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DARK FLOWERS

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A REVENGE THRILLER

Ecuador · 2026 · 88 min · Spanish with English subtitles

When three men murder her mother and take her little sister, a 17-year-old girl from a remote Andean farm descends into Quito's criminal underworld to hunt them down and bring her sister home.

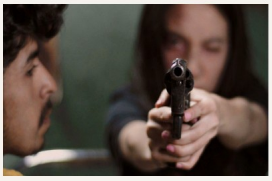
SYNOPSIS

Seventeen-year-old Amparo survives the night three men murder her mother and abduct her younger sister. A shaman draws her into unsettling visions, and she follows the men to Quito, where Vampiro, a street kid with a gun, becomes her ally. Hunting the men one by one through a world of cockfights and crime, she reaches El Cielo, a nightclub hiding a prostitution ring and the truth about her mother's past.

Set in a timeless world evoking the late 1980s and early 1990s, with a score that fuses retro synthesizers, cumbia, Andean instruments and Ecuadorian pasillo.







MARKET STATUS

PREMIERE
World Premiere available

RIGHTS
International rights available

SEEKING
International sales agent, distributors and festival partners

MATERIALS
Screener and teaser on request

Status	**Completed**
Genre	**Revenge thriller**
Country	**Ecuador**
Runtime	**88 min**
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Subtitles	**English**

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