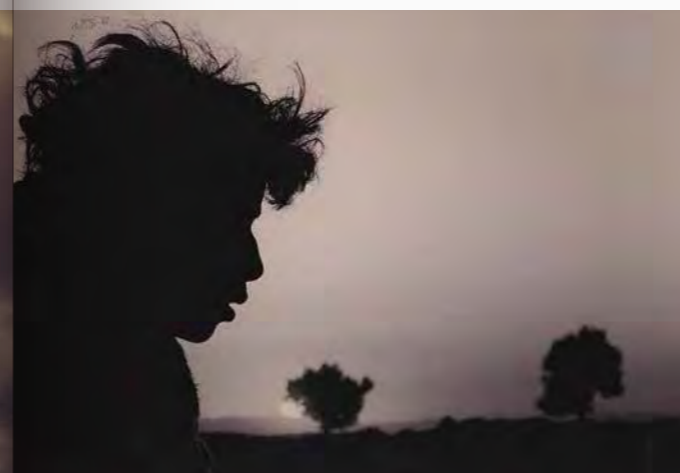


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# GENESIS

(THE CREATION AND THE FLOOD)

## INFO

**Year:** 1994

**Format:** TV movie 1 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube, Lux Vide e Betafilm  
in association with RAI Radiotelevisione  
Italiana – RAI UNO Antena 3 - BSkyB -  
France 2 - NCRVe ORF

## SYNOPSIS

A sage recounts the great stories from the Book of Genesis to his wide-eyed grandson and nomads around a desert campfire; The creation of man and woman, the original sin, the expulsion of Adam and Eve from Paradise, Cain's murder of Abel, the condemnation of God, the spread of corruption and evil, God's rage at man's sin, the choosing of Noah, the building of the Ark, and the Great Flood.

## CAST

**Nomad Shepherd:** Omero Antonutti

## CREW

**Directed by:** Ermanno Olmi

**Screenplay:** Ermanno Olmi

# ABRAHAM

## INFO

**Year:** 1993

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube, Lux and Betafilm in association with Turner Pictures Inc.

## SYNOPSIS

The first chapter in the story of Salvation. Rather than choosing a great leader or king, God chooses Abraham, an elderly shepherd and man of great faith, to establish his Covenant with mankind. For Abraham, God's greatest promise is that his family will continue through the line of his son, Isaac. But God tests Abraham's faith by commanding him to do the unthinkable...

