**H6090 HOA BAN DO (VIETNAM, 1994)**
(Other titles: Red ban flowers; Red bauhina flowers)

**Credits:** director, Bach Diep; writer, Huu Mai.
**Cast:** Tran Luc, Thu Ha, Trung Hieu.
**Summary:** War film set in Vietnam in 1954. The first Vietnamese drama about Dien Bien Phu filmed on the 40th anniversary of the battle and the 50th anniversary of the founding of the People’s Army. Phuong is a battalion commander during the Dien Bien Phu campaign. He is wounded during the attack on Camp 206. In the hospital he meets Tam, a girl from his village, who is now a nurse. Love blossoms. When Phuong is discharged, he and Tam say their goodbyes in a forest of bauhinia flowers. When victory is complete, Tam runs along the line of troops on the Muong Thanh bridge looking for Phuong.

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