AENNE BURDA – PATTERNS OF STRENGTH (2018) - 2x90’

(BAVARIA)



Late 1940s fashion-for-the-people and publishing icon Aenne Burda remains the epitome of German reconstruction. Her vision and her self-made recipe for tenacity in the face of tumult is a thrilling case study in right place, right time.  
  
While the Germany of publishing icon Aenne Burda is in ruin at the end of the 1940s, the subsequent economic miracle puts the country quickly back on track to prosperity. Aenne dreams of her own project to bring feminine elegance back to the fore after the ravages of war. Her idea is a magazine with fashion patterns, style trends and textile tips to sew practical, tasteful garments yourself. The catch is it’s still quite a man’s world; her husband, successful publisher Franz Burda, would hear nothing of it. Aenne overcomes and utilizes the ugly discovery of a cliché affair with his secretary to emancipate herself decades before self-determination is even a whisper among progressive society.

**Cast & Crew**

Director

**Franziska Meletzky**

Key talent(s)

**Luise Wolfram, Annika Olbrich, Martina Eitner-Acheampong, Christoph Glaubacker, Cornelia Gröschel, Jean-Yves Berteloot, Michele Cuciuffo, Hans Czypionka**

Executive Producer(s)

**Sabine Tettenborn**

Producer(s)

**Maike Delbos**

Director of Photography

**Bella Halben**

WADER’S VINEYARD – (2018) - 4x90’

(BAVARIA)

**“Wader’s Vineyard – The Inheritance”** is the first installment of a new movie cycle following the ups and downs of the Wader family, while family secrets unfold after the death of the family patriarch.

After the death of her father, passionate winemaker Anne Wader is confronted with a family feud over possession of her father’s beloved vineyard. A missing will, an old family secret, jealousy and stubbornness alienate the family members from each other, only the return of Anne’s old flame gives the young woman some comfort. But then Anne makes a proposal that surprises everyone and turns her deep-rooted life upside down.

**"Wader's Vineyard - The Family Secret"**is the second installment of the movie cycle.

Winegrower Anne makes a fresh start at the neighboring winery Roscher. Of course, she still cares about the family's farm, which is now run by her mother Käthe. Unfortunately, Käthe does not have a good hand for an personal: Since Rolf Scherer leads the business, wine stocks are disappearing from the cellar.  
  
As there are also problems with the new red wine and the office and all the bookkeeping burns down, Anne suspects that someone deliberately wants to bankrupt the farm and even suspects her own brother Matthias, who has come back from Hamburg.  
  
By chance, Anne finds a letter, which contains a posthumous confession of her father: niece Jannika Wader is in fact his daughter and also has a claim on the heritage! The news hits Bruno like a bomb, who, full of fatherly pride, is celebrating Jannika's election for the Queen of Wine. Helpless, Christel has to experience how her husband and daughter turn away from her.  
  
Meanwhile, Anne faces a challenge as a mother: daughter Tori is now 17 and wants her boyfriend to be allowed to stay the nights with her. Additionally, Annes future plans with Valentin Berens strain the relationship with her blind daughter.

**Cast & Crew**

Director

**Tomy Wigand**

Key talent(s)

**Henriette Richter-Röhl, Leslie Malton, Max von Pufendorf, Caroline Hartig**

Executive Producer(s)

**Karl-Eberhard Schäfer, Norbert Walter**

Writer(s)

**Bernadette Feiler, Ania Kock**

Director of Photography

**Dominik Berg**

