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Westend Boy

A quiet, yet noisy, story for grown-ups and youths, empathically and dramatically zooming in on some of the dynamics that also characterize the transaction of buying and selling sex.

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SYNOPSIS

Young Emil has not had an easy life. Neither has his friend, Gustav. They sell their bodies for a living, mainly to middle-aged men who haven't managed to come out. But now, love comes sneaking up on Emil - he has fallen head over heels for Stefan, a politician and family man from the suburbs. Emil dreams of a new settled life together with Stefan; Stefan dreams of casual getaways far away from the stress and triviality of everyday-life.

Westend Boy plays out over a couple of hours in Hotel Royal in Central Copenhagen. Emil has brought everything he owns in plastic bags – including all his romantic hopes for the future. Because tonight is the night when their relationship will finally change...



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