

MR ROSSI FILMS SYNOPSIS

AN AWARD FOR MR ROSSI

Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1960
Lenght 12'
Format 16mm.
Film kodakchrome

Genre disegni animati
Script Bruno Bozzetto
Direction Bruno Bozzetto

Animation Sergio Chesani, Giancarlo Bassi

Background Giancarlo Cereda Music Pier Emilio Bassi Dialogue Without dialogue

Synopsis

Mister Rossi, caught by a sudden passion for film-making, makes up his mind and finally buys a video-camera filming all what surrounds him as a suitable scenario.

After editing and giving it a soundtrack, he sends his humble film to a Festival which obviously turns it down. Caught by anger, he grabs the film, spoils it, cuts it, scratches and smears it. The new movie accidentally ends up at the same Festival where this time it wins an Oscar.

MR ROSSI GOES SKIING

Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1963
Lenght 12'
Format 16mm.
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Genre disegni animati
Script Bruno Bozzetto
Direction Bruno Bozzetto

Animation Guido Manuli, Giancarlo Cereda

Background Giancarlo Cereda

Shooting Luciano Marzetti, Roberto Scarpa

Editing Vittorio Pazzaglia

Music Enzo Jannacci, Paolo Tomelleri

Language Without dialogue



Synopsis

Mister Rossi goes to the mountains for a weekend, giving start to a chain of astounding skiing adventures. At the end of the day, a stunning ski jump launches him straight through the window into his hotel bedroom. The short ends by showing Mister Rossi on his way back home after having set on fire all of his skiing equipment.

MR ROSSI AT THE SEASIDE

Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1964 Lenght 12' Format 16mm.

Film kodakchrome Genre disegni animati Script Guido Manuli Direction Bruno Bozzetto Animation Franco Martelli Background Giancarlo Cereda Shooting Luciano Marzetti **Editing** Vittorio Pazzaglia

Music Enzo Jannacci, Paolo Tomelleri

Language Without dialogue

Synopsis

Mister Rossi, feeling the dreadful heat of a summer spent in town, starts dreaming and planning a well-deserved holiday at the seaside, that starts with a desperate search of one little sunny spot on a very crowded beach. Nearly all of his adventures will be turned into misadventures ending at night in the hotel room where even a mosquito has thought of pestering Mister Rossi giving him a sleepless night.

MR ROSSI BUYS A CAR

Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1966 Lenght 12' Format 16mm.

Film kodakchrome Genre disegni animati



Script Sergio Crivellaro
Direction Bruno Bozzetto

Animation Giuseppe Lagana' - Franco Martelli, Guido Manuli

Background Giovanni Mulazzani - Giancarlo Cereda Shooting Luciano Marzetti - Roberto Scarpa

Editing Giancarlo Rossi
Music Giampiero Boneschi
Language Without dialogue

Synopsis

Leaving his office, Mister Rossi suddenly realizes that nearly everyone out there owns a car. Feeling inferior to the others, he manages to get the driving license and, by paying tons of bills, he also gets a car. Rossi, as a new car driver on the road, starts going through all sorts of misadventures dealing with traffic, pedestrians and mechanic failures. The animated short ends when Mister Rossi is caught into the umpteenth accident which sends him to hospital to get his own failures fixed!

MR ROSSI AT CAMPING

Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1970
Lenght 12'
Format 16mm.
Film kodakchrome
Genre disegni animati

Script Bruno Bozzetto, Guido Manuli

Direction Bruno Bozzetto

Animation Guido Manuli, Franco Martelli - Massimo Vitetta

Background Giancarlo Cereda

Shooting Luciano Marzetti, Nando Bellani

Editing Giancarlo Rossi
Music Franco Godi
Dialogue Without dialogue

Synopsis

Mister Rossi now has to cope with Camping problems. He first enthusiastically throws himself into this new



experience but soon he realizes that the noisy civilization has reached even the most remote areas urging him to hide at the foot of a huge dam. Unfortunately, even the most beautiful dreams are broken at dawn when sometimes even dams are partially drained.

MR ROSSI AT THE PHOTOSAFARI

Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1972 Lenght 12' Format 16mm.

