S7265  STAR  (USA, 9/19-20/1993)  [TV]
(Other titles: Danielle Steel’s Star)

Credits: director, Michael Miller ; writers, Claire Labine ; novel, Danielle Steele.
Cast: Crystal Wyatt, Craig Bierko, Terry Farrell.
Summary: Romantic melodrama set chiefly in California in the 1970s. Crystal Wyatt (Garth), a ‘60s teenager and daddy’s girl, meets Vietnam war-hero/lawyer Spencer Hill (Bierko) at her sister’s wedding on the family ranch. Though the two spend just hours together, it’s true love for both. Crystal’s father dies and her mother, who has never really loved her, begins to mistreat her and use her as a skivvy. After years of this, Crystal is attacked and almost raped by her brother-in-law. Her brother is shot in the aftermath and Crystal runs away from the farm to San Francisco, where she becomes quite well known as a singer. Meanwhile, Spencer has embarked upon a socially beneficial, yet ill-advised marriage, when he meets Crystal again in San Francisco. They embark on a passionate affair, but Spencer cannot make up his mind about what he wants. Crystal has a son but keeps it a secret from Spencer. It takes Spencer another five years to make up his mind.


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