

# LEAF IN THE WIND

A FILM BY JEAN-MARIE TENO

LES FILMES DU RAPHIA (2013); APPR. 58 MINS



Screening and discussion with the filmmaker

October 18, 2013

4:30pm-6:30pm

Black Film Center/Archive, Wells Library

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Breaking the silences that help perpetuate collective and personal trauma, *Leaf in the Wind* reclaims a suppressed chapter of Cameroonian history. Executed by the Cameroonian authorities in 1971, the hero of the independence struggle Ernest Ouandie left a daughter he never met. Through the painful testimony of his daughter Ernestine's life, *Leaf in the Wind* looks at the consequences of colonialism, posing the question: is sacrifice freedom's price?

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