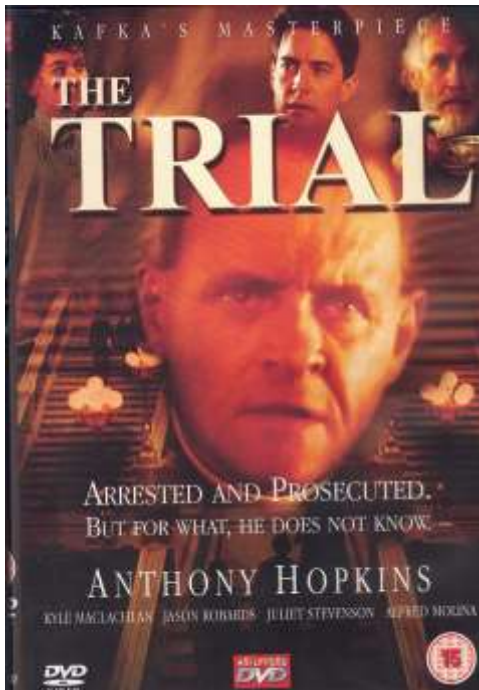


# The Paragon Multimedia DVD, VHS Collection

Title: **The Trial**

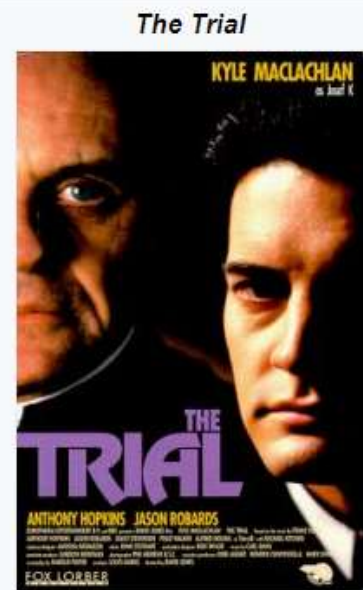


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## Information

Release **Title:** The Trial 18<sup>th</sup> June 1993 (United Kingdom)  
 Hastings, Premiere  
 From: Franz Kaka;s 1925 Novel '*The Trial*'  
 AKA:  
 Release date: October 1993 (Chicago Int. Film Festival USA)  
 Origin: United Kingdom  
 Genres: Film Drama, Thriller  
 Disc Nos. - 1  
 Certification: 12  
 Duration: 2h  
 Region Code:  
 Region: 2  
 Product Code:  
 MPN:  
 EAN:  
 UPC:  
 Languages: English  
 Filming locations: Prague, Czech Republic  
 Sound mix: DTS, Dolby Digital, SDDS  
 Colour: PAL  
 Aspect Ratio: 1.85:1



DVD cover

Directed by	David Jones
Screenplay by	Harold Pinter
Based on	<i>The Trial</i> by Franz Kafka
Produced by	Louis Marks Jan Balzer
Starring	Kyle MacLachlan Anthony Hopkins Jason Robards
Cinematography	Phil Méheux
Edited by	John Stothart
Music by	Carl Davis
Distributed by	Angelika Films
Release date	24 November 1993
Running time	120 minutes
Country	United Kingdom
Language	English
Box office	\$0.2 million (UK/US)

Note: Not much Information  
 Available concerning Storyline

## Storyline

The Trial is a 1993 film made by the British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC) based on Harold Pinter's screenplay adaptation of Franz Kafka's 1925 novel The Trial.

Directed by David Jones and produced by Jan Balzer and Louis Marks, the film stars Kyle MacLachlan and has cameo appearances by several prominent British actors including Anthony Hopkins, Juliet Stevenson, Alfred Molina, David Thewlis, and Michael Kitchen

Joseph K. (Kyle MacLachlan) awakens one morning to find two strange men in his room, telling him he has been arrested. Joseph is not told with what he is charged, and despite being "arrested" is allowed to remain free and go to work. But, despite the strange nature of his arrest, Joseph soon learns that his trial, however odd, is very real, and he tries desperately to spare himself from the court's judgement. —Mike Myers mmyers@ucsd.edu

## Cast

Kyle MacLachlan as Josef K.  
Anthony Hopkins as Priest  
Jason Robards as Doctor Huld  
Juliet Stevenson as Fräulein Bürstner  
Polly Walker as Leni  
Alfred Molina as Titorelli  
David Thewlis as Franz  
Michael Kitchen as Block  
Tony Haygarth as Willem  
Douglas Hodge as Inspector  
Jiří Schwarz as Babensteiner  
David Schneider as Kullich  
Ondřej Vetchý as Kaminer  
Paul Brooke as Deputy bank manager  
Harry Burton as K's assistant  
Roger Lloyd-Pack as Stairman  
Oskar Hák as Verger  
Leon Lissek as Stairman  
Catherine Neilson as Washer woman  
Trevor Peacock as Examining magistrate  
Patrick Godfrey as Court usher  
Andrew Tiernan as Berthold  
Jiří Schmitzer as Thin defendant  
Don Henderson as Flogger  
Martin Faltyn as Clerk  
Robert Lang as K's uncle  
Jan Laibl as Chief clerk  
John Woodvine as Herr Deimen  
Jean Stapleton as Landlady (uncredited)

### Parents Guide

Certification

Canada:PG-13 Finland:K-12 Iceland:12 Ireland:12 Norway:15 Spain:13 United Kingdom:12 United States:PG-13 (certificate #31994)

Sex & Nudity - Violence & Gore – Profanity - Alcohol, Drugs & Smoking - Frightening & Intense Scenes -

MPAA Rated PG-13 for some sex-related material

