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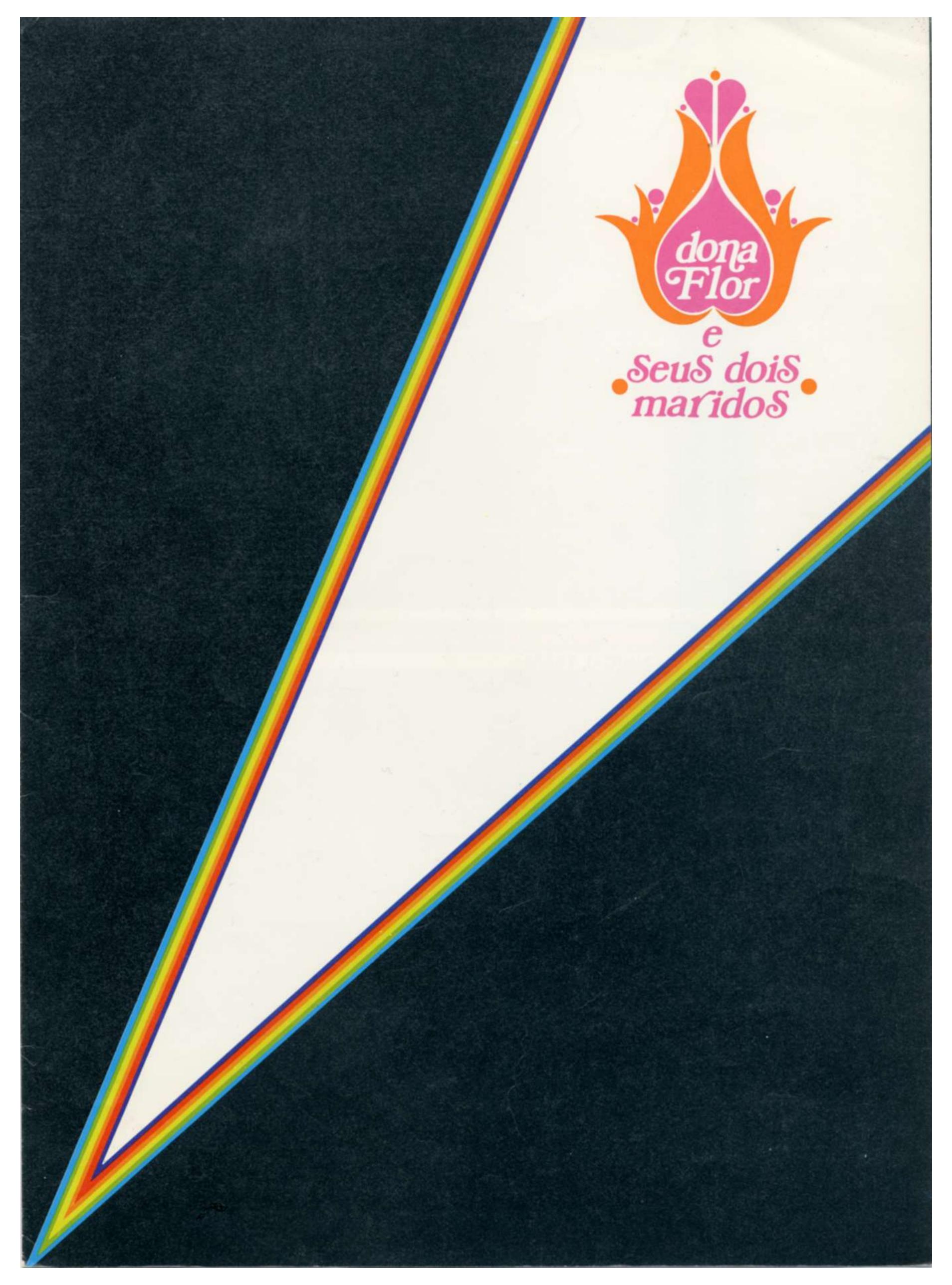
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SYNOPSIS

Vadinho, le premier mari de "Dona Flor", meurt en plein Carnaval, déguisé en "Baiana", en dansant le samba avec ses copains, au milieu d'une rue de Salvador – Bahia.

Vagabond, joueur, gigolot, un vrai mec, un type formidable. C'est ainsi que les gents se rappelent de Vadinho à l'occasion de son enterrement. Une fois le cadavre enterré, "Dona Flor", en toute sa souffrance de jeune veuve, pense à sa vie avec son mari. Elle fut abandonnée à l'aube de sa nuit de noce. Vadinho quitte le lit conjugal pour la roulette et le "Château" (maison suspect) en compagnie de ses copains: le noir Arigof, le compère Mirandão, le coquin Cazuza Funil, le violoniste Carlinhos, le poète Clodoaldo et le chien 17.

