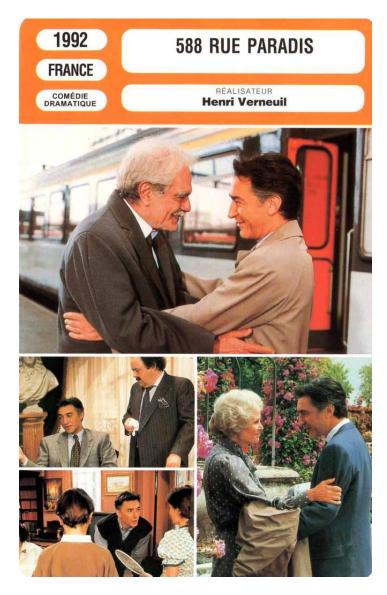


7 pm Saturday, May 19, 2018

## **588 Rue Paradis**

(1992, Dir. Henri Verneuil, 130 mins, French w/English subtitles)

Home of Naïry Digris & Terry McGibbon 1703 Skillman Ave W, Roseville, MN 55113



*588 Rue Paradis* is the 2<sup>nd</sup> autobiographical film by celebrated French-Armenian director Henri Verneuil, born Ashot Malakian in 1920 in the Ottoman Empire. This dramatic comedy sequel to Verneuil's *Mayrig* (1991)\* also features Omar Sharif and Claudia Cardinale, and examines Verneuil's complex relationship with his father, who brought his family to Marseille, France to escape the Armenian Genocide.

Verneuil directed many popular French films and is sometimes connected to the French New Wave movement of the 1960's. He was nominated for an Oscar, and received awards at Cannes and other international film festivals. He died in France in 2002.

\*We have been searching without success to find Mayrig with Eng. Subtitles. Let us know if you have any leads!!

\*Potluck Snacks and Drinks\*

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