

SYNOPSIS

Rainer Werner Fassbinder lies on his apartment floor. Overdose. A postmortem of his career unfolds as memories of lovers past flash back: Irm Hermann, his confidante, scapegoat, star of *The Bitter Tears of Petra von Kant*; Armin Meier, the doomed sex symbol exposed in *Chinese Roulette*; El Hedi ben Salem, Fassbinder's most tumultuous affair, immortalized in a masterpiece, *Ali, Fear Eats the Soul*. RWF, German, dead at 37, shot 44 films. Was it all worth it?

CAST (in order of appearance)

Rainer Werner Fassbinder: Antony Watkins

Irm Hermann: Katharine McKenzie

Armin Meier: Francesco Grossi El Hedi ben Salem: Justin Lynch

CREW

Director, Production Design: Julien Sauvalle

Screenwriter: Jack Sullivan

Editor: Lily Kleinman

Director of Photography: Yujin Yohe Assistant Camera: Kristen Meloche

TRIVIA

- Each shot is a close up.
- Filmed in less than 12 hours for under \$100.
- Antony Watkins (RWF) also did the voiceover.
- The slow-motion was set by accident.

Runtime: 3 minutes 55 seconds

Shot in 4K with SONY FS7 at Steiner Studios, NY

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