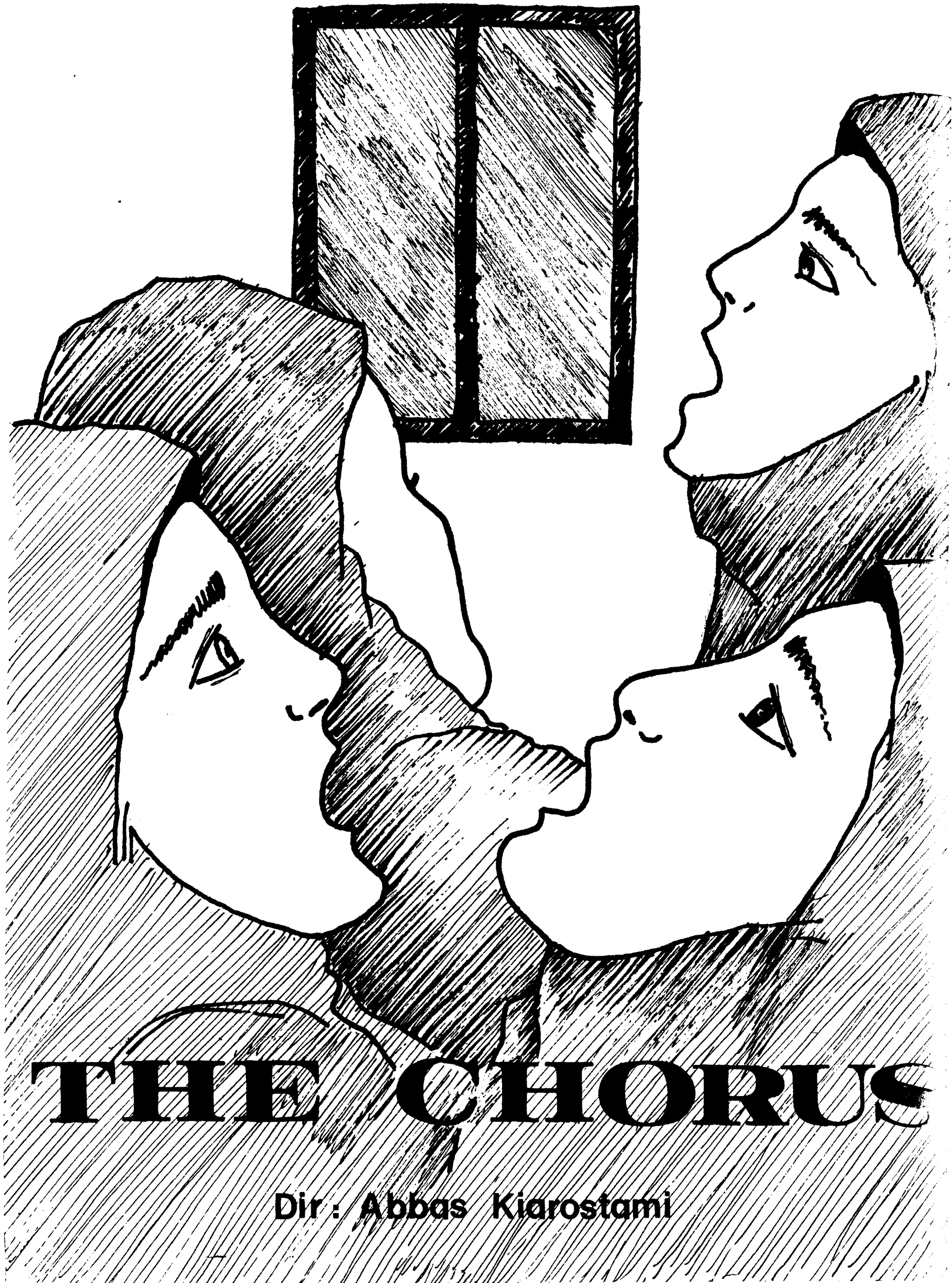


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Dir : Abbas Kiarostami

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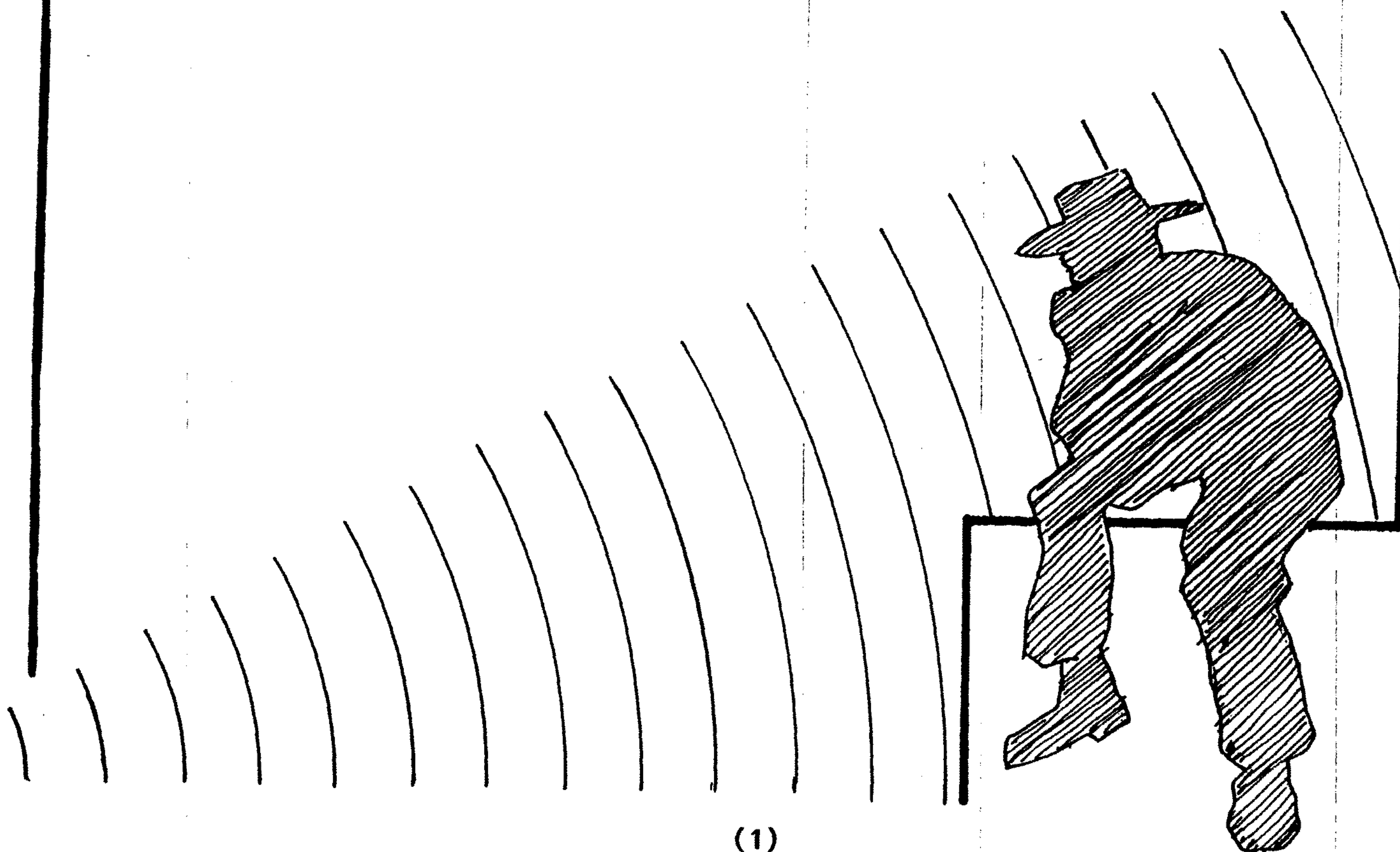
The Chorus

(Hamsorayan)

Director : Abbas Kiarostami
Script : A. Kiarostami (Based on a story by M.J. Kahnamui)
Photography : Alireza Zarindast
Edit : A. Kiarostami
Sound Recordist : Ahmad Askari
Producer : Institute For The Intellectual Development
of Children and Young Adults.
Cast : Yusef Moghaddam
Ali Askari

Iran, 1982

Colour, 35mm, 17 Mins.

