

MÉPRISES

My husband thought I loved you deeply. It was fun, me what I liked, was it to hear him suffering. Even his silences were cries of pain, and yet he never thought of abandoning me. How sweet it was to feel his blows on my skin and see his face furrowed with tears. There is no stronger chain than suffering to unite two beings.

(From the book **COTE JARDIN** by Alain MONNIER)



SYNOPSIS

Dr Lepage is well acquainted with his wife, Françoise. He preserves her, watch over it ... With a master's hand; he will remove all the "butterflies" who will approach her. Françoise knows that she is beautiful, she sees him in the frightful look of desire she arouses among men. But with Jacques, she is sure, it's different.

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Producers : Jean-Luc VAN DAMME et Nicolas GEORGE

Director : Bernard DECLERCQ

Screenwriter: Bernard DECLERCQ from *CÔTÉ JARDIN* by Alain MONNIER

Director of Photography: ZVONOCK

Music: Yves GOURMEUR

DCP Colors - 90 minutes

CASTING

Dr Lepage : Pascal GREGGORY

Françoise : Moana FERRÉ

Jacques Mahieux : Fabrizio RONGIONE

Régis : Nicolas VAUDE

Julien Mahieux : Benjamin RAMON

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