## CAST

**Abraham:** Richard Harris

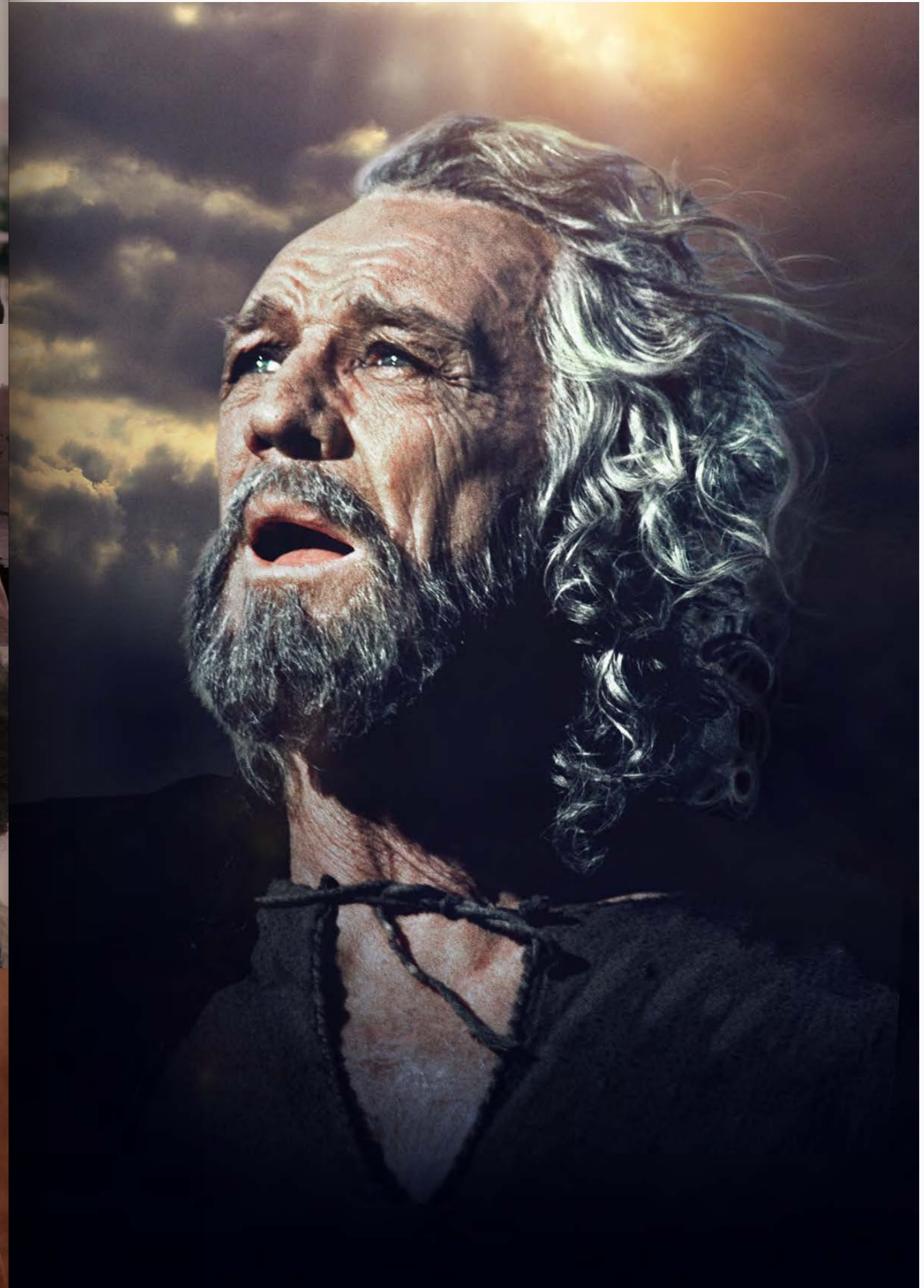
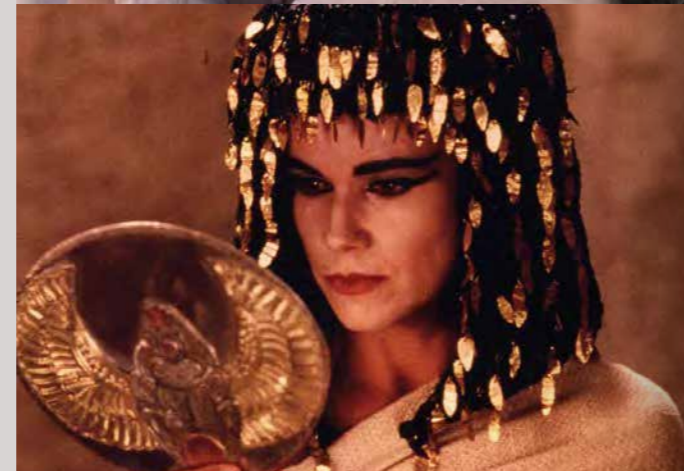
**Sarah:** Barbara Hershey

**Pharaoh:** Maximilian Schell

## CREW

**Directed by:** Joseph Sargent

**Teleplay:** Robert Mckee





# DAVID

## INFO

**Year:** 1997

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lux Vide, Betafilm Turner Pictures and QUINTA for a production of LUBE in association with Rai Uno, France 2, Antena 3, ARD, MTM, Czech TV, NCRV and BSkyB

## SYNOPSIS

David is a simple shepherd boy chosen as King of Israel under the watchful eyes of the prophets Samuel and Nathan. His rise to power is met with tests of adversity – from the battle with the Philistine giant Goliath, to a personal threat from King Saul. David's 40-year rule is driven by unstoppable ego, unwavering desire, a drunken sense of entitlement, and is plagued by tremendous battles, betrayals and loss.

## CAST

**Saul:** Jonathan Pryce

**David:** Nathaniel Parker

**Samuele:** Leonard Nimoy

## CREW

**Directed by:** Robert Markowitz

**Screenplay:** Larry Gross

# JACOB

## INFO

**Year:** 1994

**Format:** TV movie 1 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube in association with Turner Pictures Inc., Lux Vide, Betafilm and RAI Uno

## SYNOPSIS

Jacob's life – how he usurped his brother Esau's birthright and blessing, his courtship of Rachel and the deception of Rachel's father on their wedding night, the pillow of stone, the ladder to heaven, wrestling with God – is set against the heartache and hope of his relationship with the woman he seems destined to never possess. Sustained by his faith in God and his love for Rachel, Jacob perseveres...and becomes the father of the twelve tribes of Israel.