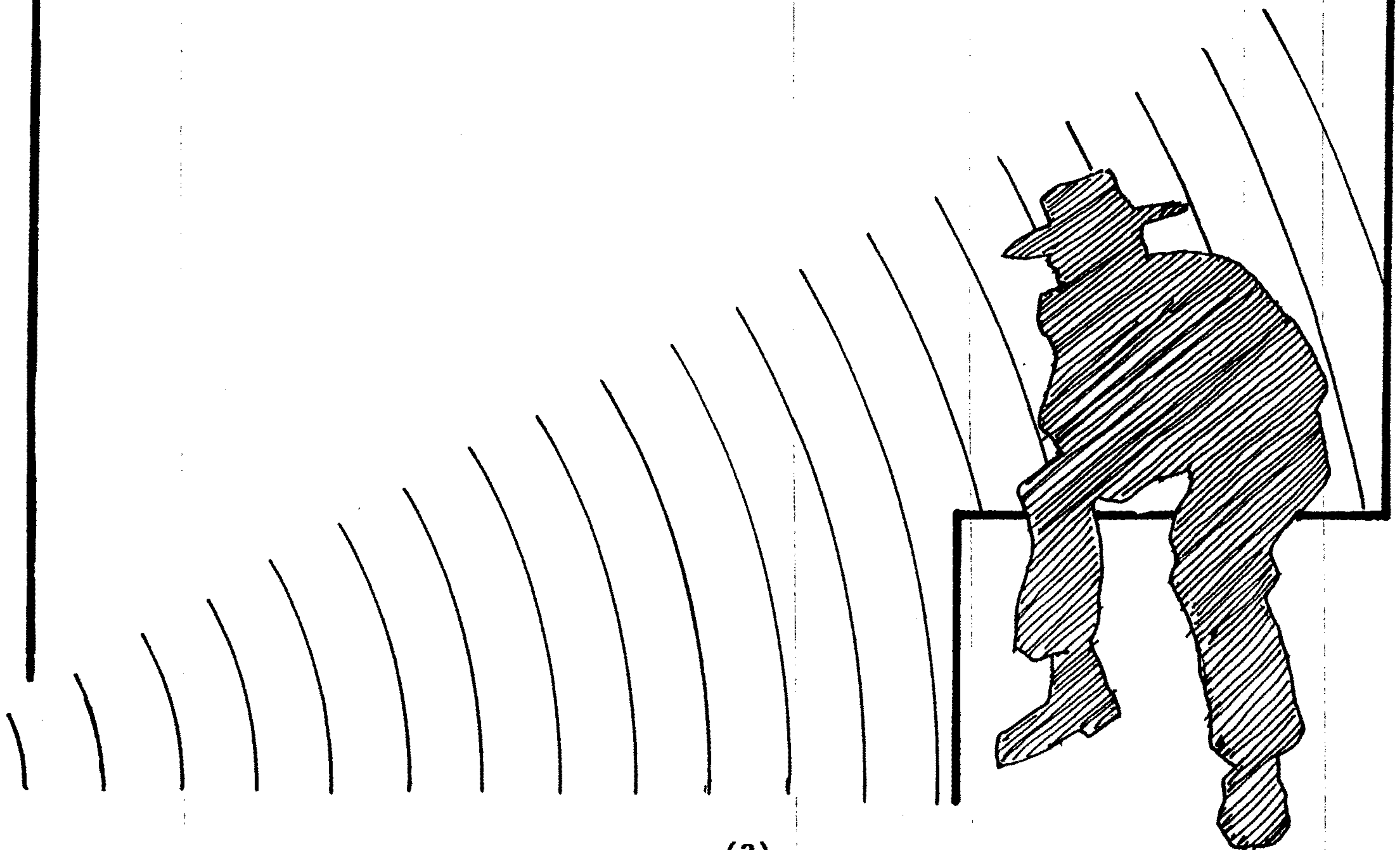


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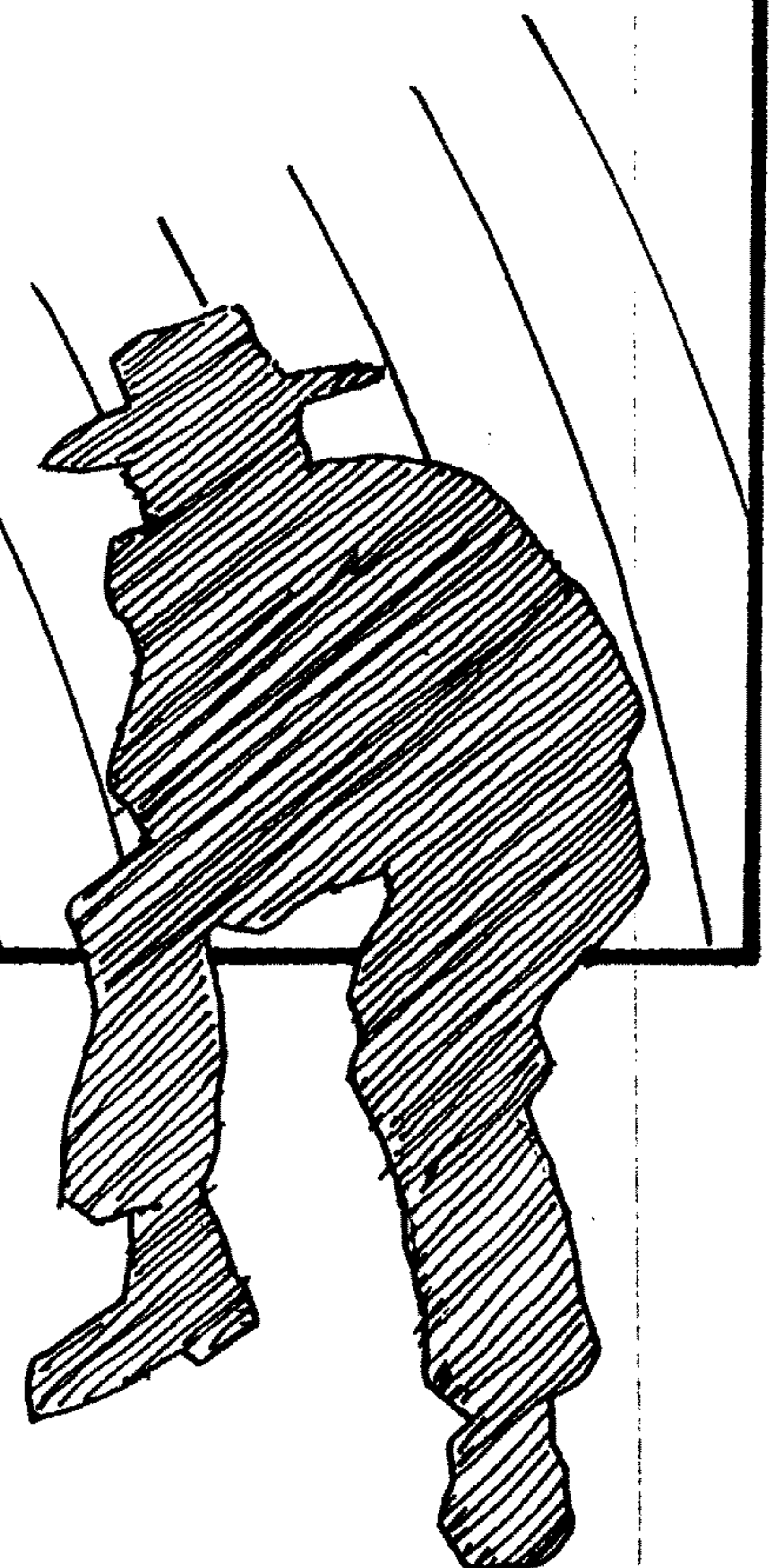
Grandfather, who is hard of hearing leaves the door ajar so that children can get into the house after they return from school. The door is accidentally closed and the children can not make themselves heard by grandfather.....



