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BUÑUEL: A SURREALIST FILMMAKER

BUÑUEL, UN CINEASTA SURREALISTA

## **Director**

Javier Espada

Spain / 2021 / Spanish / 83 minutes / DCP / Colour, B&W

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Shocking the world with his first short film, *Un Chien Andalou*, Luis Buñuel has retained his enduring influence as the precursor of surrealist cinema. Sharing his birthplace of Calanda with the legendary Spanish maestro, Javier Espada pays nostalgic tribute in this engaging documentary. Full of intimate and revealing photographs of Buñuel's childhood, this biopic takes us deep into the lost world of his youth and his evolution as a creator, providing an unprecedented window into his vision of the world, through his distinctive cinema of the absurd and desire.

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