## CAST

**Jacob:** Matthew Modine

**Rachel:** Lara Flynn Boyle

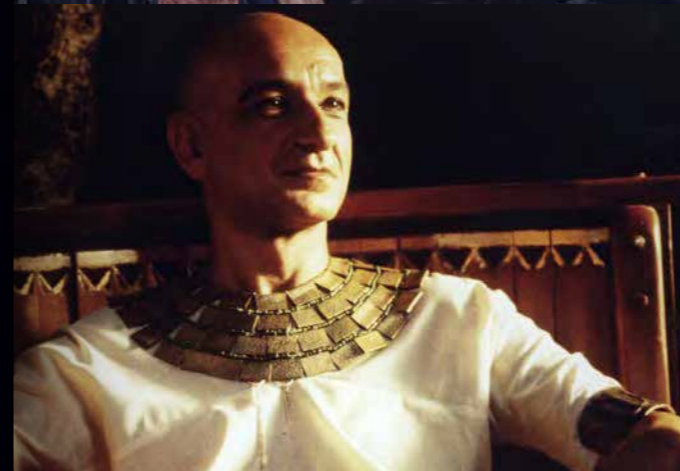
**Esau:** Sean Bean

## CREW

**Directed by:** Peter Hall

**Screenplay:** Lionel Chetwynd





# JOSEPH

## INFO

**Year:** 1995

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube, Turner Pictures Inc.  
Lux Vide, Betafilm in association with  
France 2 RAIUNO, ORF, ANTENA 3,  
CZECH TV, MTM, NCRV e BSKYB

## SYNOPSIS

Joseph, sold into slavery by his brothers, uses his gift for divining dreams to rise from a slave to Pharaoh's most trusted aide, saving Egypt from seven years of famine.

## CAST

**Joseph:** Paul Mercurio

**Putifar:** Ben Kingsley

**Wife of Putifar:** Lesley Ann Warren

**Wife of Pharaoh:** Monica Bellucci

**Rachel:** Alice Krige

## CREW

**Directed by:** Roger Young

**Teleplay:** James Carrington

**Screenplay:** Lionel Chetwynd

# MOSES

## INFO

**Year:** 1995

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube in association with Turner Pictures Inc., Quinta Communications, France 2, Antena 3, Mtm, Czech Tv, Ncrv and BSKyB

## SYNOPSIS

Faith in God. Escape from slavery. The two great themes from the Old Testament book of Exodus are given thrilling new life in this recreation of how Moses led the children of Israel from bondage in Egypt to freedom in the Promised Land. Moses' story is told in all the glory and spectacle: his childhood in Pharaoh's court, God's voice from the burning bush, the dreadful plagues, the parting of the Red Sea, the bestowing of the Ten Commandments, and the long-awaited return to Canaan.

