



Centenary Tribute

Country : United Kingdom

Gandhi

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1982 / Colour / 191 minutes / English



Director : Richard Attenborough

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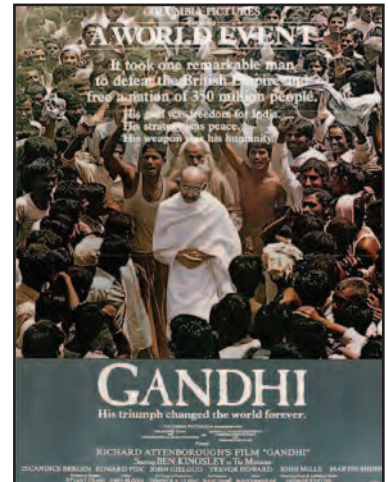
Cinematographer : Ronnie Taylor, Billy Williams

Editor : John Bloom

Music : Ravi Shankar

Cast : Ben Kingsley, Rohini Hattangadi, Roshan Seth, Candice Bergen

Synopsis : This acclaimed biographical drama presents major events in the life of Mohandas Gandhi (Ben Kingsley), the beloved Indian leader who stood against British rule in his country. Dedicated to the concept of nonviolent resistance, Gandhi is initially dismissed by English officials, including the influential Lord Irwin (John Gielgud), but eventually he and his cause become internationally renowned, and his gatherings of passive protest move India towards independence.



Director's Biography : Richard Samuel Attenborough, Baron Attenborough (1923-2014), is an English actor, director, producer, and entrepreneur. Attenborough has won two Academy Awards, four BAFTA Awards and three Golden Globes. In the late 1950s, Attenborough formed a production company, Beaver Films, with Bryan Forbes and began to build a profile as a producer on projects including *The League of Gentlemen* (1959), *The Angry Silence* (1960) and *Whistle Down the Wind* (1961), also appearing in the first two of these as an actor. In 1967, he was made a Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE). He acted in Satyajit Ray's *Satranj Ki Khiladi*.