

State of Dogs

Original title: State of Dogs

Basaar was a dog. Now he is dead. He was shot in the backstreets of Ulan Bator. Basaar loved and trusted man. Now that trust is gone. In Mongolia, people know that when a dog dies he will be reborn as a man. But Basaar is reluctant to return as a man. In order to accept his fate, Basaar sets out on a journey through his memory. He remembers his life as a sheep dog in the Mongolian countryside. He remembers the pain and sorrow when he was abandoned by his master. And he remembers the struggle to survive as a stray in the city. When Basaar is coming to terms with his destiny the mythical dragon Rah is about to swallow the sun to create total chaos and destruction. Now, Basaar's rebirth depends on man's power to scare away Rah... State of Dogs tells the story of a Mongolian dog who didn't want to be a man.

CREDITS

DIRECTOR: Peter Brosens
PRODUCER: Peter Brosens
WRITER: Peter Brosens
CAST: Bataar Galsansukh, Nyam
Dagyrantz
EDITING: Octavio Iturbe
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CREATION DETAILS

TYPE: Film
PRODUCTION SHARE: Majority Flemish
Production
GENRE: Drama, Documentary,
Experimental
YEAR OF PRODUCTION: 1998
PRODUCTION STATUS: Completed
ORIGINAL TITLE: State of Dogs
ORIGINAL LANGUAGE: Mongolian,
English

TECHNICAL SPECS

RUNNING TIME: 87'
ASPECT RATIO: 1.33:1 (4:3)
SOUND FORMAT: stereo (2.0)
RELEASE FORMAT: 35mm
COLOUR: Colour

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