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KAPÒ

Nominated as Best Foreign Film at the 1961 Academy Awards, this black and white movie dares us not to forget the horror of the Holocaust.

Italian director Gillo Pontecorvo directs this audacious World War II drama about a young Jewish woman (Susan Strasberg) in a Nazi concentration camp who attempts to save herself from death by assuming another's identity and becoming a ruthless warden.

DRAMA

ORIGINAL TITLE	A KAPO'
COUNTRY	France, Italy, Yugoslavia
PRODUCTION YEAR	1960
RUNNING TIME	100' min.
LANGUAGE	Italian
DIRECTED BY	Gillo Pontecorvo
CAST	Susan Strasberg Laurent Terzieff

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FESTIVALS & AWARDS

Academy Awards, USA 1961 - Nominee: Oscar: Best Foreign Language Film

Italy

Avellino Neorealism Film Festival 1961 - Winner: Laceno d'Oro - Best Film: Gillo

Pontecorvo

Golden Globes, Italy 1961 - Nominee: Golden Globe - Best Film - Gillo

Pontecorvo

Italian National Syndicate of Film Journalists 1961

Winner: Silver Ribbon - Best Supporting Actress - Didi Perego

Nominee: Silver Ribbon Best Score (Migliore Musica) - Carlo Rustichelli

Mar del Plata Film Festival 1961

Winner: Best Actress - Susan Strasberg

Nominee: Best Film International Competition - Gillo Pontecorvo