

ALLIGATOR TEARS CATALOG TEXTS & FILM SPECS

SYNOPSIS

Three pairs of mothers and daughters act out scenes from the classic Bette Davis melodrama *Now, Voyager*. Lines are forgotten, nobody seems to be in control of the set. What began as an attempt to see if films like *Now, Voyager* have any relevance today descends into something more personal, and more confusing. Where is Bette Davis when you really need her?

DIRECTOR'S STATEMENT

"Alligators have the right idea. They eat their young." —*Mildred Pierce*

BIOGRAPHY

Theresa Schwartzman was born in Baltimore in 1968. She studied directing at UCLA and currently lives in Los Angeles where she works as a researcher for film & television projects.

FILMOGRAPHY

Alligator Tears (2013)

CREDITS

Director: Theresa Schwartzman

Cinematographer: Juli Kang

Second Camera: James Yuan

Editing: Theresa Schwartzman

Cast: Andrea Caro, Diana Caro, Francesca Caro, Angela Sostre, Regina Romiti, Jade Alexandra, Annie Blairs

TECHNICAL SPECS

USA, 2013

Running time: 23:24

Shooting formats: 16mm, Mini-DV, Hi8

Final screening format: DCP

Aspect ratio: 1.37:1

Language: English

Subtitles: none