

## DIRECTOR'S STATEMENT

### **SOIna**

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This is my second film. This film has given me the opportunity to explore the techniques of documentary filmmaking, and it has also given me the opportunity to learn a bit more about Down Syndrome – which is one of the major issues that I encountered during the process of making the film. The process of making this film is not only about making a film, but also about humanity. I learnt how to attend to someone with a Down Syndrome and how I can communicate with them. Before this film, I perceived children with Down Syndrome as false creatures of God, but today I believe that they are His magnificent gifts.

Anom Bayu Santoso

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