## CAST

**Moses:** Ben Kingsley

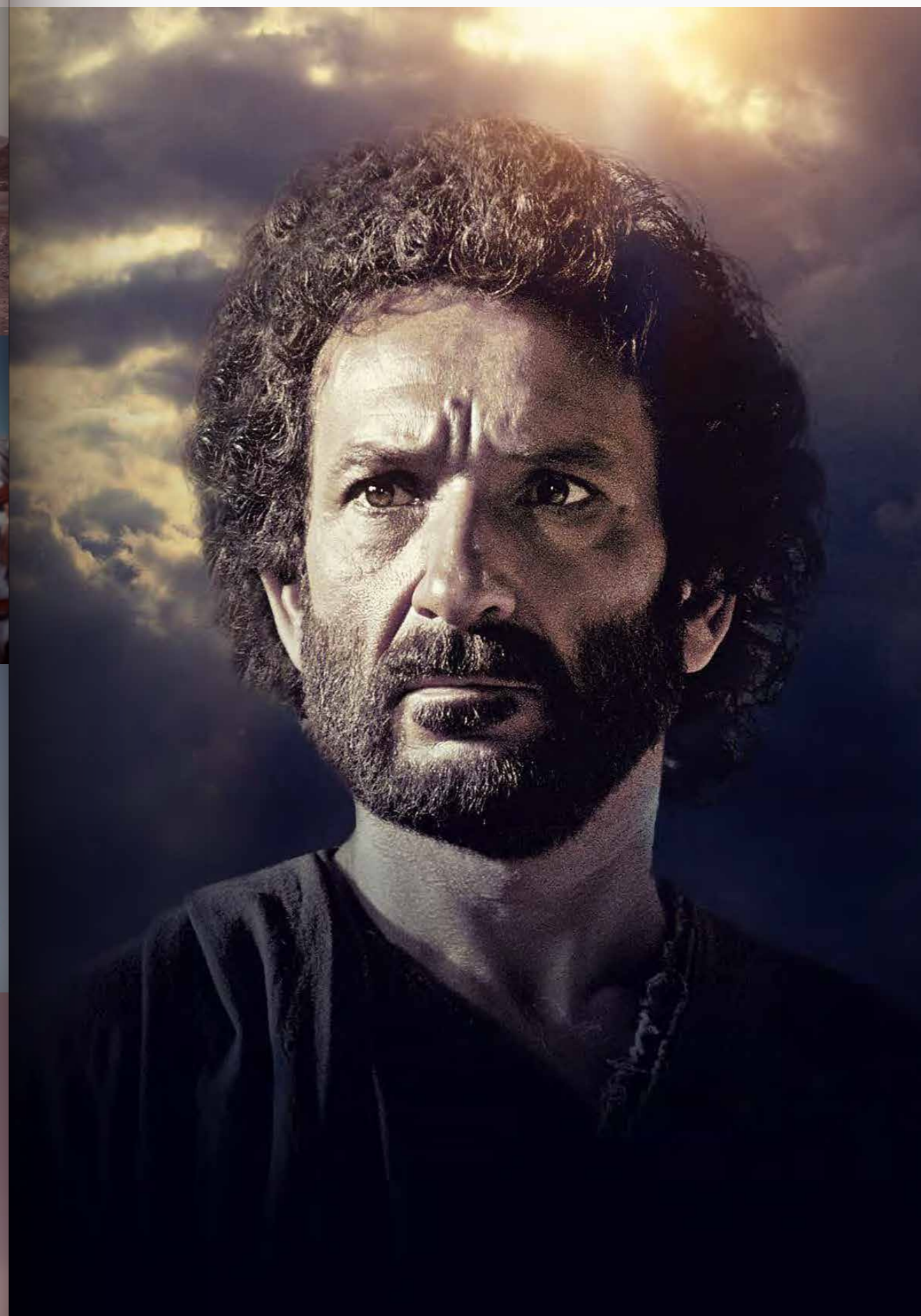
**Mernefta:** Frank Langella

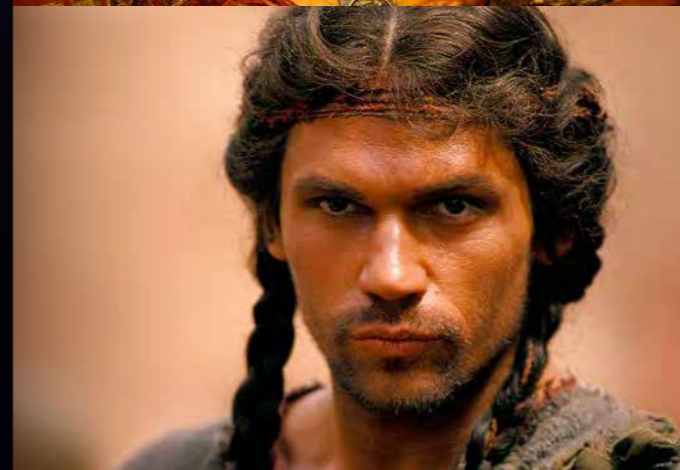
**Pharaoh:** Christopher Lee

## CREW

**Directed by:** Roger Young

**Screenplay:** Lionel Chetwynd





# SAMSON & DELILAH

## INFO

**Year:** 1996

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube in association with Lux Vide, Betafilm, Rai and Turner

## SYNOPSIS

Samson is a simple shepherd with the strength of a titan and the destiny to fight General Tariq and his army of Philistines. Delilah is a Philistine beauty, torn between her love for the shepherd and loyalty to her people. As told in the Old Testament, Delilah's betrayal of Samson forced him into slavery. But Samson's epic revenge vanquished his Philistine foes and made him one of the greatest heroes of the Bible.

