores the history, production, and cultural impact of The Piano. It features interviews with Campion, Hunter, Keitel, and other members of the cast and crew. The book also includes essays by leading film scholars that examine the film's themes, style, and significance.

The Piano is an essential film for anyone interested in Australian cinema, women's cinema, or simply great filmmaking. This book is the perfect companion to the film, providing a deeper understanding of its Entstehung, its impact, and its enduring legacy.

Bonus Features

- Exclusive interviews with Jane Campion, Holly Hunter, Harvey Keitel, and Anna Paquin
- Essays by leading film scholars
- Behind-the-scenes photos and production stills
- A detailed filmography of Jane Campion

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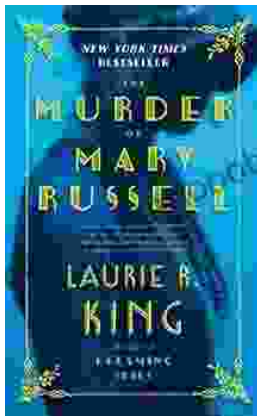
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