F8700  FURY TO FREEDOM  (USA, 1985)

Credits: director/writer, Erik Jacobson.
Cast: Tom Silardi, John Quade, Joy Vogel.
Summary: Christian biodrama set chiefly in Los Angeles from the 1960s to the 1980s. The story of Raul Ries (Silardi) an angry youth from a dysfunctional family who hated his alcoholic father and considered killing his family. He engaged in the martial arts in high school and was a violent and dangerous combatant. Charged in an assault, he is given a choice of jail or enlistment. He chooses the Marines. In the Marines in Vietnam Paul threatens his commanding officer and is sent to a stateside mental hospital. Discharged without being cured of his rage, he pursues, impregnates and then married his high school cheerleader girlfriend (Vogel). He is an abusive and adulterous husband. Then, after accidentally viewing a television evangelist, he experiences a miracle conversion. His rage is changed to inner peace. He becomes an evangelical pastor in southern California and a radio evangelist with a large South American audience.

No known reviews. Information from the Internet Movie Database.

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