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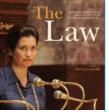


Dramas from France

The Sacramento Jewish Film Festival (SJFF), a program of the Jewish Federation of the Sacramento Region, is thrilled to announce its 25th Anniversary Festival. Included in our streaming films are three legal dramas from France. One of these, *Le Procès Goldman*, has been nominated for eight César Awards; Best Picture, Best Director (Cédric Khan), Best Actor (Arieh Worthalter), Best Supporting Actor (Arthur Harari), Best Original Screenplay (Nathalie Hertzberg, Cédric Kahn), Best Cinematography (Patrick Ghiringhelli), Best Sound (Erwan Kerzanet, Sylvian Malbrant, Olivier Guillaume), and Best Editing (Yann Dedet).

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STREAMING MARCH 11-17

LE PROCÈS GOLDMAN (THE GOLDMAN CASE) A French legal biographical film centered on Pierre Goldman, a far-left militant who was accused of 4 murders and his relationship with his lawyer Georges Kiejman. This powerful courtroom drama based on actual events was the Opening Night Film of the Directors' Fortnight section at the Cannes Film Festival, where it was unanimously hailed by critics as one of the "must-see" films of the festival.

STREAMING MARCH 18-24

LA LOI (THE LAW) brilliantly traces three days, in late Fall 1974, of stormy debate in the French National Assembly, around a bill which would make "voluntary termination of pregnancy" legal. Holocaust survivor Simone Veil, the Minister of Health in the Jacques Chirac government during the presidency of Valéry Giscard d'Estaing, leads the debate. The film aired on the 40th anniversary of the day Simone Veil presented her bill to legalize abortion to France's National Assembly.

L'HISTOIRE D'ANNETTE ZELMAN (THE STORY OF ANNETTE ZELMAN) This true-life *Romeo and Juliet*-esque tale takes place in 1940s wartime France. Annette was Jewish. Jean was Catholic. In today's world, the film has added resonance with the recent rise of antisemitism. Writer/director Philippe Le Guay also directed *L'homme de la Cave (The Man in the Basement)* which we presented in 2023.

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