



NOBLE COMMITMENTS

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SYNOPSIS

"Noble Commitments" portrays three aristocratic single women between traditional requirements and everyday life, between manor house and prefabricated high rise buildings. Unable to live up to their parents expectations, they have to scale down their standards and reorientate. Within the nobility the male family line is valid. To belong to noble society they have to marry a man with a title or lead a solitary life. Countess Alexandra von Bredow lived a fast life of glittering feasts and balls. Currently she lives in a small apartment and earns her a livelihood on assembling gem stone necklaces. At the age of 48, having suffered several setbacks and severe depression, she finally meets the love of her lifetime. Baroness Alexandra von Beaulieu-Marconnay, oboist and teacher, established a very close relationship with her mother, after her father died. After moving to another town her noble connections benefit her while settling in. But she is incapable to step out of a mighty line...

CAST AND CREW

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