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CZECH REPUBLIC THROUGH FILM

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Burning Bush. (2013). Director: Agnieszka Holland.

A harsh exploration of Soviet rule and the local Czech collaborators and their repression of the civilian population in 1969.

Canone Inverso. (2000). Director: Ricky Tognazzi.

An Italian movie about a violin that changed hands over the course of three generations; set in Prague during World War II and the 'Prague Spring' 25 years later.

Closely Watched Trains. (1966). Director: Jirí Menzel.

It tells the story of a young man working as a train dispatcher in Nazi-occupied Czechoslovakia.

Nicky's Family. (2011). Director: Matej Minac.

A documentary about Nicholas Winston, an Englishman who rescued 669 Czech and Slovak children right before the outbreak of World War II.

A Trial in Prague. (2000). Director: Zuzana Justman.

A movie about the rise of communism in Czechoslovakia and a staged trial of 14 people who were charged with espionage and treason.