

INJUSTICE AND RESISTANCE

by Peter Nestler



SYNOPSIS

The film is about the German Sinti and Roma's different forms of resistance spanning eight decades. It's about revolt against injustice and about insistence on dignity and justice.

A story of courage and resolve of individuals who desperately defended themselves. And the story of suffering of a minority caught between trauma and self-assertion: an ongoing unprecedented injustice throughout all of the post-war years to this very day.

It is based around Romani Rose, his family and fellow campaigners.

Thirteen close relatives of the Rose family were murdered in concentration camps.

Romani Rose's father Oskar went into hiding during the Nazi years and was wanted by the Gestapo. The film is about his courageous actions.

And about his attempt in April 1943 to beg Munich's Cardinal Faulhaber to protect the persecuted, and how he managed to free his brother from the concentration camp in Neckarelz.

For Roma and Sinti who survived the genocide, discrimination, poverty and...

FESTIVALS

2022

3sat Documentary Award – 46 Duisburger Filmwoche

2023

Winner of 59 GRIMME PRIZE

20 dokumentarfilmwoche hamburg

10 dokKa Karlsruhe

CAST AND CREW

DIRECTOR Peter Nestler · DOP Rainer Komers · OTHER Dieter Reifarh (Co-Director)

2022

113 min

ORIGINAL TITLE

UNRECHT UND WIDERSTAND

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Biographie/Portrait, Current Affairs, History, Human Rights, Social issues

PREMIERE

Germany (2022)

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