

The Well

Vihir

India/2009/35mm/Colour/120'/Marathi

Direction: Umesh Kulkarni

Producer: Amitabh Bachchan

Screenplay: Girish Kulkarni, Sati Bhave

Cinematography: Sudhir Palsane

Editing: Niraj Voralia

Sound: Anthony B J Ruban

Cast: Girish Kulkarni, Madan Deodhar, Alope Rajwade, Renuka Daftardar, Dr. Mohan Agashe, Jyoti Subhash, Sulbha Deshpande, Ashwini Giri



Awards/Festivals

Pusan International Film Festival

London International Film Festival

This is a teen movie about a teenager who experiences the death of a loved one. Sameer and Nachiket are relatives and friends. Nachiket, who is more mature, wants to escape his stifling surroundings. Sameer does not understand this. Then one day, Nachiket drowns in a pool where they often swam together. His death takes over Sameer's life, as he becomes lost in the fear and meaning of death. No one comes to his help. He must search to learn the meaning of life, however vaguely, on his own. Sameer and Nachiket are completely opposites and still complement each other. Strong and weak, manly and feminine, independent and dependent personalities; yet they are not perfect. Sameer, is vulnerable, but is grasping the meaning of life little by little.