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A Hady Zaccak TV overview documentary

Original title: Ash Shia

Year of production: 2005

Original language: Arabic

Research: Jean Kassis, Hady Zaccak, Antoinette Geagea.

Narration: Jean Kassis

Director of Photography: Koussay Hamzeh

Sound: Tony Saadeh

Editing: Elias Shaheen

Music: David Rohl

Camera Assistant: Dany Chedid

Producer: Antoinette Geagea, Hady Zaccak

Production supervision: Najat Rizk, Mona Mounayyar

Executive production: Firehorse Films (Lebanon)

Production: Al Jazeera Documentary Channel (Qatar)

Written and Directed by: Hady Zaccak

Format: Digital Betacam

Running time: 52 minutes



Synopsis

The Shiite society between Lebanon and Iran

This documentary enters inside the Shiite society. It studies the status of women through an Iranian deputy and a Lebanese actress, it looks at the social evolution in the Shiite society in Lebanon, it shows the Ashoura commemoration, the dogma and the rituals and it develops the political aspect of the Islamic revolution in Iran and its effects especially through the model of Hezbollah in Lebanon.

This documentary was broadcasted in 2007 on **Al Jazeera Documentary Channel** and on **New TV** in 2010.

Participants: The Grand Ayatollah Sayyed Mouhammed Hussein Fadlallah, Sayyed Hani Fahs, Deputy Rafat Bayat, Rabab Sadr Charafeddine, Sheikh Akil Zeineddine, Dr. Talal Atrissy, Lynn Kodeih, Linda Kohail, Hamid Najafi, Sheikh Hussein Ali Alesfehani, Mohammad Radhi, Seyed Morteza Seyed Majid, Mustapha & Dalal Hammud, Ibrahim Farhat.



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