



Irvine Multicultural Association

The IMA International Film Series presents an award winning
Motion-picture filmed in 24 countries

BARAKA

Friday, January 29, 2010 6:00 to 9:00 pm

Council Chamber, Irvine City Hall,

1 Civic Center Plaza, Irvine 92606

FREE ADMISSION, seating limited to first 200 guests

Synopsis of motion picture. **Baraka** means blessing: the breath or essence of life from which the evolutionary process unfolds. It is a transcendently poetic and meditative visual tour of the globe, with images from 24 different countries, told without words and accompanied only by world music.

This film encompasses a variety of religious rituals, forms of architecture, nature and humanity in states of both harmony and calamity. Baraka displays the uniquely exotic as well as the universal commonalities of all cultures. It also includes groundbreaking moonlit time-lapse views of Angkor Wat by filmmaker Ron Fricke. This film premiered in Los Angeles in 1992, and was not shown in Orange County theaters at that time.

For more Information, please contact Tom Stewart - stewartarchitect@gmail.com

Complimentary refreshments prior to the screening

Discussion immediately following the movie



The Irvine Multicultural Association is a non-profit public benefit California Corporation. Our mission is to enhance the harmony between people of different cultural backgrounds who live and work in Irvine. We have sponsored an International Film Series for many years to give our members and guests an opportunity to see dramatic presentations of the cultural characteristics of the people who make up the mosaic of our community.

We present outstanding motion pictures that depict some of the important elements of the lives of people from various cultures. The main criterion for the choice of our films is educational purposes. We always have a guest speaker to talk about the films just prior to screening and to lead an active discussion immediately following. Be prepared to join us as we learn more about the cultural background of our neighbors, friends, and coworkers. The IMA is a membership organization. Please pick of a membership application at the screening.

Membership Categories	Annual Dues
Seniors (Aged 55 and older)	\$15
Regular members	\$25
Family (husband and wife)	\$35
Life membership —One Time Payment	\$200
The Irvine Multicultural Association, Inc. Dues Schedule for 2009-2010	

