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“Vibrates with life and love.... In part, the documentary answers the question of why some couples flourish and others flounder.”

—Carrie Rickey, *The Philadelphia Inquirer*

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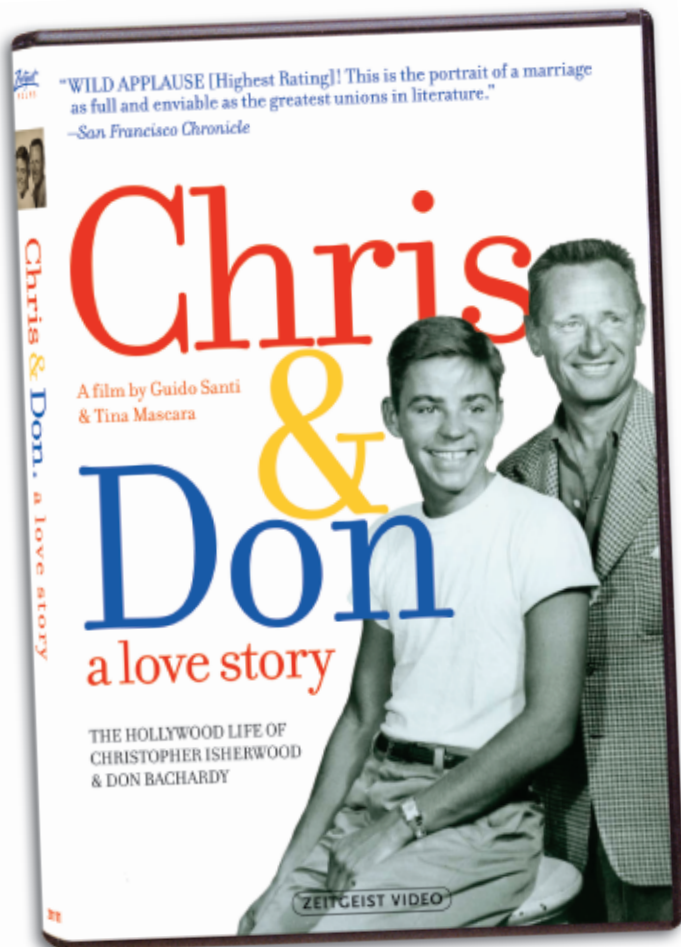
—*Slant Magazine*



Chris & Don



a love story



The Hollywood Life of Christopher Isherwood and Don Bachardy

CHRIS & DON: A LOVE STORY is the true story of the passionate three-decade relationship between British writer Christopher Isherwood (whose *Berlin Stories* was the basis for *Cabaret*) and American portrait painter Don Bachardy, thirty years his junior. Their against-all-odds saga is brought to dazzling life through contemporary reminiscences from Don and Hollywood friends such as John Boorman, Leslie Caron and Liza Minnelli; and home movies with legendary artists including W.H. Auden, Igor Stravinsky and Tennessee Williams. With Isherwood's status as an out-and-proud gay hero, and Bachardy's eventual artistic triumph away from the shadow of his life partner, CHRIS & DON: A LOVE STORY is above all a celebration of a most extraordinary couple.

DVD SPECIAL FEATURES

- ✿ 16:9 anamorphic transfer, formatted for widescreen televisions
- ✿ More of Chris and Don's home movies, including footage from the sets of *The Rose Tattoo* (1955) and King Vidor's *War and Peace* (1956)
- ✿ Deleted sequences with Don Bachardy, including an interview on gay marriage
- ✿ Deleted interviews with actress Gloria Stuart (*Titanic*), filmmaker John Boorman (*Point Blank*) and actress Leslie Caron (*Gigi*)
- ✿ “Chris by Don”: An 8-page printed monograph of Bachardy's selected paintings of Isherwood
- ✿ English subtitles for the deaf and hearing impaired
- ✿ Stereo and 5.1 soundtracks
- ✿ U.S. theatrical trailer

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—Stephen Holden,
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“WILD APPLAUSE [Highest Rating]!

This is the portrait of a marriage as full and enviable
as the greatest unions in literature.”

—*San Francisco Chronicle*

“Intimate, moving and playful.... A heady,
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