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HUNGARY THROUGH FILMS

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Sunshine. (1999). Director: István Szabó

The remarkable story of a three-generation Hungarian Jewish family in the 20th century.

Killing Kasztner. (2008). Director: Gaylen Ross

A documentary about Israel Kasztner, a Hungarian Jew who negotiated with Adolf Eichmann in an attempt to free thousands of Jews. He was involved in a dramatic trial in Israel and assassinated in Tel Aviv.

Gloomy Sunday. (1999). Director: Rolf Schübel

Set in Budapest in the 1930's, this is a triangle love story involving confusing human relationships.

Music Box. (1989). Director: Costa Gavras

A story of a lawyer who defends her Hungarian-American father accused of war crimes, loosely based on the real life case of John Demjanjuk and Joe Eszterhas's (the movie writer) own life.