

DIDN'T DO IT FOR LOVE



SYNOPSIS

DIDN'T DO IT FOR LOVE is a documentary portrait of Eva Norvind, a.k.a. Mistress Ava Taurel, born Eva Johanne Chegodaieva Sakonskaya in Trondheim, Norway.

The film follows Eva's many careers, from her time as a showgirl in Paris to becoming Mexico's Marilyn Monroe in the 1960s to establishing herself as New York's most famous dominatrix in the 1980s.

Using clips from Norvind's Mexican films, stills from various periods, and interviews with friends, partners and family, Treut's documentary traces Eva's search for the wellspring of her obsessive and dark sexuality.

FESTIVALS

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CAST AND CREW

SCORE Georg Kajanus · EDITOR Eric Marciano · DOP Ekkehart Pollack, Christopher Landerer (Cassandra Media)

1997

80 min

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Biographie/Portrait, Gender, Arts/Culture, Social issues

ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

English

PREMIERE

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