

# The Eye of Rudra



The Eye of Rudra is a special documentary that shows our timeless and passionate desire to rise above the mediocrity that surrounds our modern lives. It's a story about men and women who are smart and wacky enough to create a totally idealized temporary society.



In February of 1998, planning began on the Temple of Rudra, a ritual opera with over 300 people that was performed at the Burning Man festival in the Nevada desert. Digital filmmaker Dean Mermell and a small crew chronicled the project from its inception through its only performance, revealing in the process a slice of "chaos culture" that was unique to San Francisco at that time.



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