

M3500 MEMORIAL DAY (USA, 11/27/1983) [TV]

Credits: director, Joseph Sargent ; writer, Michael Bortman.

Cast: Mike Farrell, Shelley Fabares, Keith Mitchell, Bonnie Bedelia, Robert Walden.

Summary: Melodrama set in the contemporary U.S. An emotion-charged drama of men caught up in the aftermath of the Vietnam war. Matt Walker (Farrell) is a respected attorney and devoted family man. After the horrors of 'Nam, he welcomes the cool, dispassionate routine of his profession. But all that changes when Matt's best friend, also a vet, commits suicide. Walker's repressed wartime memories begin to surface, unleashing startling changes.

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