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GENERAL DELLA ROVERE

Winner of the Golden Lion 1959, directed by Roberto Rossellini and featuring Vittoria de Sica, the film is based on the true story of a con artist during the height of WWII.

Forced by the Nazis to impersonate an Italian resistance leader (General della Rovere), he infiltrates a group of resistance prisoners and gradually, wrestling with his conscience for the first time, loses himself in his role.

DRAMA

ORIGINAL TITLE	IL GENERALE DELLA ROVERE
COUNTRY	Italy
PRODUCTION YEAR	1959
RUNNING TIME	132’ min.
LANGUAGE	Italian
DIRECTED BY	Roberto Rossellini
CAST	Vittorio De Sica Sandra Milo Vittorio Caprioli

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FESTIVALS & AWARDS

Academy Awards, USA 1962 - nominee: Oscar for the Best Writing, Story and Screenplay

David di Donatello Awards 1960 - Winner: Best Production

Golden Globes, Italy 1960 - Nominee: Best film

Italian National Syndicate of Film Journalists 1960 - Silver Ribbon for Best Director

Venice Film Festival 1959: Golden Lion, OCIC Award, Special Mention

San Francisco International Film Festival 1959 - Winner: Golden Gate Award