BIOGRAPHY

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Born in 1940, Abbas Kiarostami is a graduate of the Painting department of Tehran University's Faculty of Fine Arts. He made over ten commercials before working in 1968 at the Centre For The Intellectual Development of Children And Young Adults where he established the filmmaking department. Besides filmmaking, he illustrates books for children.



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FILMOGRAPHY

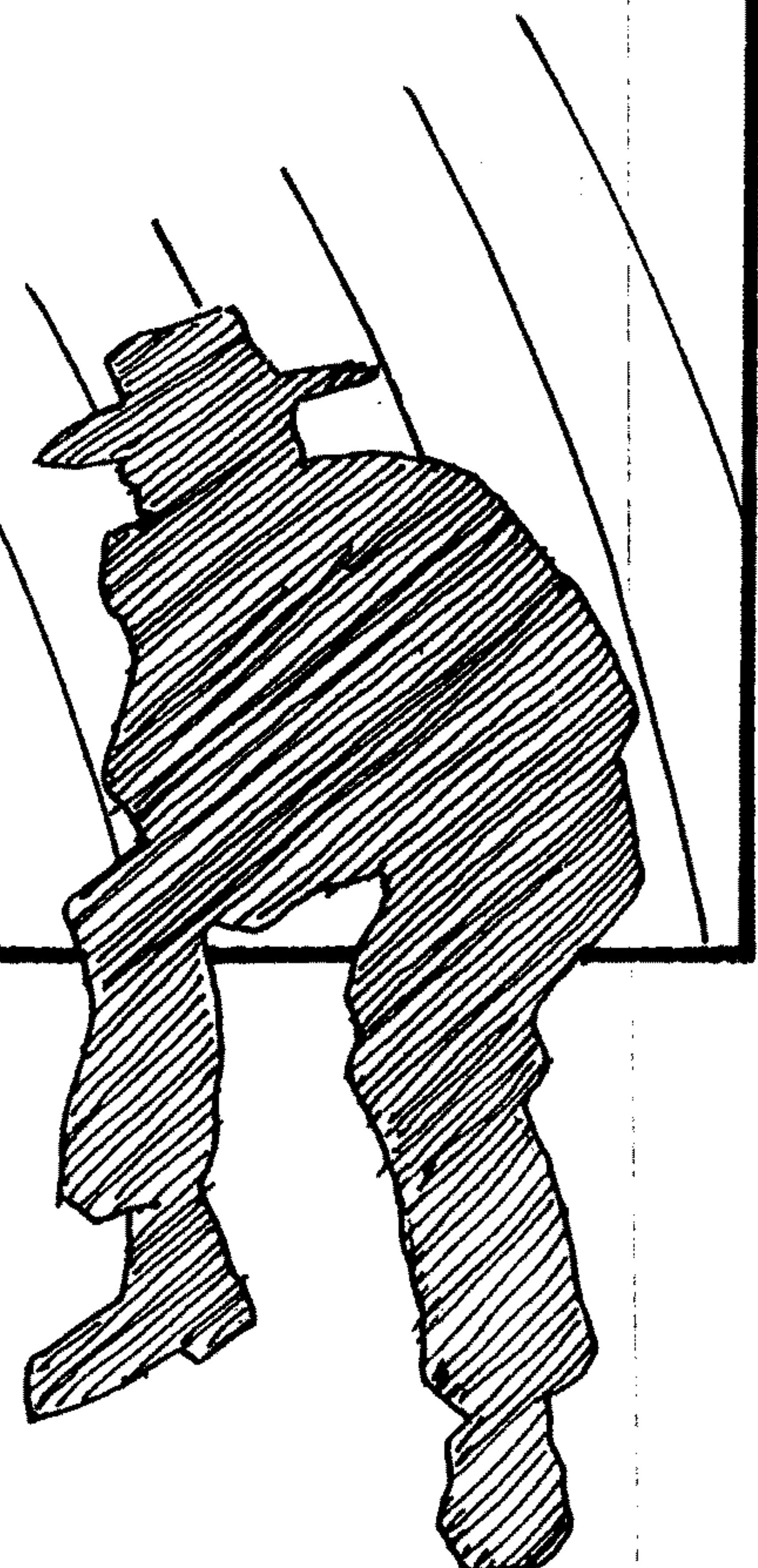
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SHORT FILMS/COURTS METRAGES:

