

A3905 AIR AMERICA (USA, 1990)

Credits: director, Roger Spottiswoode ; writers, John Eskow, Richard Rush

Cast: Mel Gibson, Robert Downey, Jr., Ken Jenkins, Burt Kwouk.

Summary: Action/adventure/comedy set in Laos in 1969. Billy Covington (Downey) is a reckless radio station traffic reporter in L.A. who loses his pilot's license but is recruited by the CIA to fly for Air America based in Vientiane, Laos. There he is teamed with Gene Ryack (Gibson), another wild man. Profits from the drug refining operations of a US puppet Laotian general pay for CIA operations.

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