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Directed by: Bill Cody

Starring:
Youssef Abuzeid, Kimberly Adams, Nader Ahmed

Score: 5.5 out of 10

The Black Lips started thinking about touring the Middle East back in 2009. It took a lot of planning (over two years to be exact) but in the fall of 2012, they finally got to go out and played shows in Egypt, Jordan, U.A.E., Iraq and a couple of other places with their buddies, Lebanese indie rockers Lazy Lung. Not that everything went off without a hitch... promoters in Jordan and Egypt backed out at the last minute because the band had played in Israel as well and a show in Iraq had to be changed when a video of the band reached a government official.

They pulled it off though as can be seen in "Kids Like You And Me", the documentary about their 'revolutionary' tour. I guess the most remarkable thing about it is how unremarkable the tour turns out to be, which I guess is the point they wanted to get across. After all, the kids over there are just like you and me.

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