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MY POINT OF VIEW PASSION FISH

By Jacqueline R. Walker
OUT ON VIDEO: two films that are a must see.



PASSION FISH: Written and Directed by John Sayles, Starring Alfre Woodard, Mary McDonnell

PASSION FISH is a film dealing with the interaction between two women from different ethnic backgrounds. Chantel (Woodard), an Afro American from Chicago, went through a rehab detoxication program.

friend of Dee (Castle), who finds himself attracted to Dee's (Castle) beautiful black cousin, Nikki (Wright). When Nikki (Wright) returns the same feelings for Zack (Rapaport) it becomes explosive, not only with their families, but with friends, and their peers.

To escape the environment that placed her in rehab, Chantel went to Louisiana to work for Mary Alice Cogan (McDonnell).

Nut (Ron Johnson), a young Afro American drug dealer, finds himself also attracted to Nikki, but unable to express those feelings because of his reputation. Take an Afro American young lady, a Jewish young man, Black Muslims, White Separatists, drugs, egos, and a guns and you have *Zebrahead*, a film that will keep you on the edge of your seat. The film depicts several of the problems of the inner-cities across America. Oliver Stone, touches on the intense hostility and aversion deriving from fear and anger.

Mary Alice was a soap opera actress that was left a paraplegic after being hit by a taxi; later turning to alcohol as a way out. Both women, while searching for a reason to live as they fight their addictions, find friendship.

ZEBRAHEAD: Oliver Stone Production,

Starring N'Bushe Wright, DeShann Castle, Mike Rapaport and Ron Johnson.

ZEBRAHEAD is a film dealing with interracial relationships. Dee (DeShann Castle) and cousin Nikki (N'Bushe Wright) moved from Brooklyn, New York to Detroit to get away from the onset of violence. Zack (Mike Rapaport) is the Jewish best

RECOMMENDATION: Both films show the growing trends in America. Abrasive language, Sex and Violence.

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Darnell Jefferson (Epps, left) flanked by the Rev. Wallace (Bernard Mixon) announces to the press that he will attend Eastern State University. James Caan, Halle Berry, Craig Sheffer and Kristy Swanson also star.