

ZAWAYA. TESTIMONY OF A REVOLUTION

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German premiere



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In Arabic with German surtitles

A PETTY THIEF AND REGIME-INFORMER, A NURSE, AN OFFICER, THE MOTHER OF A DEAD REBEL AND AN UNEMPLOYED HOOLIGAN. FIVE INDIVIDUALS THAT ARE RANDOMLY PICKED OUT OF THE CROWD AT THE TAHIR SQUARE IN CAIRO. ZAWAYA IS A DOCUMENTARY PLAY THAT TRIES TO PUT THE DIFFERENT ASPECTS AND PERSPECTIVES ON THE REVOLUTION IN EGYPT TOGETHER LIKE PIECES OF A PUZZLE.

The stories are mostly set during the eighteen days of the January 2011 revolution, they are not reminiscent, but rather an invitation to reflect.

Founded by Hassan El Geretly in 1987, El Warsha Theatre Company is the first independent theatre troupe in Egypt and presents performances that tend to address different themes that revolve around everyday life, in an attempt to reflect on issues that affect our society. Touring locally, and within the Arab world and beyond since 1990, El Warsha has worked to unify activities involved with art, learning and development.



SHOWS: 7th May 2016 at 7.00 p.m.

8th May 2016 at 6.00 p.m.

At the Kleines Theater in the Ruhrfestspielhaus, Otto-Burrmeister-Allee 1, 45657 Recklinghausen

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