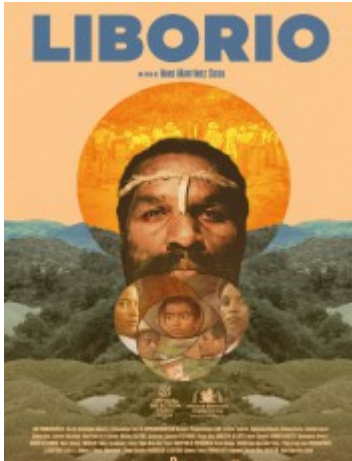


# Liborio

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“ Liborio is a peasant who disappears in a hurricane and returns as a prophet, people follow him and isolate themselves in the mountains seeking total freedom, until the country is invaded by the US Marines. ”



## Synopsis

In the early 20th century, Liborio, a peasant, disappears in a hurricane and returns as a prophet. He says he's been given a mission: to bring the good and take away the evil, curing the sick and teaching by example. People begin to congregate by his side and they move to the mountains to have total freedom and develop the dream of an independent community. Everything changes when the invading US Marines wants to disarm and disband the community. Liborio wants to avoid a confrontation but knows that they can't run forever.

## Credits

**Director:** Nino Martínez Sosa / **Genre:** Drama - Historical, Anti-colonialism, Community, Biographical, Grassroots, Spiritual / **Country of production:** Dominican Republic, Puerto Rico, Qatar / **Year of production:** 2021 / **Length:** 99 mins / **Color:** Color / **Shooting format:** Arri Raw / **Screening format:** DCP 1.77 / **Original language:** Spanish / **Subtitles:** English / **Cast:** Vicente Santos, Karina Valdez / **Scriptwriter:** Nino Martínez Sosa, Pablo Arellano, Ramón Emilio Candelario, Fidia Peralta, / **Director of photography:** Oscar Durán / **Editor:** Angel Hernández Zoido, Nino Martínez Sosa / **Sound design:** Maite Rivera Carbonell / **Sound mixing:** Nahuel Palenque / **Producers:** Fernando Santos Díaz, Nino Martínez Sosa / **Production company:** Guasábara Cine / **Co-production company:** Balsié Guanábana Macuto, Quenepa Producciones

## Festivals / Awards

International Film Festival Rotterdam, *Tiger Competition*; Göteborg Film Festival, *Ingmar Bergman Competition*; Tertio Millennio FF, Italy; FICUNAM ICF, Mexico; New Directors/New Films, USA; Festival Pachamama, Brazil; Shanghai IFF, China; Costa Rica IFF, Costa Rica; Third Horizon FF, USA; BlackStar FF, USA; Lima FF, Chile - **Best Direction Award & Second Special Mention of the jury**; Association Le Tandem, Switzerland; AFI Latin American FF, USA; Trinidad+Tobago FF; Taipei IFF, Taiwan; Africa FF, Belgium; Cine Latino FF, USA; Gangneung IFF, South Korea; Imagenes del Sur, Norway; Cinemartiniq F, Martinique; Latinamerika i Fokus, Sweden; Panorama Internacional Coisa de Cinema; Cork IFF, Ireland; NICH0 54, Brazil; Seville European FF, Spain; Dominican FF in NY, USA; Houston Cinema Arts Festival, USA; FILMAR, Switzerland; WOW Wales One World Film Festival, UK; Pan African Film and Arts Festival (PAFF), USA; Latin American film Festival Ottawa, Canada; Tarifa African Film Festival, Spain; Latin American Week, Germany ; Monde en Vues FF, Guadeloupe; Johannesburg Film Festival, South Africa

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