

# KRALJ THE KING



redatelj / director: **Dean Aćimović**; scenarist / screenwriter:  
Dean Aćimović; snimatelji / camera: Dario Hacek;  
montaža / editing: Vladimir Gojun; producent / producer:  
Dean Aćimović; zemlja / country of origin: Hrvatska / Croatia;  
godina / year of production: 2011.; trajanje / duration: 71 min.

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**D**arko Kralj je hrvatski paraolimpijac i stopostotni invalid. 1991. godine u teškom ranjavanju gubi lijevu nogu. Četrnaest dana leži u koma, liječnici mu jedva spašavaju život, a nedugo nakon toga ostavlja ga supruga. Ponovno uči hodati i jedva se odupire depresiji. Danas je svjetski i olimpijski prvak u bacanju kugle! Svjetski je rekorder. Jedini je sportaš u povijesti sporta, koji je na najvećem svjetskom natjecanju, Paraolimpijskim igrama 2008. godine u Pekingu, u samo jednom danu rušio svjetski rekord čak pet puta zaredom.

*Darko Kralj is a member of Croatian Paralympic Team and a hundred percent invalid person. In 1991 he was badly wounded and lost his left leg. He was in a coma for fourteen days, the doctors hardly saved his life, and shortly after that his wife left him. He started learning how to walk again and kept fighting against depression. Now he is the World and Olympic Champion in shot put! He is the World Record holder. He is the only athlete in the history of sport who has brought down the world record five times in a row in a single day at the Paralympic Games in 2008 in Beijing.*

#### **Festivals i nagrade**

Film je premijerno prikazan na Međunarodnom filmskom festivalu u Solunu u Grčkoj. Prikazan je na festivalima u Kievu i Vukovaru.

#### **Festivals and Awards**

The Film had the premiere at the International Film Festival in Salonika, Greece. Presented also at festivals in Kiev and Vukovar.