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Friends from the dark Times

Directed by Laurent Vinas-Raymond
Written by Laurent Vinas-Raymond
Produced by Philippe Braunstein
Fiction / Historique / 28 min.

2001
35 mm
Color
1.66

STORYLINE

Baptiste is thirteen when he crosses the border into France on July 10th, 1940, running away from fascism and the Spanish civil war which claimed his father's life. He finds shelter with Marie, a young school teacher and her husband Lucien, a former member of International Brigades.
Two years later, France has given in to the nazis Lucien and Marie have joined the Resistance, Baptiste has developed a friendship with Maxim, a jewish boy.

CAST

Marie : Catherine Lascault
Lucien : Franck Gourlat
Missak : Éric Savin
Baptiste : Quentin Convard
Maxime : Lény Bueno
Jules : Jean-Yves Roan
Etienne : Pierre Remund
Max : Richard Sammel
Pedro : José Fumanal
Fabrizio : Cesare Capitani
Zlatko : Franck Payonne
Mathilde : Sylvie Flepp
L'officier SS : Volker Marek
Le sous-officier SS : Jean-Michel Fouque
La mère de Maxime : Ivana Coppola
Le quincailler : Salvatore Ingoglia
La Vieille femme : Diane de Bièvre
la mère de Baptiste : Yamina Alliot
Voix de Baptiste adulte : Philippe Spiteri

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Image : Xavier Arias
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Sound : Christophe Penchenat, Thierry Sabatier
Costumes : Carole Beaupoil Thibault
Assistant director : Renaud Epelboin
Production manager : Alban Joly

AWARDS
Prix de la Jeunesse - Lille - Film Européen, France (2002)

FESTIVALS
Saint-Leu de la Réunion, France (2002)
Dijon, France (2002)
Sainte-Livrade-sur-Lot, France (2001)
Gruissan, France (2001)

TELEVISION
France 2

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