

LA PROVIDENCE

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ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

French

CATEGORY

Documentary

Installation



DESCRIPTION

How the members of the Sisters of Charity of Montréal, more commonly known as the Grey Nuns, see the future? In "La Providence", we encounter the retired nuns in the generic apartments called home, after having recently vacated their one hundred and fifty years old Mother House in downtown Montréal. Still active, they recount their missionary work in Africa and in the Canadian North, reflect on their impending death and reunion with their husband, the Eternal Father, and the precarious future of their dwindling order.

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With the voice in english of Aleck Guès

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THEMES

Private life

History