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JULIETTE BINOCHE LOU DE LAÂGE GIORGIO COLANGELI

# L'ATTESA

A FILM BY PIERO MESSINA



Oscilloscope Laboratories  
presents

# L'ATTESA

(THE WAIT)

JULIETTE BINOCHE, LOU DE LAÛGE, GIORGIO COLANGELI,  
DOMENICO DIELE, ANTONIO FOLLETTO and CORINNA LOCASTRO

Directed by PIERO MESSINA

Written by PIERO MESSINA, GIACOMO BENDOTTI,  
ILARIA MACCHIA and ANDREA PAOLO MASSARA

Produced by NICOLA GIULIANO, FRANCESCA CIMA,  
CARLOTTA CALORI, FABIO CONVERSI, and JÉRÔME SEYDOUX

World Premiere: Venice International Film Festival 2015

Run Time: 110 minutes

Languages: Italian, French

Stunningly shot and deeply resonant, *L'ATTESA* heralds the arrival of a talented new voice. With Sicily as his backdrop, Piero Messina (assistant director on Paolo Sorrentino's *THE GREAT BEAUTY*) navigates a range of emotions in telling the strange, irresistible story of the relationship between two women from different generations.

Academy Award®-winner Juliette Binoche stars as Anna, who is meeting her son Giuseppe's French girlfriend, Jeanne (Lou de Laâge), in the lead up to Easter festivities. Young and enchanting, Jeanne arrived with excitement before Giuseppe, whose continued delays and lack of presence cast a dark, mysterious shadow over the household. Why is Giuseppe not here and when will he appear?

As Anna and Jeanne wait, they grow closer than either imagined they would, despite the secrets they're harboring from one another.

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