1970 Bread And Alley
1972 The Breaktime
1973 The Experience
1974 Passenger
1975 Two Solutions For One Problem
1975 So I can
1976 A Suit For Wedding
1976 The Colours
1978 Solution 1
1979 First Case, Second Case
1980 Dental Hygiene
1981 Regularly or Irregularly
1982 The Chorus
1983 Fellow Citizen

FEATURE FILMS/LONGS METRAGES

1977 Report
1985 First Graders
1988 Where Is The Friend's Home?
1989 Homework
1990 Close-Up
1992 And Life Goes On...

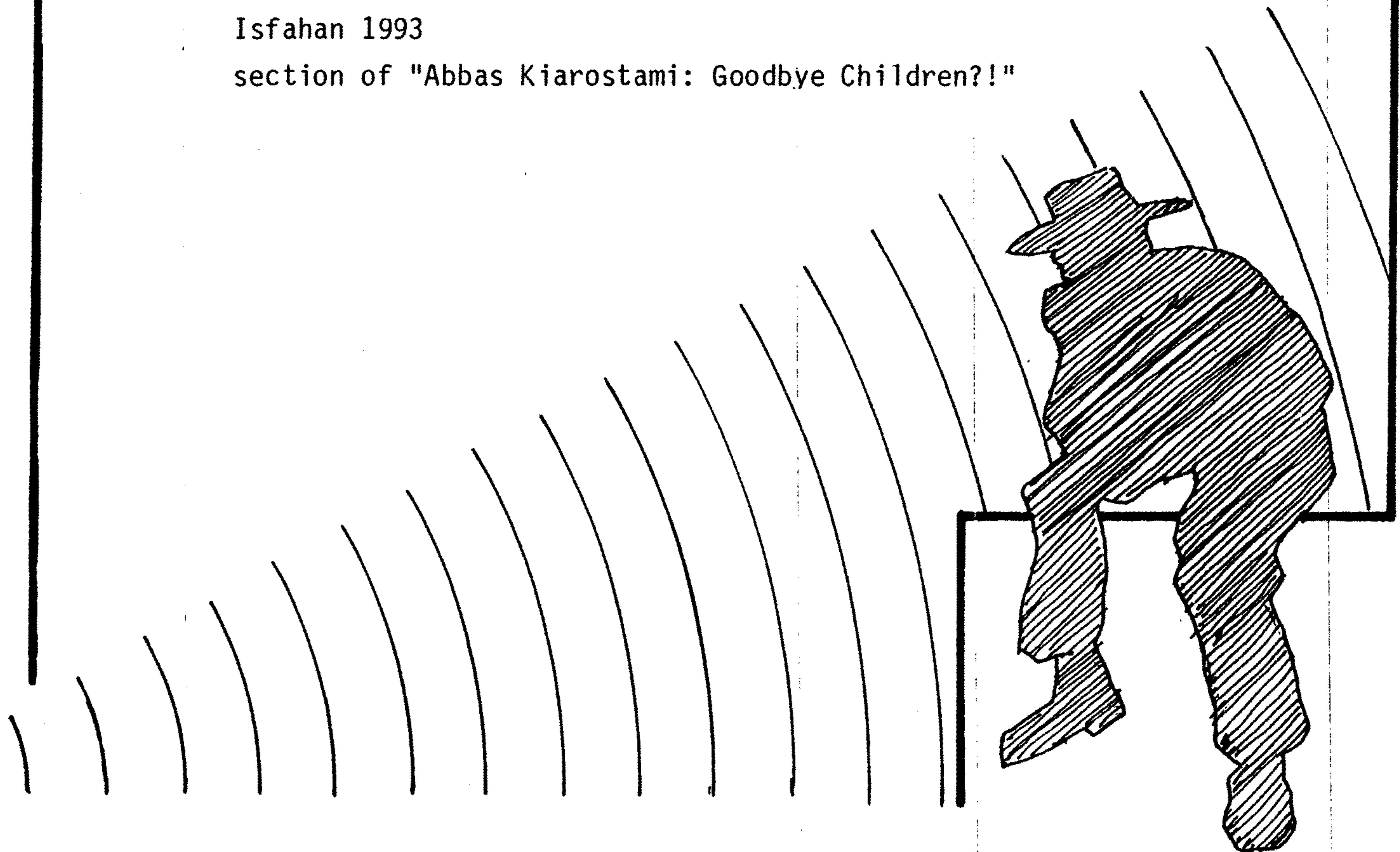


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FESTIVALS

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- 1) The 2nd Fajr International Film Festival, Tehran 1984
Awarded the "Golden Plaque" for the best short film of festival
- 2) The 24th Karlovy Vary International Film Festival, Czechoslovakia 1984
- 3) The 14th Giffoni International Film Festival, Italy 1984
- 4) The 4th Fajr International Film Festival, Tehran 1986
section of "Iranian Cinema & Festivals"
- 5) The 6th International Film, Television and Video Festival FESTRIO in
Fortaleza, Brazil 1989
- 6) The 5th International Festival of Films For Children and Young Adults,
Tehran 1990
"Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami"
- 7) The 8th Munich International Film Festival, Germany 1990
Tribute to Abbas Kiarostami
- 8) A Decade of Iranian Cinema: 1980-1990, UCLA 1990
- 9) The 33rd Thessaloniki International Film Festival, Greece 1992
Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami
- 10) The 10th Novo Cinema Film Festival of 3 Continents, Brugge, Belgium 1993
- 11) The 9th International Festival of Films For Children and Young Adults,
