

Thaniyavarthanam

India/1987/35mm/Colour/Malayalam

Direction: Sibi Malayil

Producer: Nandakumar

Screenplay: A K Lohithadas

Cinematography: Salu George

Editing: Bhoominathan

Music: M G Radhakrishnan

Cast: Mammooty, Tilakan, Mukesh, Kaviyoor Ponnamma, Saritha, Babu Namboodiri

Balan, a middle class school teacher hails from a family whose male members were prone to mental disturbances in the past. His uncle became a mental patient after the separation of his love reinforcing the deep-rooted belief among their family that one male from each generation will become mad. Now, it is the turn of Balan and everyone in the family watch the slightest change in his behaviour as a sign of him getting mentally derailed.