



MLADI U SRČU
YOUNG @ HEART



redatelj / director: **Stephen Walker**; scenarist / screenwriter: Stephen Walker; snimatelj / cameraman: Ed Marritz;
montaža / editing: Chris King; producent / producer: Sally George-Walker George Films; zemlja / county of origin: Great
Britain / Velika Britanija; godina / year of production: 2007.; trajanje / duration: 107 min

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The Young @ Heart Chorus je mješoviti zbor iz Northamptona u Massachusettsu. Na međunarodnoj glazbenoj sceni pročuli su se jedinstvenim izvedbama pjesama grupa kao što su Sonic Youth, Ramones i Clash. Međutim, ne radi se o grupi tinejdžera iz garaže koji prekopavaju klasičnu pankersku pjesmaricu: zbor Young @ Heart čini dvadeset i dvoje umirovljenika čija je prosječna dob osamdeset godina. Pod vodstvom dirigenta Boba Cilmana već 25 godina privlače pažnju nadahnutim a capella obradama rock'n'roll standarda. Britanski filmaš Stephen Walker proveo je nekoliko tjedana s članovima zbora dok su uvježbavali za redovni godišnji koncert u Northamptonu, a proizvod je dokumentarac koji pokazuje svu zahtjevnost njihovih proba, evocira životne priče članova zbora i slavi njihove napore da ostanu aktivni i optimistični, čak i dok zbog starosti ostaju bez prijatelja.

The Young@Heart Chorus is a vocal group from Northampton, MA, who have earned an international reputation for their unique interpretations of songs by Sonic Youth, the Ramones, and the Clash. However, this isn't a teenage garage band attacking the classic punk rock songbook - the Young@Heart Chorus is comprised of 22 senior citizens whose average age is 80, and under director Bob Cilman they've gained a degree of fame for their enthusiastic a cappella renditions of well-known rock & roll tunes. Filmmaker Stephen Walker spent several weeks with the members of the Young@Heart Chorus as they rehearsed for their annual concert in Northampton, and Young@Heart is a documentary which offers a look at their rigorous rehearsal process, the background of several members, and their efforts to stay active and think positive, even as their friends succumb to old age.