Film

THE MYSTERIOUS Z-RAYS

George Schnéevoigt, Denmark, 1915
DK/Feature | Drama, Science fiction | Silent films

Having lost his spark as an artist, Karsakow replies to an advertisement run by Professor Berg, who is looking to test his newly invented device for sending rays of light through the human body. After the test, Karsakow envisions the many possibilities offered by the device and steals the invention. He begins a successful career as a travelling variety show performer, appearing as the 'Skeleton Dancer'. Professor Berg and his daughter hear about this, figure out that their apparatus is involved and go in pursuit of the thief – a mission with fatal consequences.

Basic information

Credits

Materials

Original title	De mystiske Z-Straaler
Danish title	De mystiske Z-Straaler
Other titles	Dødedansen, Skeletdansen
Director	George Schnéevoigt
Screenplay	George Schnéevoigt
Director of Photography	George Schnéevoigt
Appearance	Johannes Ring, Alma Hinding, Anton de Verdier, Fridjof von Kaulbach
Production country	Denmark
Domestic distribution	Fotorama
Technical info	984 meter, 35 mm, Silent
Danish theatrical release	14.02.1916
Cinemas	Kosmorama (København)

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