# THE BODY IS A LONELY PLACE



A FILM BY IDA LINDGREN

# Festival distribution

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#### SYNOPSIS

See life from inside an eating disorder. Filmmaker Ida Lindgren invites you to the forbidden universe that each anorectic conceals from the outside world. A sensory, intimate and rhytmical depiction of a medical condition.

#### DIRECTORS COMMENT

I want to share my experience from living with an eating disorder. The self-obsession, self-loathing and anxiety. The difficulty in accepting help. I want those of you who have had an eating disorder to identify and to feel less lonely. And those of you who have not had the illness, I want you to feel it, to smell it. All from the inside.

#### IDA LINDGREN - DIRECTOR

Ida Lindgren is a documentary filmmaker born 1983, in Uppsala, Sweden. She gives children a voice through her films and has shown her work in Swedish national television, Fotografiska, at the International documentary film festival of Amsterdam, IDFA, among many other festivals. 2010 she entered Stockholm Academy of Dramatic Arts to combine her human interest, with the photography, in documentary film. With a strong cinematic eye Ida Lindgren brings us to new experiences.



# IDA LINDGREN FILMOGRAPHY

013 Rings of Life, 13 min

2013 The Convent Girls, 22 min

2012 Clown Medicine, 21 min

## idali images

Idali images is an independent production company that works with film and photography.



#### CAST

Patient Sanna Sundqvist Bengt CW Karlsson Doctor

CREW

Ida Lindgren Director Producer Ida Lindgren DOP Ida Lindgren

My Roman Fagerlind Script

Ida Lindgren

Editing Hanna Storby

Lisa Ekberg

Mike Cosola

Joel Rayner

Sound design Andreas Andersson Directors assistant Amanda Angelman Annika Busch

Light

Second assistant Emma Redin Amanda Angelman

Grading Graphics

#### PRODUCTION FACTS

The Body Is a Lonely Place Swedish title Kroppen är en ensam plats

Production country Sweden Production year 2016

Production company idali images

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Committee

Filmbasen/Film Stockholm Längmanska Kulturfonden

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stiftelse

09:54 Running time Frames per second 25

Available formats DCP, Prores Aspect ratio 1:1.85

Stereo / 5.1 mix

Dialogue Swedish Subtitles English

