

Edie Thea: A Very Long Engagement

"Powerful, Sexy, Tender." Donna Minkowitz - Writer - Salon.com

"THIS MOVIE WILL TOUCH YOUR HEART, WHATEVER YOUR GENDER OR SEXUALITY." DIVA MAGAZINE, UK

Production Information

Directors - Producers: Susan Muska & Greta Olafsdottir
Director of Photography: Susan Muska & Greta Olafsdottir

Produced by:

In association with:

Bless Bless Productions
Sundance Channel

Editors: Susan Muska & Greta Olafsdottir

Composer: Karl Henry
Sound design and mix: Lora Hirschberg
Co - Production with: Graphic Pictures

Country: USA

Genre: Documentary
Duration: 61 min & 58 min

Format: Digital Beta-NTSC-PAL

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Synopsis

After 42 years, feisty and delightful lesbian couple Edie and Thea are finally getting married. From the early '60s to the present day, the tireless community activists persevere through many battles, both personal and political. These two compassionate and brave women are a model of courage and strength that speaks to everyone, of any age. Through this film audiences will recognize that dancing, like loving, can continue at any age, and rediscover the timeless message "Don't postpone joy". Susan Muska and Greta Olafsdottir (**The Brandon Teena Story**) return with a love story of two remarkable women whose commitment to each other is an inspiration to us all.

About the Directors

Susan Muska and Gréta Ólafsdottir produced and directed the award winning documentary film, **The Brandon Teena Story**. Awards for **The Brandon Teena Story** include The Berlin International Film Festival's Teddy for best documentary and the Siegel Säule Audience Award. The directors were nominated for an Emmy Award for Excellence in Investigative Journalism in The Brandon Teena Story. Their other documentaries are: **Through the Lens** and **Women, the Forgotten Face of War**, which received a jury award for best documentary at the Astra International Documentary Festival and was a part of two year campaign by Amnesty International to stop violence against women. Their films have been broadcasted domestically and internationally.

Edie & Thea: A Very Long Engagement is their latest documentary - completed in June 2009.

They are currently in production of **America is Hard to Find: the Life and Times of the Berrigan Brothers**, a documentary about Daniel and Philip Berrigan. Susan and Gréta are instructors at The Parsons School of Design. Gréta is a documentary and short-films consultant for the Icelandic Film Centre.

Winner of 16 Audience and Jury Awards for Best Documentary:For a complete list of Awards go to: http://www.blessblessproductions.com/index31.html
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