Isfahan 1993
section of "Abbas Kiarostami: Goodbye Children?!"



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FESTIVALS

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- 12) The 6th Riminicinema International Film Festival, Italy 1993
Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami
- 13) Festival of Iranian Films In Paris, France 1993
- 14) The 38th Valladolid International Film Festival, Spain 1993
Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami
- 15) A Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami's Films in the Filmoteca de la
Generalitat de Catalunya, Barcelona, Spain 1993
- 16) A Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami's Films in the Filmoteca Spanola,
Madrid, Spain 1993
- 17) The 6th Clermont-Ferrand International Short Film Festival, France 1994
Panorama of Iranian Short Films
- 18) The 2nd Montreal International Short Film Festival, Canada 1994
- 19) Fonction:Cinema, Maison Des Arts Du Grutli, La Selection Internationale
De Films Courts, Geneve, Switzerland, 1994
- 20) The 2nd International Short Film Festival of Vila de Conde, Portugal 1994
- 21) Cote Court, Festival du Court-Metrage en Seine St. Denis, France 1994
- 22) A Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami's Films at the Hong Kong's Arts
Centre, 1994



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FESTIVALS

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- 23) Festival of Short Films at the Portuguese Film Archive, Portugal 1994
- 24) The 18th Sao Paulo International Film Festival, Brazil 1994
Retrospective of Abbas Kiarostami's Films
- 25)

