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GRACE (16 minutes)

A loving sister decides to bear a child for her gay brother and his partner in this comedic short film - exploring an alternative take on birth, death, love and parenting.

HIGHER GROUNDS (22 minutes)

Ann Cusack stars in this turbulent yet whimsical short film as a woman on the brink who has lost her will to live. Just when all hope is gone, an angel appears and the adventure begins!

Many twists and turns mark this original, inventive and very touching story with an ending tailor-made for animal lovers. The director has donated all money made from this film to animal charities.

THE COLLECTOR OF BEDFORD STREET (40 minutes)

This short documentary is about a very special man who lives in the West Village of New York City. Larry Selman is a fundraiser, dog lover, and friendly voice in the neighbourhood who lives with a mental disability that leaves him feeling concerned about his future and how he is going to take care of himself once his elderly Uncle Murray passes on. One of the most inspiring tales we've seen about how a few people can make a huge difference by opening their hearts and focusing their energy within their own community to help a friend in need.

NB This film is also listed in 'inspiring lives'

JULIETTE OF THE HERBS (1 hour 15 minutes)

Award-winning film exploring the life and work of Juliette de Bairacli Levy: world-renowned herbalist, traveller, author, pioneer of holistic animal care, breeder of afghan hounds, and friend of the Gypsies.

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