



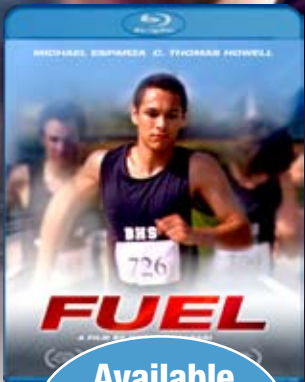
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3 Américas

A film by Cristina Kotz Cornejo



Cast:
Introducing Kristen Gonzalez
Gy Mirano, Gilberto Arribas, Jaime Sanchez

"Both Touching and Impressive!"
 —Milos Forman (One Flew over the Cuckoo's Nest, Amadeus, People vs. Larry Flint)
"Beautifully Shot and the Script is a Marvel!"
 —The Independent

"Compelling and Thought Provoking!"
 —Northeast Public Radio

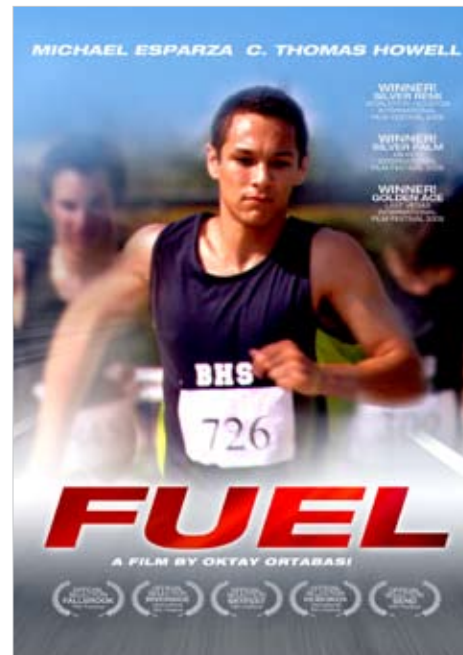


It's the end of spring in Boston, Massachusetts. With summer approaching, 16 year-old América has two issues, or so she thinks. She hates school and her aunt Carolina's alcoholic husband, Joey. She passes the days shoplifting, hanging out with her friends and trying to avoid Joey. But after a life-changing event, América, whose Spanish is limited, is sent to Buenos Aires, Argentina to live with her reclusive and anti-American grandmother, Lucia América Campos. In Argentina, América struggles to find her place. An entertaining and thoughtprovoking coming of age tale with a decisive reference to the Latino American experience. Cristina Kotz Cornejo has recently been retained by Film Independent Director's Lab for a production.

USA 2008 98 mins. Color Drama Spanish with English subtitles 16:9 Letterboxed **NOT RATED**

PREBOOK: 12/18
STREET: 1/26

UPC 658769 100235 CAT#VF1002 **SRP: \$19.95**



Fuel

A film by Oktaay Ortobasi



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Michael Esparza
 (Hamlet 2, I Know Who Killed Me)
C. Thomas Howell
 (Criminal Minds, Southland)

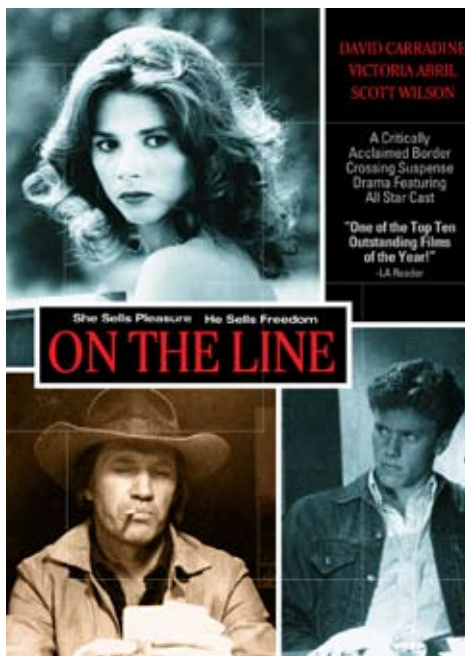
Winner! Silver Remi – WorldFest-Houston International Film Festival 2009
Winner! Silver Palm! Mexico International Film Festival 2009
Winner! Golden Ace! Last Vegas International Film Festival 2009
Official Selection: Fallbrook FF, Riverside International FF, SkyFest FF, Hoboken International FF, Bend FF – 2009!

