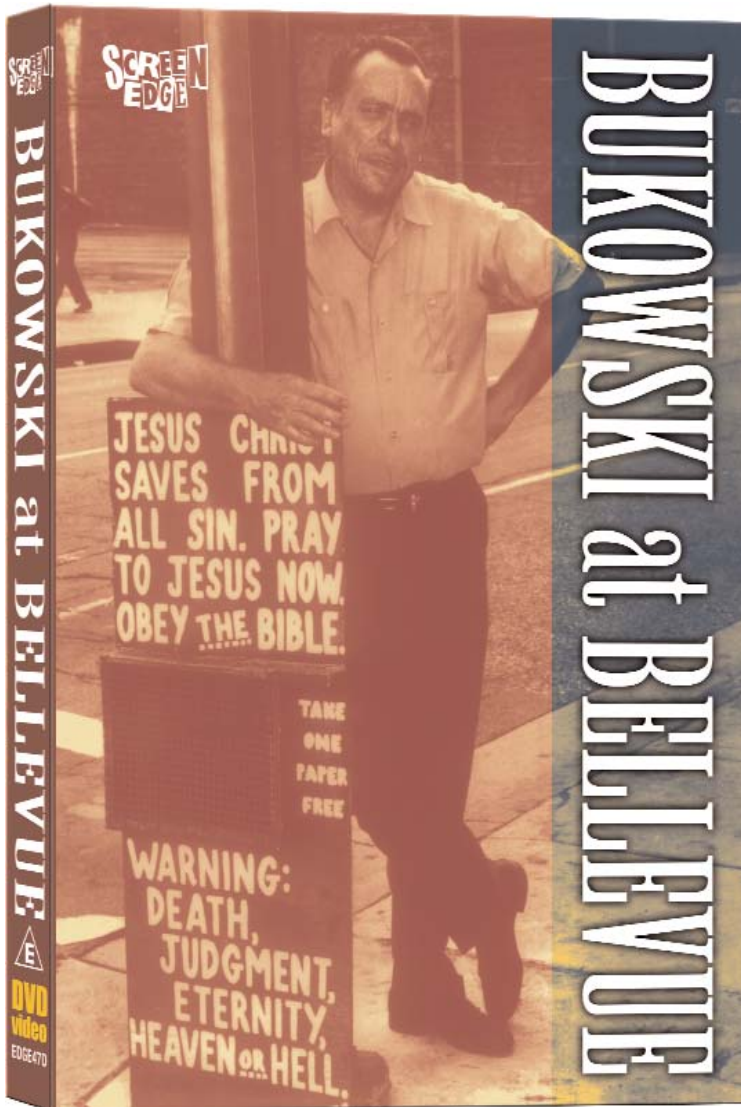


BUKOWSKI at BELLEVUE



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Writer **Charles Bukowski** penned more than 40 novels, countless poems, and short stories. He also dabbled occasionally in screenplays, the most famous of which is **BARFLY** (1987), starring **Mickey Rourke and Faye Dunaway**. Some of his other books have also been made into feature films, including **TALES OF ORDINARY MADNESS**, which is based on a similarly-titled 1973 book. In the Spring of 1970 **CHARLES BUKOWSKI**, then little known, packed his overnight bag, locked the door of his tumbledown East Hollywood apartment behind him, and took his first plane ride to the state of Washington to read at Bellevue Community College.

This pioneer reading (only his fourth ever) was videotaped in black-and-white using two cameras by students and the film lay forgotten for 18 years. While the technical aspects of this film are shaky, all of this one-hour reading comes through loud and clear. Here is Bukowski, at mid-life but at the beginning of a

great career, reading powerfully and with grit and humour. A once in-a-lifetime moment has been rediscovered and preserved forever.

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