



IL DUCE CANADESE

A
**CINE
TELE** ACTION
PRODUCTION

Starring TONY NARDI, MARINA ORSINI, GIANPAOLO VENUTA, DINO TAVARONE, JOE PINGUE, RON LEA,
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Produced by CLAUDIO LUCA Directed by GILES WALKER

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Based on real events, *Il Duce Canadese* is a four hour dramatic mini-series that follows the experiences of the fictional Alvaro family as they struggle to survive these trying times. It is the story of how Angelo, Mario and Momo came to be considered a threat to national security, were arrested by the RCMP and held prisoner in the camp. It follows Sara and Turi, who strain to keep the bakery afloat in a community impoverished by the arrest of its men and the effects of anti-Italian prejudice. It traces the predatory actions of Mazzotta as he takes advantage of the situation to both save his own skin and pursue Sara. *Il Duce Canadese* shows a family and community trying to come to terms with events over which it had no control, and throws light on a little-known chapter in history, which has new relevance for the world today.

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