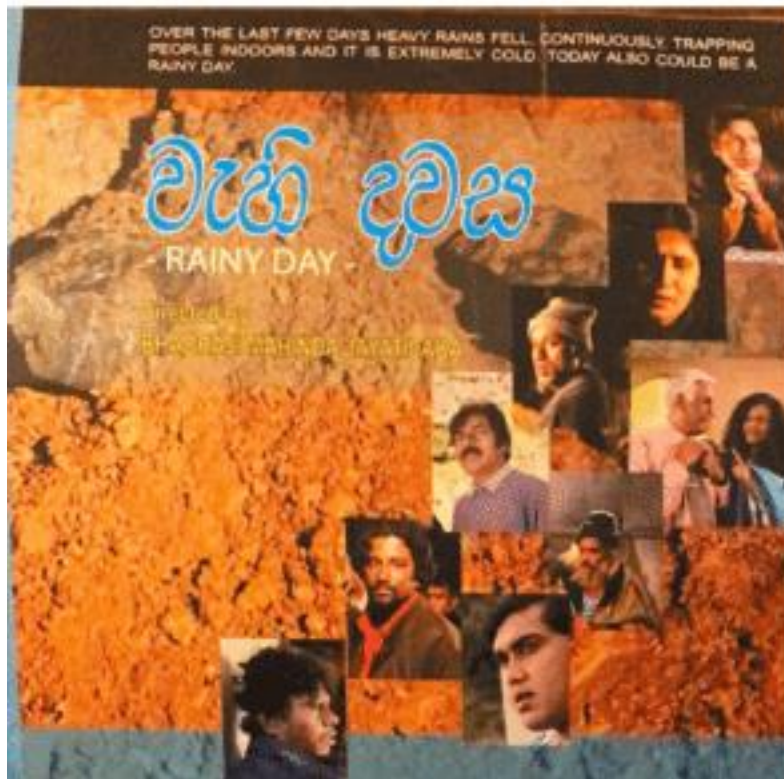


THE RAINY DAY



Sri Lanka (Feature - Fiction)

Running Time: 70 min

Director: Bhadraji Jayathilaka

A social drama set in the cool upcountry, Rainy Day ('Wehi Dawasa') tells the intertwining story of impoverished Elisa and Theja, who go to a hospital to get desperately needed medicine, and a team of dramatists from Colombo traveling to perform their final show. In the meantime, the wife of the hospital's Chief Medical Officer is busy getting ready to meet her heartthrob who happens to be main star in the drama. As the story unfolds, their paths collide upending their fates. Based on his novel, the director's states, "This is a film with an artistic flavor, something like what Satyajit Ray has done."