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THE MAYOR OF RIONE SANITÀ

[IL SINDACO DEL RIONE SANITÀ]

Antonio Barracano, is a "man of honour" who distinguishes between "decent people and scoundrels"; he is called "The Mayor" of the Rione Sanità, one of the most troubled neighbourhoods in Naples. Using his charismatic influence and with the help of an ambiguous doctor, he administers justice according to his personal criteria, beyond the law and above the parties.

Those who have the right connections take advantage of it, and those who don't, go to Don Antonio, this is the rule. When Rafiluccio Santaniello, the baker's son, goes to The Mayor and tells him that he wants to kill his father, Don Antonio recognises in the young man the same feeling of revenge that obsessed him when he was younger and changed him forever. The Mayor decides to intervene to reconcile father and son and try to save them both.

Mario Martone adapts a classic play by Eduardo De Filippo to the big screen, creating a powerful and contemporary film where good and evil confront each other in every character.

PRODUCED BY
Indigo Film

DIRECTED BY
Mario Martone

CAST
Francesco Di Leva
Massimiliano Gallo
Roberto De Francesco
Adriano Pantaleo

STORY
Eduardo De Filippo

SCREENPLAY
Entirely based on the
Eduardo De Filippo's
The Mayor of Rione
Sanità, staged by
Mario Martone in 2017

FILM ADAPTATION
Mario Martone
Ippolita di Majo

CINEMATOGRAPHY
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Jacopo Quadri

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Ralph P

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Carmine Guarino

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