Fuel is the story of Emilio's struggle to save his girl, Sandy, from a dead-end abusive life. Emilio and Sandy need to "get out" before it is too late. Growing up working at his tyrannical stepfather's gas station, Emilio discovers that he has the ability to run fast. With the hope of a scholarship, he sees an opportunity to leave his hometown, along with his troubles, and take Sandy with him. But a tragic flaw, a violent streak he possesses, induced by exposure to gasoline vapors, will all but destroy his best-laid plans. Hope flows through Emilio's heart not like blood but like fuel.

USA 2009 85 mins. Color Suspense-Drama English Language 16x9 Letterbox Day/Date BluRay/DVD **NOT RATED**

PREBOOK: 12/18
STREET: 1/26

BLU-RAY SRP: \$29.95
DVD SRP: \$19.95



On The Line

A film by Steven Kovacs & Jose Luis Boreau



David Carradine (Kill Bill 1, Kill Bill 2, Kung Fu Legend, Kung Fu Killer)
Victoria Abril (Kika, Swindled, White Knight, Tie Me Up Tie Me Down)
Scott Wilson (CSI, Crime Scene Investigation, Last Samurai, Pearl Harbor)

She Sells Pleasure He Sells Freedom
A Critically Acclaimed Border Crossing Suspense Drama
Featuring All Star Cast

"One of the Top Ten Outstanding Films of the Year!"
 —LA Reader

Under cover of darkness, Bryant (David Carradine) is smuggling Mexicans across the Rio Grande, when border patrol pilot Mitch spots them. A shootout ensues. Meanwhile, Chuck (Scott Wilson) and Jonathan arrive in Laredo in search of adventure, Chuck is a nephew of Bryant. They hook up with Mitch who guides them across the border into Mexico, to "Boys-Town," a prostitution compound. There they meet Bryant recovering from his wounds and the girl who attends to him; Engracia (Victoria Abril). Chuck immediately falls for her, not realizing she is the ex-girlfriend of Mitch. When Chuck decides to join the Border Patrol and return to the US for the Academy, he proposes to Engracia. When she is denied entry into the US because of her past, Chuck, with the help of his uncle, decides to smuggle her across. When Mitch shows up at their doorstep, wearing Border patrol uniform, Chuck has few choices and on his graduation day, she is deported. Chuck must sacrifice everything he's worked for in order to be with the woman he loves. He crosses into Mexico to be reunited with her, but he is destined to have one more confrontation with Mitch on the banks of the Rio Grande.

USA 1987 118 min. color suspense-drama English language Aspect Ratio 4x3 - 1.33 **NOT RATED**

PREBOOK: 12/18
STREET: 1/26

UPC 658769 100433 CAT#VF1004 **SRP: \$19.95**



The Higher Force

A film by Olaf De Fleur (director of Queen Raquelita)



Cast:
Michael Imperioli (Sopranos, Lovely Bones, Life on Mars)
Ingvar Eggert Sigurdsson (Jane Campion's 8, K-19 Widowmaker)
Introducing Petur Johann Sigfusson (Astrologia)

"Wildly Imaginative. A Great Ride." —Independent Film Quarterly
"Pure Fun. Top Acting Talent." —MBL.COM

A PARANOID PETTY-CRIME GANGSTER COMEDY

Set in Reykjavik, Iceland. David, a low-life debt collector, becomes the main man of his paranoid debt collector gang by pretending to know a renowned crime lord, a neighbor of his who happens to be a lonely school teacher with illusion of grandeur and troubles at work. As the gang goes about their business, David is increasingly entangled in his lies, feeding the gang information about the crime lord's big plans and escalating operations. David risks his life spying on the "dangerous" crime lord, but is ever more challenged when the "crime lords" behavior becomes increasingly erratic. As the pressure increases from the gang to move against the "crime lord" to divert his plans, the gutless David must take action or end up in a ditch.

In this absolutely new brand of comedy, de Fleur showcases the finely drawn eccentricities of his character ensemble, with a pitch-perfect timing and a simple, genuine knack for storytelling. Brought to life by a talented cast, anchored by seasoned Icelandic and international actors, The Higher Force is an unforgettable ride and a delightful romp that cuts through cultures and genres.

Iceland 2008 80 mins. color comedy English, Mandarin & Icelandic w/ English subtitles 1.85 - 1 widescreen **NOT RATED**

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STREET: 1/26

UPC 658769 100334 CAT#VF1003 **SRP: \$19.95**