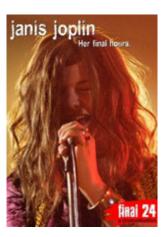
Final 24: Janis Joplin (MVD4977D) - 3*

Less than convincing Joplin bio...

'Janis Joplin - Final 24: Her Final Hours' isn't the worst rock documentary you will come across but it certainly isn't the kind of work you will revisit in a hurry. The lack of any new footage or bonus material and the preposterous pretensions to being a psychological detective story, make this short DVD less than an essential purchase.

You need look no further than the wording on the DVD case; - 'the mystery of why the celebrity died' - to give you a clue as to the tabloid nature of this mock drama 'rockumentary'. And it is the very premise of trying to outline her last 24 hours in a bogus attempt to uncover why she died that is the core problem with this documentary.



For aside from the few snippets of Janis actually singing and a handful of sympathetic talking heads this cod dramatisation is exactly the opposite of what true Janis fans and rock fans in general would be looking for.

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