## CAST

**Samson:** Eric Thal

**Delilah:** Elizabeth Hurley

**General Tariq:** Dennis Hopper

**King Hanun:** Michael Gambon

**Mara:** Diana Rigg

## CREW

**Directed:** Nicolas Roeg

**Screenplay:** Allan Scott



# JEREMIAH

## INFO

**Year:** 1998

**Format:** TV movie 1 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube, Lux Vide, Betafilm in association with France 2, Antena 3, Ard, Mtm, Czech Tv, Ncrv, BSKyB and Raiuno

## SYNOPSIS

The story of the prophet who abandons his family and the woman he loves, in order to relay God's message in Jerusalem. Although he is persecuted and branded as a traitor for warning others of the destruction of the Holy City, he continues fearlessly with his mission. When his prophecy is fulfilled, he witnesses Jerusalem's destruction at the hands of the Babylonians.

## CAST

**Jeremiah:** Patrick Dempsey

**General Safan:** Oliver Reed

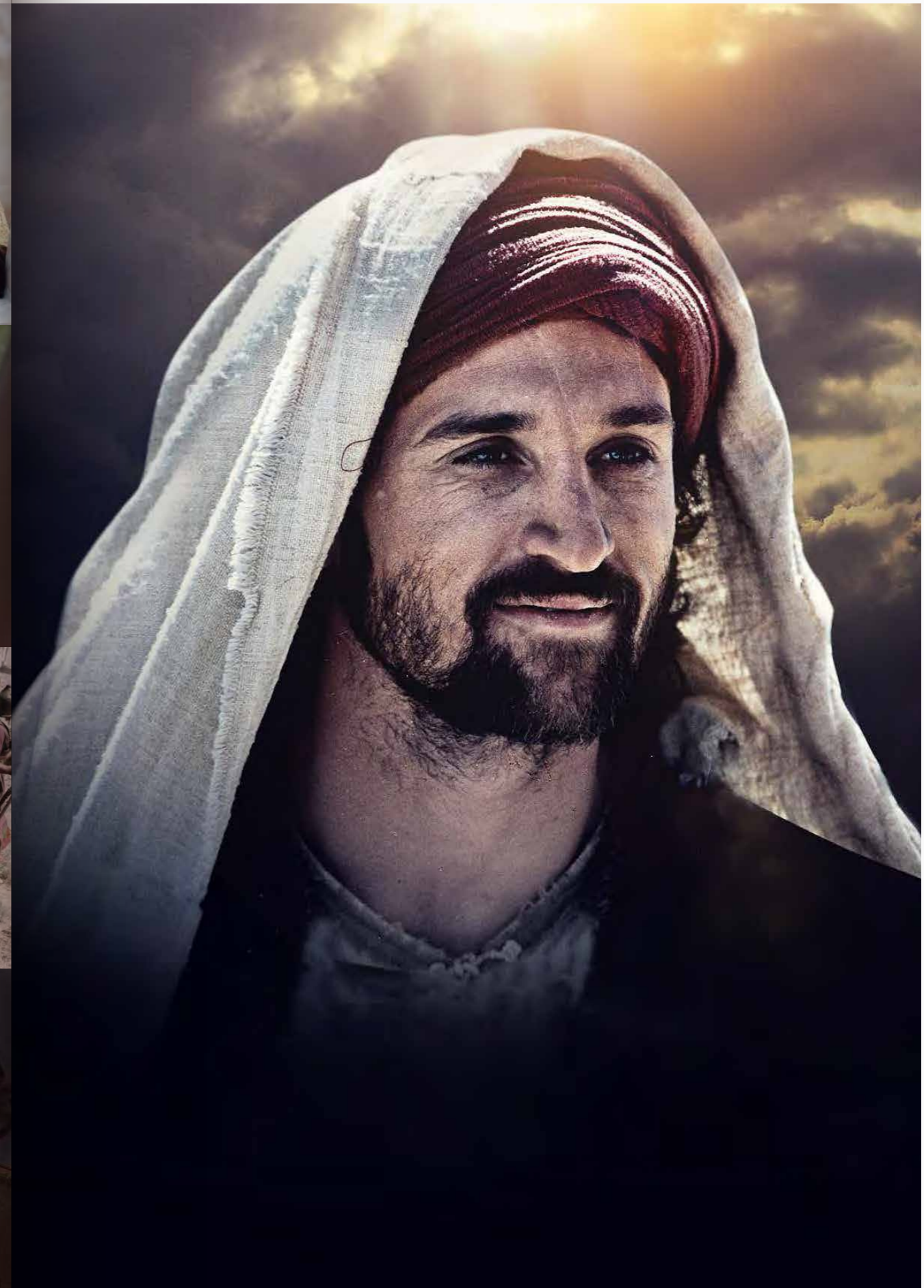
**Nabucodonosor:** Klaus Maria Brandauer

