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SHE SINGS

Dechen Roder, Caroline Sascha Copez, Denmark, 2011



48 min. | DK/Documentary | Portrait films



The 19 year old Dechen is living with her mother and little brother in Thimphu, the capital of Bhutan. Dechen dreams of becoming a successful singer and is selected to be a contestant in the Bhutan TV singing contest 'Druk Super Star'. As the competition evolves, Dechen explores the story of her beloved late grandmother who was a singing talent just like Dechen. In her search for identity, Dechen uncovers the dark history of her family in which blessings and curses stand side by side. The crossover from child to adult in the young girl reflects a country in the middle of a transition between the old and the modern world. »She Sings« is filmed in Bhutan and is a Danish/Bhutanese production.

Basic information

Credits

Materials

Original title

She Sings

Danish title	Hun synger
Other titles	Layers of fog
Keywords	Bhutan Idols , Roder, Dechen , Singers , Singing competitions , Identity, Generations , Superstition , Bhutan , 2010-2019
Director	Dechen Roder , Caroline Sascha Cogez
Screenplay	Caroline Sascha Cogez
Producer	Casper Høyerberg , Ulrik Gutkin , Caroline Sascha Cogez
Director of Photography	Magnus Nordenhof Jønck
Editor	Signe Rebekka Kaufmann , Una Gunjak
Sound	Jakob Garfield , Morten Groth Brandt
Composer	Mads Heldtberg
Production country	Denmark
Domestic distribution	CPH:DOX
Danish festival release	06.11.2011, Grand, CPH:DOX
DFI subsidy	Konsulentstøtte
Danish rating	Allowed for all

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