

MOSCOW ON THE HUDSON

Starring Academy Award® Winner Robin Williams

Synopsis:

Soviet Circus saxophonist Vladimir Ivanoff (**Robin Williams**) tours in the United States and suddenly defects from his musical troupe while visiting the temple of "Western decadence" known as Bloomingdale's. Fleeing from the K.G.B., Vladimir is granted asylum by the U.S. government and moves into the crowded Harlem apartment of black security guard Lionel Witherspoon (**Cleavant Derricks**). Soon Ivanoff finds himself a voluptuous Italian lover, Lucia Lombardo (**Maria Conchita Alonso**), and a shrewd Cuban lawyer, Orlando Ramirez (**Alejandro Rey**). He thought his troubles were over when he defected, now he's living in New York City and his life is more difficult than he ever imagined. Though Vladimir learns that life in America can be cold and even painful, he grows to love this strange and wondrous new land.

Target Audience:

Robin Williams Fans

Notable Cast/Crew:

Starring Academy Award® winner Robin Williams (*Good Will Hunting*) with Maria Conchita Alonso (*Heart of America*), Cleavant Derricks (*The Slugger's Wife*), Alejandro Rey (*The Flying Nun*) and Saveli Kramarov (2010)

Written and directed by Oscar® nominated director Paul Mazursky (*An Unmarried Woman, Down and Out in Beverly Hills*)

Key selling points:

- Robin Williams was nominated for a Golden Globe® for Best Performance by an Actor in a Motion Picture
- The movie has 89% fresh rating on Rotten Tomatoes
- *Moscow on the Hudson* earned \$25 million at the box office in 1984 which is equivalent to over \$60 million today

"A fine original comedy-drama full of endearing performances, perceptive and bittersweet moments...Robin Williams is superb in the lead." - Leonard Maltin

"It made me feel good to be an American, and good that Vladimir Ivanoff was going to be one, too." – Roger Ebert



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