Vadinho, c'est l'homme sans horaire, sans mesures, sans discipline. Un homme qui disparait pendant 4 jours de sa maison, et quand il y est présent, il est capable de draguer les propres élèves de sa femme en pleine classe de cuisine.

Mais, mis à part celà, c'est aussi l'homme merveilleux, le roi du lit, l'amant parfait. À sa façon et d'une manière particulière, il a profondément aimé "Dona Flor". Mais pourtant il faut l'oublier, et Flor se remarie.

Son deuxième époux, c'est la vrai négation du premier. Teodoro Madureira, pharmacien respecté et amant de la musique classique, il est considéré comme l'homme parfait par les voisines de Flor, Norma, Dinorá et Jacy.

Avec Teodoro même le sexe est méthodique – les mercredi et les samedi (avec le droit de remettre ça) et sans aucun "assaisonnement" très fort.

Un an de mariage se déroule avec ce gentil époux, amoureux et fidel. Jusqu'au jour ou Flor, en entrant dans sa chambre après une fatigante soirée commérnorative de son aniversaire de mariage, y trouve Vadinho tout nu, couché sur son lit. Le fantôme de son premier mari ne l'effraie pas. Elle le regrettait et trouve plaisir à causer avec lui de nouveau.

Mais Vadinho est revenu pour "faire la noce" et il

commence sa bataille pour séduire Flor. En principe repoussé, il dirige ses pouvoirs verskstables de jeu. Ses copains Mirandão et Arigof ganhent des fortunes, et c'est la banqueroute pour le Cassino Bahiano en jouant sur le numéro 17, le préféré de Vadinho.

Pour Flor, elle est de plus en plus difficile d'offrir résistance aux attaques de Vadinho. Finalment, c'est la chutte du dernier réduit: Flor s'abandonne de nouveau à son premier mari, et toute épanouie de bonheur, elle passe à vivre avec ces deux maris.



SYNOPSIS

ON the sunday of Carnival in Bahia, Vadinho, Dona Flor's first husband drops dead of a heart attack while dancing wildly in the streets with his friends. At his funeral, he is remembered by his friends and neighbours as a rascal, gambler, gigolo, and by some, even as a great man.

After Vadinho's burial, Dona Flor is inconsolable and repeatealy remembers the life she had with her husband. Not all the memories are pleasant, but they are all part of the man she loved and can't forget. For example, on her wedding night, Vadinho slipped out of bed when she was asleep and made straight for the roulette board and for the local brothel in the company of his bar room friends – the Negro Arigof, his special pal Mirandão, the perpetual drunk Cazuza Funil, the guitarist Carlinhos, the poet Clodoaldo and the dog called 17.

Vadinho was a man who never knew what day it was, much less the time. He recognised no limits, nor did he have any kind of discipline. He could disappear from home for days at a time and on his return, offer no explanation and continue to amuse himself, flirting with Dona Flor's cookery students, but apart from these minor failings, Vadinho was a marvelous man, as great a lover as he was an idler.

In his own way Vadinho deeply loved Flor and knowing this, makes it all the more difficult to forget him. Encourraged by her friends, Norma Dinora and Jacy, Flor decides to marry again. But this time her husband is quite different, in fact he is the exact opposite of the first. Teodoro Madureira is a respectable pharmacist and an admirer of classical music. He is a methodical man in everything, even when he makes love – this last, to be exact, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, but he permits himself a "twice" on occasion. Nothing in exaggeration.

After a year of marriage to this kind and considerate husband Flor gives an anniversary party at their home. Exhausted after all the excitement of the day, she goes to her

room and finds, of all people, Vadinho lying comfortably naked on her bed. The apparition doesn't scare Flor, she has missed him so much and now it will be so nice to sitdown and talk to him. But this is not Vadinho's idea at all, he hasn't come back for just some pleasant conversation. He begins where he left off a tries to make love to Flor. She is very shocked and explains that she is a respectable married woman, and for the moment Vadinho leaves her alone. He turns his attention to the cassinos and being invisible to others, helps his friends to make a fortune on his favourite number-17 — at the roulette board.

Vadinho then continues his advances to Flor and each time she finds it harder to resist his love making. Finally she gives in to her first husband and discovers how happy she can be, living with two husbands loving and being loved by both.

QUELQUES MOTS

J'ai voulu faire une comédie, légère, picaresque et irrévérencieuse. Un filme plein de malice et de la sensualité que le peuple brésilien exprime et ressent. Cela est sur l'écran... du moins je l'espère.

BRUNO BARRETO

A FEW WORDS

I intended to make a comedy, light, roguish, and irreverent. A film in which all the sensuality and wantonness of the Brazilian people is shown and felt. That's how it is on the screen... I hope.

BRUNO BARRETO

