



Children of Heaven (1998)
(89 minutes)

Story: This film is a wonderful story of a young boy (Ali) who accidentally loses his little sister's shoes after picking them up from the repair shop. Coming from a poor family and not wanting to worry their parents, they decide to take turns wearing the boy's shoes. Zahra has school in the morning and Ali in the afternoon. They determine to race through the streets to switch before the other child's school classes begin.

Then comes a wonderful opportunity. A race is being held in which the winner gets two weeks in a summer camp and other prizes. But Ali wants third place because the prize is a new pair of sneakers! Your kids will love the race and the interesting results.

The acting of the children is wonderful. The subtitles are easy enough for 8-9 year olds. (And great practice for reading!) Your children will also come to appreciate other cultures as well as realizing how blessed they are!

Nominated for Best Foreign Film, your children will be captured within the first 10 minutes. Don't miss this one!

Category: Drama

Rating: PG (parental guidance)

Cautions: Several mild profanities

Who Might Like This: Eight and up

Values: Service to family, determination, appreciating other cultures, gratitude for our blessings