



# FRANZ XAVER WINTERHALTER. PAINTER AT THEIR MAJESTIES' SERVICE

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## SYNOPSIS

Who is the master behind the famous painting of empress „Sisi“? Franz Xaver Winterhalter (1805-1873) was the most well-known portrait painter of his era. „Royal Majesties, the nobility and VIPs – he came nearer to them than anyone else.“

This documentary opens a new look on Winterhalter's life and work, told in his own words.

## CAST AND CREW

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### ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

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