

To My Beloved

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“ After the loss of his wife Ana, grieving Fernando spends his evenings watching her old VHS tapes. When he discovers recordings of his wife cheating on him, the widower becomes obsessed with the idea of finding the other man. ”



Synopsis

After the loss of his wife Ana, Fernando becomes a quiet and introspective man, who raises his son Daniel by himself. Every night, while the boy sleeps, he recalls his love by organising her personal belongings. His life is turned around when he discovers a handful of sex tapes in his deceased wife's homemade VHS collection. Obsessed with the idea of tracking the unnamed lover, Fernando leaves everything behind - including his son - to insert himself into the life of Salvador, an ex-con and the man from the videotapes. An exhibition of remarkable cinematic control, *To My Beloved* is a film rife with psychological tension and subtlety.

Credits

Director: Aly Muritiba / **Genre:** Drama / **Original title:** Para minha amada morta / **English title:** To My Beloved / **Country of production:** Brazil / **Year of production:** 2015 / **Length:** 113 min / **Color:** colour / **Shooting format:** HD / **Screening format:** DCP 1:2,35 Dolby 5.1 / **Original language:** Portuguese / **Subtitles:** English / **Cast:** Fernando Alves Pinto, Lourinelson Vladmir, Mayana Neiva, Giuly Biancato, Vinicius Sabbag / **Scriptwriter:** Aly Muritiba / **Director of photography:** Pablo Baião / **Editor:** João Menna Barreto / **Sound design:** Alexandre Rogoski / **Music:** Ruído por milímetro / **Producers:** Antônio Junior, Marisa Merlo, Aly Muritiba / **Production company:** Grafo Audiovisual / **Supported by:** Governo do Paraná and Fundo Setorial do Audiovisual

Festivals / Awards

World Film Festival Montreal 2015, Canada - **Silver Zenith Award for the First Feature Film**; Festival de Brasília 2015, Brazil; San Sebastian IFF 2015, Spain; Chicago IFF 2015, USA; Sao Paulo IFF 2015, Brazil; Mar del Plata IFF, Argentina; Stockholm IFF, Sweden; Amiens FF 2015, France; Festival Cinema Luso-Brasileiro, Portugal - **Best Actor, Special Jury Award**; IX MUESTRA DE CINE LATINOAMERICANO, Venezuela; International Film Festival of Tamilnadu, India - **Best Actor, Best Story**; Filmfest Braunschweig, Germany; NOVOCINE, Spain; ;

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