

# László (Láci) Horváth

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Born: Hungary; c1941



Salvaged from the feral state in "**VALAHOL EURÓPÁBAN**"  
Source: *The Moving Picture Boy*

## The Moving Picture Boy entry:

"László (or Láci) was the wiry little "Kuksi" of Geza Radványi's **"SOMEWHERE IN EUROPE"** – a story of homeless orphans living wild and lawless in the aftermath of war. They hole up in a ruined castle, only to find it already tenanted by an elderly and once-famous musician. In return for having his life spared (he's almost lynched on the spot) the

old aesthete tames these savage breasts with a crash course in classical music, until tragedy intervenes.

An unlikely and soppy story, but the kids are highly impressive, particularly Endre Harkányi – born 26 Mar 34 – as one of the wildest. (Apart from the unfinished "**UTTÖRŐK**", this was Harkányi's only film as a child, but he

went on to become a well-known actor in Hungary.)

With little Horváth it was the reverse: a whole string of further appearances as a kid, but nothing much afterwards.

The name of László Horváth reappears in later Hungarian films, but it's more or less the Hungarian equivalent of Tommy Jones and is not though to be the former Kuksi."

## FILMOGRAPHY

| Year                                                                       | Age | Title                                        | Role                                  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 47                                                                         | 6   | VALAHOL EURÓPABAN<br>("Somewhere in Europe") | as "Kuksi" with <i>Endre Harkanyi</i> |
| 48                                                                         | 7   | MAGNAS MISKA<br>("Miska the Magnate")        |                                       |
| 49                                                                         | 8   | UTTOROK<br>("Young Pioneers")                | with <i>Endre Harkanyi</i>            |
| 49                                                                         |     | DISZMAGYAR<br>("The Dress Suit") ?           |                                       |
| 51                                                                         | 10  | TELJES GOZZEL<br>("Full Steam Ahead")        |                                       |
| 52                                                                         | 11  | ERKEL                                        |                                       |
| 53                                                                         | 12  | IFJU SZIVVEL<br>("Young at Heart")           |                                       |
| 54                                                                         | 13  | EN ES A NAGYAPAM<br>("Me and Grandpa")       | with <i>Kálmán Koletár</i>            |
| 54                                                                         |     | FEL A FEJJEL<br>("Chin Up!")                 | with <i>Peter Benko</i>               |
| [some of these sound decidedly dubious translations of the original title] |     |                                              |                                       |