

LA BELLE PAIX

DIRECTOR

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DURATION

53:21

YEAR

2005

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

French

CATEGORY

Documentary

**DESCRIPTION**

Gilles Fournier lived as a recluse in the "zone d'exploitation contrôlée" (ZEC) Onatchiway in Quebec. On a premature snowmobile trip the still-unreliable autumn ice gave way under the weight of his snowmobile. Five days later his frozen body was found on the lake. "I was supposed to meet up with him that winter, but the get-together never took place." A post-mortem portrait of a role model of my youth. An intimate journey to the heart of memory. A look at a kind of solitude, at a generation that is disappearing, at values that will never change.

SOUND

Stereo

SHOOTING FORMAT

MiniDV

KEYWORDS

Remembrance, Generations, Hermit, Snow, Homage, Sadness

THEMES

Identity

Environment

Society