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Lydia Lunch: The Gun Is Loaded

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Lydia Lunch **The Gun Is Loaded** (MVD Visual)

The long out of print "The Gun Is Loaded" by Lydia Lunch has finally made it to DVD.

Originally released in 1988, the 37-minute performance video features the punk goddess, actor, author and all-around hell raiser on the small dimly lit stage and in the dirty streets of New York spewing the truth of her spoken word. No one is safe when Lunch is on the prowl, as she targets the greed of corporate business, the corrupt politicians and the people who have wronged her in her brutal childhood.

Well-educated and passionate, Lunch throws her thoughts around like candy at a parade to anyone who will listen, and if you don't listen she will get in your face to make sure you do. She is fearless, she is brutally honest and she is on a mission. Sadly, that same mission she was on in 1988 still rings true in 2011.

With her New York accent, Lunch tells you how it is and uses more cuss words than a drunken sailor. Using her words like weapon, Lunch delivers a brutally honest manifesto. The gun is in fact loaded, and Lunch's mouth is full of bullets. Take cover.

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