

SUCK IT UP BUTTERCUP



"A terrific film. Made with penetrating attention. A tense, and trouble-filled story of a young woman's runaway addiction in rural America."
--- Bob Glaudini, (Playwright/Screenwriter)

Once an honors student, Jackie Holman is newly addicted to prescription pills. Her father Joe is out of work and in denial about Jackie's addiction. Her mother Ellie, pregnant and working double shifts to keep the family going, is also burdened with Jackie's increasingly senile grandfather and unaware of her daughter's drug use.

Jackie is spiraling out of control, cheating and stealing from her friends and endangering herself with drug dealers.

When these worlds of addiction, denial, deceit and dementia all suddenly collide one night, the collateral damage from teenage drug use is laid bare. By calling her father, pretending that she is being held hostage, and begging for money she actually needs for a fix, Jackie triggers a fast-moving chain of events that devastates her friends and threatens to tear her family apart.

Grounded in the economic decline and teenage aimlessness that afflicts small town America, SUCK IT UP BUTTERCUP is raw, emotional and uncomfortably real.



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