

Vision

Vision - Aus dem Leben der Hildegard von Bingen
Germany/2009/35mm/Colour/111'/German

Direction, Screenplay: Margarethe von Trotta

Producer: Markus Zimmer

Cinematography: Axel Block

Editing: Corina Dietz

Sound: Michael Busch

Cast: Barbara Sukowa, Heino Ferch, Hannah Herzsprung,
Alexander Held, Lena Stolze,
Mareile Blendl

Indian
Premiere 



Awards/Festivals

Telluride Film Festival, Toronto International Film Festival

Rome International Film Festival

The story of Hildegard von Bingen, the 12th-century visionary nun, who by all means was a woman ahead of her time. Composer of almost 80 symphonies, scientist, doctor, writer, poet, mystic, philosopher, politician and ecological activist, she invented a revolutionary and humanist approach to devotion. Hildegard's musical, literary and philosophical works are still loved and her influence in holistic medicine is growing. She was also the first woman to write about female sexuality. Centuries later, masters such as Dante and Leonardo di Vinci were inspired by her works. Hildegard of Bingen was one the most important inspirational and visionary female leaders of the Medieval age, responsible for bringing Europe out of the darkness and into the modern era of science and enlightenment.