

The Escape Artist

US : 1982 : dir. Caleb Deschanel : Orion : 104 min
prod: Doug Claybourne & Buck Houghton : scr: Melissa Mathison & Stephen Zito
: dir.ph.: Stepfien H Burum

[Griffin O'Neal](#)
Raul Julia; Desiderio Arnaz; Teri Garr; Joan Hackett; Gabriel Dell; John P Ryan; Hal Williams;
Jackie Coogan; Elizabeth Daily; M Emmett Walsh; Helen Page Camp; David Clennon

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Whatever happened to Jackie Coogan? He grew jowls and opened a magic shop, that's what.
Source: The Moving Picture Boy



His sideline as manicurist was not a great success with the public...

Source: John Willis Screen World 1983

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(ORION) Producers, Doug Claybourne, Buck Houghton; Director, Caleb Deschanel; Executive Producers, Francis Coppola, Fred R-; Screenplay, Mellissa Mathison, Stephen Zito; Based on novel by David Wagoner; Photography, Stepfien H. Burum; Designer, Dean Tayoulsris; Editor, Arthur Schnriat; Music, Georges Delerue; Art Directors, Angelo Graham, James Murakaini; Assistant Directors, Michael Haley, Andy Anderson, Mark Radcliffe; Costumes, Gloria Gresham; A Zoetrope Studios production in Technicolor and Dolby Stereo; 104 minutes; Rated PG; May release.

CAST

Stu Quinones Raul Julia
 Danny Masters Griffin O'Neal
 Mayor Quinones Desiderio Arnaz
 Ariene Teri Garr
 Aunt Sibyl Joan Hackett
 Uncle Burke Gabriel Dell
 Vernon John P. Ryan
 Sandra Elizabeth Daily
 Fritz M. Emmet Walsh
 Magic Shop Owner Jackie Coogan

@ at ma@or's office Hal Williams
 Neighbor Helen Page Camp
 Newspaper David Clennon
 Sax Player Harry Caesar
 Turnkey Huntz Hall
 Harry Masters Harry Anderson
 Water Commissioner George Brengel
 Treasurer's Secretary Carlin Glynn
 Secretary at newspaper otce Isabel Cooley
 Madbox Cop Tom Sinnorelli
 JafI Trustee George tero
 Jadmate Harry Cohn
 Cop at bridal shop James Howard
 Reporters R. Wayne Kruse, Margaret Ladd
 M.C T.. Mahoney
 Drummer G. K. Marshall
 Photographer Doug McGrath
 Woman at club Susi Sherman

Top: Desiderio Arnaz, Raul Julia
 Below: Julla, Teri Garr
 Top Right: Jackie Coogan, Griffin O'Neal, Teri Garr

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[no listing in "Halliwell's Film Guide", "Leonard Maltin's Movie and Video Guide 2001", "Speelfilm Encyclopedie", "The Critics' Film Guide", "The Good Film and Video Guide", "Movies on TV and Videocassette 1988-89", "Rating the Movies (1990)", "The Sunday Times Guide to Movies on Television", "The Time Out

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