

INDEPENDENT LENS 

GARBAGE

D R E A M S

BY MAI ISKANDER

Coming to PBS in April 2010

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PRESENTED BY:



GARBAGE DREAMS

Directed By Mai Iskander

Welcome to the world's largest garbage village located on the outskirts of Cairo, Egypt. The Zaballeen (Arabic for garbage people) recycle 80 percent of the trash they collect—far more than other recycling initiatives. But now a multi-national corporation threatens their livelihood. Follow three teenage boys born into the business who are forced to make choices that will impact the survival of their community.

**GARBAGE DREAMS WILL AIR NATIONALLY ON THE EMMY AWARD-WINNING
PBS SERIES INDEPENDENT LENS IN APRIL 2010. CHECK LOCAL LISTINGS.**



Visit the *Independent Lens* website to learn more about GARBAGE DREAMS. Share your thoughts about the film in Talkback—online at pbs.org/independentlens/garbage-dreams.

GARBAGE DREAMS was produced by Mai Iskander. The Emmy Award-winning series *Independent Lens* is jointly curated by ITVS and PBS and is funded by the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) with additional funding provided by PBS and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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