



SEPTEMBER 11, 1973
The last stand of
SALVADOR
ALLENDE



A film by Patricio Henriquez

September 1973. Chile is in chaos. The Presidential Palace is in flames. The nation's most beloved leader, President Salvador Allende, is found dead among the ruins. For a whole day, he and thirty of his comrades stood their ground against the Armed Forces while military rockets were fired on the Palace.

Relive the dramatic final hours of Chile's last great democrat and the turmoil immediately following his tragic death. Using archival footage and exclusive interviews, this riveting documentary charts Allende's fall on September 11th, 1973. Colleagues and friends of the popular hero tell the story of that fatal day in the Palace and their leader's untimely

death. Follow the historical and political intrigue as the dictator-to-be, Pinochet, stages a coup and imposes his will. (1 x 57min.).

— festivals and awards —

First prize, "Movements in defence of democracy, peace and human rights", Latino-American Independent Documentary Film Encounter, Mexico, 2000.

Best Documentary Video Award and Best Human Rights Documentary (ex aequo), 7th Latin-American Video Festival, Rosario, Argentina, 2000

Best Documentary, Ojay International Film Fest, California, U.S.A. 2000

Chris Award, Columbus International Film & Video Festival, Ohio, U.S.A, 2000

Grand Award, Best Film & Video Production, Worldfest International Film Festival, Houston, U.S.A., 2000

Premio Mesquite Award, Best Documentary, 23rd San Antonio CineFestival, San Antonio, USA, 2000.

Gold Conch, Best Documentary Film (60 min.), Mumbai International Film Festival, India, 2000.

Gémeaux Award Nomination for Best Editing (Aube Foglia), Montreal, Canada, 1999

Documentary of the Year, Société civile des auteurs multimédia (SCAM), Paris, France, 1999

Best Historical Documentary, Hot Docs! Canadian International Festival, Toronto, Canada, 1999

Outstanding Achievement Award, Best Independent Canadian Film of the Festival, Hot Docs!



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