



COMMAND AND CONTROL

Description

How do you manage weapons of mass destruction without being destroyed by them? It's the great dilemma the world has faced since the dawn of the nuclear age. From the director of the groundbreaking film *Food, Inc.*, and the executive producer of the Oscar-nominated film *Last Days in Vietnam*, comes *Command and Control*, the long-hidden story of a deadly accident at a Titan II missile complex in Damascus, Arkansas in 1980. The chilling documentary features the minute-by-minute accounts of Air Force personnel, weapon designers, and first responders who were on the scene that night, and recounts the feverish efforts to prevent the explosion of a ballistic missile carrying the most powerful nuclear warhead ever built by the United States. (<http://www.commandandcontrolfilm.com/>)

Director Robert Kenner ratchets up the tension in a film that is both a thrilling disaster movie and a probing documentary about the threat posed by aging nuclear warheads in our midst. The action centers on a true account of a nuclear accident in 1980 and the workers who raced to repair a damaged missile before it exploded. Suspenseful and thought-provoking, **COMMAND AND CONTROL** is a compelling cautionary tale. — Mark Page



COMMAND AND CONTROL is screening at AFI DOCS on Saturday, June 25th, 2016 at 3:00 P.M. at Landmark 1. For more details visit: [Command and Control](http://www.commandandcontrolfilm.com/)



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