SOL MENOR



Portugal, 2025, FIC, DCP, H.264, Colour, 27'12"
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Director:	André Silva Santos
Producer:	João Matos, Susana Nobre, TERRATREME FILMES
Producer:	André Silva Santos
Co-Producer:	Diogo Salgado, Gonçalo Pina, BRAVADO FILMES
Script:	André Silva Santos
Editing:	Diogo Vale
Photography:	Paulo Menezes
Sound:	Marcelo Tavares
Production Director:	Cristiana Cruz Forte
Art and Wardrobe:	Catarina Campos de Sousa
Main Actors:	Tiago Schwäbl, Pedro Gil
Original Language:	Portuguese
Subtitles:	Spanish, English
Synopsis:	Early Spring. A sonata, a letter, a bouquet of flowers. A train runs slowly through the landscape of São João da Madeira, a small town in the north of Portugal. Samuel, 38, devotes his days to his work as a flute teacher and the rituals of mourning the early death of his wife Luísa, with whom he shared a life dedicated to music. After a visit from his brother, Samuel faces a dilemma.

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André Silva Santos

André Silva Santos (b. 1990, São João da Madeira, Portugal) lives and works in Lisbon. He holds a degree in Communication Sciences - Cinema, from NOVA University Lisbon, where he also completed his master's in Aesthetics and Artistic Studies - Cinema and Photography. Currently, he is a PhD student in Artistic Studies - Art and Mediations at the same institution. Additionally, he earned a postgraduate degree in Cinema - Dramaturgy and Directing, from The Lisbon Theatre and Film School. He works in film as a script supervisor, assistant director and script consultant. "Sol Menor" is his debut short film as a director.

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Festival Selections

2026 Festival Internacional de Cine de Viña del Mar, Chile
2026 Entre Olhares - Festival de Cinema Português, Portugal
2026 SCANORAMA European Film Forum, Lithuania
2026 Curt'Arruda - Festival de Cinema de Arruda dos Vinhos, Portugal
2026 Filmfest Sundsvall, Sweden
2026 Soundscreen Film Festival, Italy
2026 Festival de Música Clássica em Paços de Brandão, Portugal
2026 Imagens no Tejo - Mostra de Cinema Português, Portugal
2026 Estranhos Encontros - Festival De Cinema Independente de São Paulo, Brazil
2026 FICBUEU - Festival International de Cortometrajes de Bueu, Spain
2026 Festival de Cine Astorga, Spain
2026 Cinemancia Film Festival, Colombia
2026 Festival Silhouette, France
2026 Summer Film School Uherske Hradiste, Czech Republic
2026 EFA - European Film Festival Palic,

2026 Triste Para Sempre , Portugal
2026 MIMO Cinema em Guimarães, Portugal
2026 GENERATION FF - National Film School of Denmark, Denmark
2026 Cineclube de Pombal - Junho, Portugal
2026 Casa Municipal da Cultura - Maio, Portugal
2026 Prémios Curtas, Portugal
2026 Malaga Festival, Spain
2026 Play - Lisbon's International Kids Film Festival, Portugal
2026 ShortCutz Ovar - Fevereiro, Portugal
2026 Premiers Plans, Festival d'Angers, France
2025 Cineclube Tavira - Dezembro, Portugal
2025 Caminhos do Cinema Português, Portugal
2025 Alcine - Festival de Cine de Alcalá de Henares/Comunidad de Madrid, Spain
2025 Festival Internacional De Cine De Donostia-San Sebastián, Spain
2025 Curtas Vila do Conde - Cinema ao Ar Livre, Portugal
2025 Curtas Vila do Conde International Film Festival, Portugal

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