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# A CHANGE IN TEMPO

Dreams may die but passions live





Mary is a piano player unable to play and spends her days teaching others. One particular student possesses the talent and potential she once had. Only through a forbidden encounter with him does she once again experience the passion that still lives inside her.

MARY guides her young piano students through the simplest of tunes, but their discordant attempts only remind her of her own lost dreams of performing. A crippling disability in her hands prevents Mary from making music of her own, so now she tries to draw it from her students.

Her star pupil Mike, a teenage prodigy, possesses the talent and potential she once had. His playing brings her own passion to the surface as she risks an encounter that could alienate her from the world of music completely.

It is through compassion and a kinship with Mike that Mary is able to reveal her feelings and the passion she still harbours.

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35mm

Colour

6 minutes

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