## CREW

**Directed by:** Harry Winer

**Screenplay:** Harry Winer

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# ESTHER

## INFO

**Year:** 1999

**Format:** TV movie 1 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube in association with France 2, Antena 3, Ard, Mtm, Czech tv, Ncrv, BskyB and Raiuno

## SYNOPSIS

Esther, an Judean orphan raised by Mordecai, is chosen from all the maidens in Persia to become queen. While becoming a queen is where most fairy tales end, this is just the beginning of the true story of the courageous heroine who risked her life to save her people from the wicked prince Haman.

## CAST

**Esther:** Louise Lombard

**Mordecai:** F. Murray Abraham

**Haman:** Jurgen Prochnow

## CREW

**Directed by:** Raffaele Mertes

**Screenplay:** Sandy Niemand

# SAINT PAUL

## INFO

**Year:** 2000

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lux Vide, Lube, KirchMedia,  
in association with Rai Fiction

## SYNOPSIS

Originally known as Paul of Tarsus, he tortured and persecuted Christians until he experienced a vision of Jesus that forever changed his life. After converting to Christianity, Paul suffered persecution and imprisonment, but never stopped trying to spread the teachings of Christ in this tale of redemption and forgiveness.

## CAST

**Paul:** Johannes Brandrup

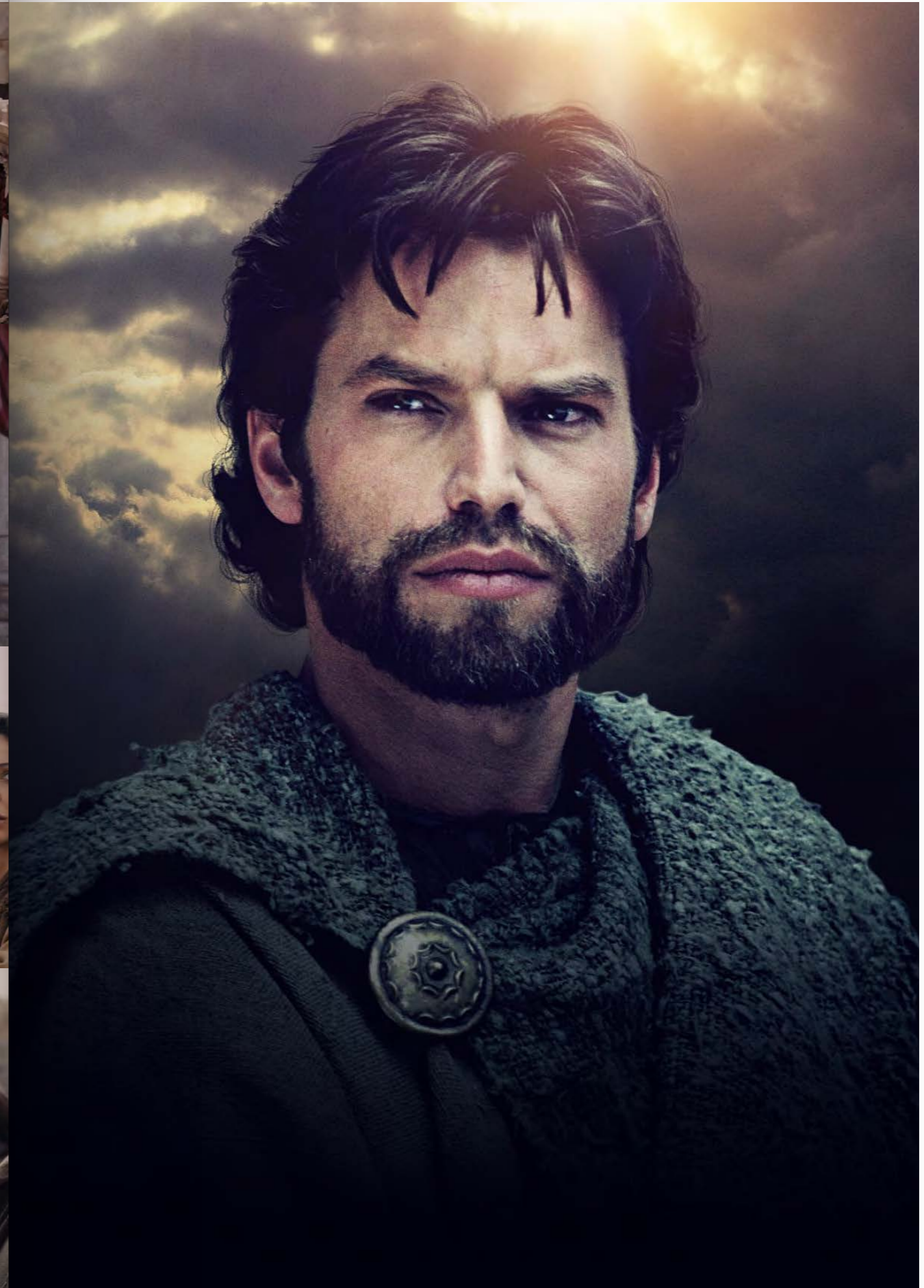
**Peter:** Ennio Fantastichini

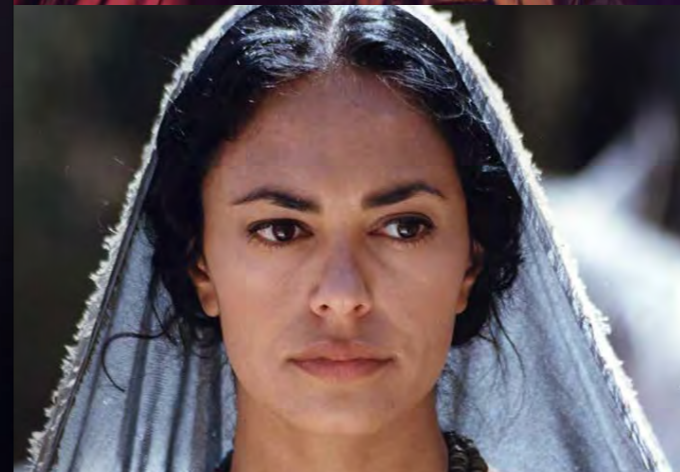
