

SAFAR (JOURNEY)

A FILM BY BAHRAM BEYZAIE

1972 - B&W - IRAN - 33' - NEW 4K



SYNOPSIS

Two poor boys journey from the city's outskirts to its wealthy centre. One searches for his parents, the other hopes for a better job.

BAHRAM BEYZAIE - BIOGRAPHY

Bahram Beyzaie is a celebrated Iranian director, playwright, and screenwriter, renowned for his poetic storytelling and deep engagement with Persian history and mythology. A leading figure in Iran's New Wave cinema, his acclaimed cinematographic work notably includes *Downpour* and *Bashu*, *the Little Stranger*. Also a scholar of traditional Iranian theatre, Bahram Beyzaie has received numerous international accolades and continues to inspire audiences worldwide through his films, plays, and academic contributions.

SHAHRAM MOKRI ON "SAFAR"

"The Journey may seem simple on the surface, but beneath it lies a deeply human experience - a reflection on being lost, on searching, and on rediscovering meaning. A short film, yet filled with the feeling, vision, and thought that define Beyzaie's cinema."

Shahram Mokri

BAHRAM BEYZAIE - FILMOGRAPHY

1970 - Amoo Sibilou (Uncle Moustache) (short)

1972 – Ragbar (Downpour)

1972 – Safar (Journey) (short)

1974 – Gharibeh va Meh (The Stranger and the Fog)

1978 – Kalaagh (The Crow)

1980 – Cherikeye Tara (Ballad of Tara)

1981 – Marge Yazdgerd (Death of Yazdgerd)



1985 – Bashu, Gharibeh Kouchak (Bashu, the Little Stranger)

1988 – Shayad Vaghti Digar (Maybe Some Other Time)

1992 – Mosaferan (Travellers)

1998 – Goftegoo Ba Bad (Kish Stories) (short)

2001 – Sag Koshi (Killing Rabbids)

2006 – Ghaliye Sokhangoo (The Eloquent Carpet) (short)

2009 – Vaghti Hameh Khabim (When We Are All Asleep)

CAST

Sirous Hassan-Pour

Abbas Dastranj

Parvaneh Massoumi

CREW

Written by Bahram Beyzaie

Directed by Bahram Beyzaie

Director of Photography Mehrdad Fakhimi

Sound Harayer Atashkar

Editing Bahram Beyzaie

Set Designer Bahram Beyzaie

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