

TITLE

Abbas Kiarostami
A Report

CAT No.

PH-93299

Year

2013

DVD Cover



Format

16x9 wide screen

Color

Mix

Duration

88

Mystery-Drama

Documentary

SRP

\$24.98

UPC

825307932997

Carton Qty

30

Studio

Pathfinder Home Ent.

Media Format

DVD-5

Order Date

Oct 14, 2014

Sale Date

Nov 11, 2014

Language

English, Farsi w/ English Subs

Rating

NR

Synopsis

An analysis of the style and vision of Abbas Kiarostami, the world's most iconic Iranian filmmaker, through the lens of his earliest work, including his first short film (Bread & Alley, 1970) and, particularly, his first feature, The Report. This early example of Kiarostami's work gives insight into his poetic, humanistic tendencies, combining allegorical storytelling with a documentary, neo-realist sensibility, and often exploring the very nature of film as fiction, that have pervaded his work ever since, including such recent international sensations as A Taste of Cherry and Certified Copy. Exclusive interviews with film critics, historians and scholars (including the late great Andrew Sarris) and those directly involved in the making of The Report provide a look at how the career of this master independent auteur began and was shaped.

Special Features & Extras

16 x 9 wide screen video, English and Farsi with English subtitles.

Director

Bahman Ghosseinou

Cast

Kourosh Afsharpanah, Aydin Aghdashlou, Shohreh Aghdashloo, Godfrey Cheshire, Farrokh Ghaffary, Martin Scorsese, and ABBAS KIAROSTAMI

Additional Information

"[A] beautiful film that is also a lesson in filmmaking!"
-Molly Haskell

"...I believe this is an excellent work..."
-Jean-Michel Frodon

"Authoritative and incisive... a novel, probing and highly illuminating look at the work of one of the modern cinema's greatest masters."
-Godfrey Cheshire