**Ruben:** Thomas Lockyer

## CREW

**Directed by:** Roger Young

**Screenplay:** Gareth Jones





# SOLOMON

## INFO

**Year:** 1997

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube, Lux Vide, Quinta e Betafilm in association with Raiuno, France 2, Antena 3, Ard, Mtm, Czech Tv, Ncrv e Bskyb

## SYNOPSIS

Solomon is crowned King of Israel and rules the land with love, peace and respect. While visiting the city, Solomon meets the beautiful Queen of Sheba and falls in love. When she returns to her homeland, Solomon falls into a deep depression, departing from his once idyllic world of peace and luxury while his kingdom threatens to collapse.

## CAST

**Solomon:** Ben Cross

**Regina di Saba:** Vivica A. Fox

**David:** Max Von Sidow

## CREW

**Directed by:** Roger Young

**Screenplay:** Bradley T. Winter

# JESUS

## INFO

**Year:** 1999

**Format:** Miniseries 2 x 90'

**Co-production:** Lube for Lux Vide, Betafilm, Five Mile River Film and Quinta Communications, in association with Rai Fiction, France 2, Antena 3, Ard, Mtm, Czech tv, Ncrv and BSKyB

## SYNOPSIS

Witness Jesus' journey from simple carpenter to spiritual leader, philosopher and martyr –focusing on his compassionate teachings as well as his relationships with with parents Mary and Joseph, his apostles, Mary Magdalene, his Roman and Pharisee persecutors, and the heavenly father.

