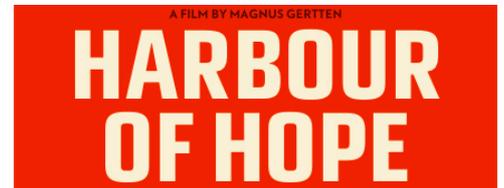


**Harbour of Hope: Short synopsis**

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## Harbour of Hope

**Harbour of Hope is a heart breaking but life-affirming story about the beyond belief life stories of three survivors. In 1945, Irene, Ewa and Joe were among the nearly 30,000 survivors that were rescued from German concentration camps and sent to the peaceful harbour town of Malmö, Sweden. Here they started life again.**

Through unique archive films, we see the 10 year-old Jewish girl Irene taking her first shaky steps in freedom. We see new-born Ewa being carried off the boat by her Polish mother. And we meet Josef "Joe" Rozenberg, who came to Malmö as a lonely young boy after losing his family.

In Harbour of Hope Irene, Ewa and Joe tell their amazing life stories from the moment of liberation to the mysterious and unsolved questions still haunting them today. They describe how they are dealing with war memories, how a helping hand makes it possible to move on and the importance of finding a "harbour of hope". The film is a moving homage to the humanism and unsung heroism that occurred throughout the darkest chapter in Europe's history.

Harbour of Hope (Sweden, Poland, 2011, 76 min)

Directed by Magnus Gertten

Written by Magnus Gertten, Jesper Osmund

Cinematography by Jon Rudberg

Music by Magnus Jarlbo

Editting by Jesper Osmund

Cast: Irene Krausz-Fainman, Stig Kinnhagen, Ewa Kabacinska Jansson, Joe Rozenberg, Bo Fröberg, and others.

Produced by Auto Images, Sweden and Bow and Axe Entertainment, Poland.

Executive Producer: Lennart Ström

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