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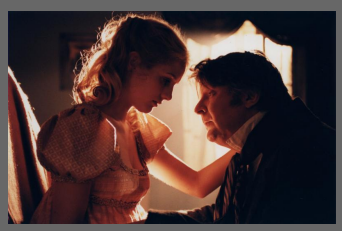
# THE MAGNETIST'S FIFTH WINTER

Morten Henriksen, Denmark, 1999 15

123 min. | DK/Feature











Charlatan or healer? Just who is this mysterious stranger, Meisner, who arrives in a northern Swedish town in 1820 where Dr. Selander lives with his blind daughter Maria? Meisner calls himself a magnetist, an amalgam of hypnotist and healer, and claims he can cure diseases which the doctors of the town are unable to treat. Dr. Selander ignores the objections of his colleagues and allows Meisner to attempt to cure Marie. Not only does she regain her sight, but she also falls in love with the charismatic Meisner. However, rumours begin to circulate about Meisner's past, about fraud and rape.

**Basic information**

**Credits**

**Music**

**Materials**

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| **Original title** | Magnetisørens femte vinter |
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| **Director** | Morten Henriksen |
| **Screenplay** | Morten Henriksen, Jonas Cornell, Per Olov Enquist |
| **Based on** | Roman af Per Olov Enquist (1964, da. 1970). |
| **Producer** | Lise Lense-Møller |
| **Director of Photography** | Dirk Brüel |
| **Editor** | Ghita Beckendorff |
| **Sound** | Niels Arild |
| **Composer** | Arild Andersen, Hans-Erik Philip |
| **Production designer** | Karl Juliusson |
| **Appearance** | Ole Lemmeke, Rolf Lassgård, Johanna Sällström, Gard B. Eidsvold |
| **Production country** | Denmark, Norway, Sweden |
| **Domestic distribution** | Nordisk Film Biografdistribution |
| **International sales** | Pandora Cinema |
| **Technical info** | 35 mm, Widescreen, color, Sound |
| **Danish theatrical release** | 26.02.1999 |
| **Cinemas** | Dagmar, Palads, Lyngby Teatret, Albertslund Biograferne, Grand, Gladsaxe Bio, Værløse Bio, BioCity (Tåstrup), Baltoppen Bio 1-2 samt 33 biografer i provinsen (inkl. Færøerne) |
| **Danish rating** | Allowed for children over the age of 15 |

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