



ATTACK AND RETREAT ITALIANI BRAVA GENTE

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The first trains carrying Italian soldiers arrive in the Soviet Union during grain-harvest season. The Soviet Army withdrew during the initial German onslaught that spearheaded the invasion. The newly arrived Italian soldiers wonder at the size of the Soviet countryside that seems to never end.

DIRECTOR	GIUSEPPE DE SANTIS
GENRES	CLASSIC, HISTORICAL, WAR
RUNTIME	137 min.
PRODUCTION YEAR	1964
STATUS	Completed
CAST	RAFFAELE PISU, PETER FALK, ARTHUR KENNEDY, TATYANA SAMOYLOVA, ZHANNA PROKHORENKO