Film kodakchrome Genre disegni animati

Script and screenplay Bruno Bozzetto, Guido Manuli

Direction Bruno Bozzetto
Animation Guido Manuli
Background Giancarlo Cereda
Shooting Bruno Bozzetto
Editing Giancarlo Rossi

Music Edizioni musicali Leonardi

Language Without dialogue

Synopsis

Mister Rossi leaves for a photo safari in Africa to witness a free and primitive world. Landed in the centre of a standardized and electronic Africa, he tries in vain to take pictures at some wild animals that get punctually killed on the spot by a crowd of bloody hunters.

MR ROSSI IN VENICE

Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1974 Lenght 12' Format 16mm.

Film kodakchrome
Genre disegni animati
Script and screenplay Bruno Bozzetto
Direction Bruno Bozzetto
Animation Giorgio Valentini



Background Giancarlo Cereda
Shooting Ugo Magni
Editing Giancarlo Rossi
Music Franco Godi
Language Without dialogue

Synopsis

Against his will, Mister Rossi ends up in Venice, in a very dirty lagoon among hazardous and unsteady buildings and on board of overloaded and unsafe steamboats. To win over the typical pretty tourist, Mister Rossi unsuccessfully tries to fight against the disease which is destroying Venice, but he, too, will come out defeated.

MR ROSSI'S DREAMS

Production Bruno Bozzetto Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1975
Lenght 80'
Format 35 mm
Genre cartoon

Direction Bruno Bozzetto

Script and screenplay Bruno Bozzetto, Guido Manuli, Maurizio Nichetti Animation and Lay-out Fabio Pacifico, Giorgio Valentini, Massimo Vitetta

Animation assistant Flora Sperotto
Art direction Guido Manuli
Backgrounds Antonio Dall' Osso

Shooting Ugo Magni, Enzo Lucchesi

Soundtrack Franco Godi
Editing Giancarlo Rossi
Editing assistant Ugo Magni
Assistenza Editing Ugo Magni

Synopsis

In Mr Rossi's dreams the protagonist is worn out after a long exhausting working week. Whereas he cannot wait to spend a peaceful weekend at home, his pal dog Howard who loves movies and books pushes him to go out and have fun instead. Howard often reproaches Rossi for not being as brave and strong as Tarzan, Sherlock Holmes and Zorro. This is how Mr Rossi starts identifying with these characters who appear throughout the hilarious plot of the film.



MR ROSSI LOOKS FOR HAPPINESS

Produzione Bruno Bozzetto
Production Bruno Bozzetto

Year of production 1975
Lenght 80'
Format 35 mm
Genre cartoon

Direction Bruno Bozzetto

Script and screenplay Bruno Bozzetto, Guido Manuli, Maurizio Nichetti Animation and Lay-out Fabio Pacifico, Giorgio Valentini, Massimo Vitetta

Animation assistant Flora Sperotto
Art direction Guido Manuli
Backgrounds Antonio Dall' Osso

Shooting Ugo Magni, Enzo Lucchesi

Soundtrack Franco Godi
Editing Giancarlo Rossi
Editing assistant Ugo Magni

Synopsis

Thanks to the magic of a Good Fairy, Mr Rossi and his pal dog Howard travel through time, from prehistory to the Middle Ages, from ancient Rome to the Far West. The long journey through different epoques has only one purpose... to find Happiness.

MR ROSSI'S VACATIONS

Production Bruno Bozzetto Bruno Bruno Bozzetto Bruno B

Year of production 1978
Lenght 80'
Format 35 mm
Genre cartoon

Direction Bruno Bozzetto

Script and screenplay Bruno Bozzetto, Guido Manuli, Maurizio Nichetti Animation and Lay-out Fabio Pacifico, Giorgio Valentini, Massimo Vitetta

Animation assistant Flora Sperotto
Art direction Guido Manuli
Backgrounds Antonio Dall' Osso

Shooting Ugo Magni, Enzo Lucchesi

Soundtrack Franco Godi Editing Giancarlo Rossi



Editing assistant

Ugo Magni

Synopsis

The adventures of Mr Rossi and his pal dog Howard during their vacations. After one year of work, Mr Rossi is only searching for some relaxing time that he seems not to be able to find. On the contrary, he will run into all kinds of unexpected problems that continue to force him to flee from the place he has just picked out, travelling from a camping site to the seaside and across the countryside, from the mountains to the lake, without ever finding the so much desired and deserved rest. Eventually, exhausted after all those misadventures, he crawls back to the city with the idea of finding some peace at work for the following 11 months.

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