## CAST

**Jesus:** Jeremy Sisto

**Mary:** Jacqueline Bisset

**Joseph:** Armin Mueller Stahl

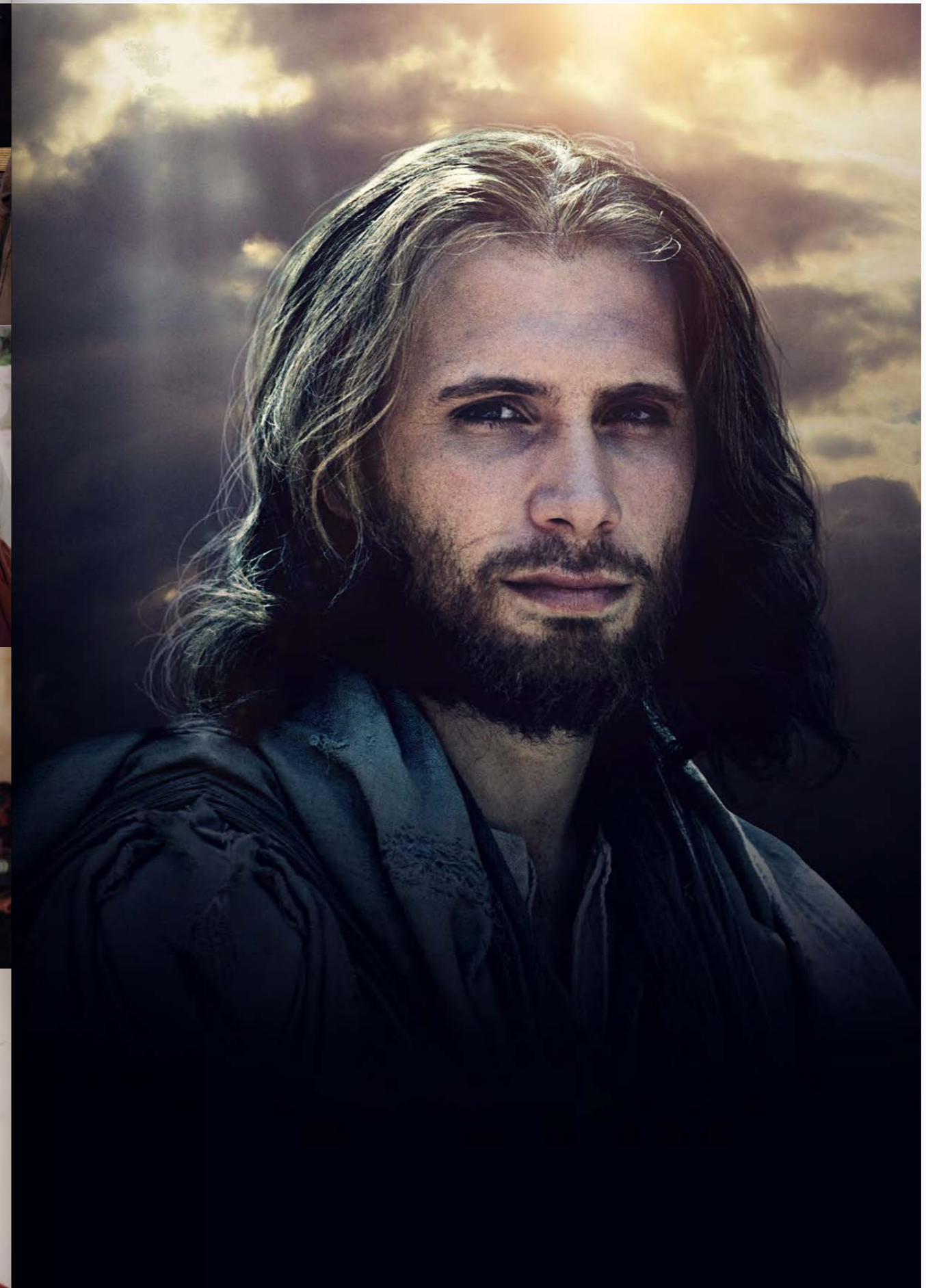
**Mary Magdalene:** Debra Messing

**Pontius Pilate:** Gary Oldman

## CREW

**Directed by:** Roger Young

**Screenplay:** Suzette Couture



A wide-angle photograph of a sunset over a vast field of tall, golden-brown grass. The sun is a bright, glowing orb on the right side of the horizon, casting a long, warm glow across the sky and the field. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds, transitioning from a deep blue at the top to a bright yellow near the horizon. The overall mood is peaceful and serene.

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