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Robert Redford

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B: Paul Attanasio, nach dem Buch »Remembering America: A Voice From the Sixties« von Richard N. Goodwin/based on the book "Remembering America: A Voice From the Sixties" by Richard N. Goodwin. **DP:** Michael Ballhaus. **PD:** Jon Hutman. **S:** Stu Linder. **M:** Mark Isham. **D:** John Turturro, Rob Morrow, Ralph Fiennes, Paul Scofield, David Paymer. **P:** Hollywood Pictures. **Pd:** Robert Redford, Michael Jacobs, Julian Krainin, Michael Nozik.
Kopie: Walt Disney Studios

1957. Wenn die Quizshow »Twenty-One« im Fernsehen läuft, versammelt sich Amerika vor den Bildschirmen. Zurzeit ist der etwas unbeholfene Herbie Stempel der Liebling der Massen, nicht jedoch des (von Martin Scorsese gespielten!) Sponsors. Er sorgt dafür, dass Stempel willentlich versagt und statt seiner der alerte Universitätsdozent Charles Van Doren neuer Champion wird – und es mit Hilfe abgesprochener Fragen über Monate bleibt. Als ein Washingtoner Anwalt die Manipulationen wittert, verrät ihm Stempel die Wahrheit über die abgekartete Show. Doch nur Van Doren könnte die Betrüger überführen... Robert Redford, seit dem Watergate-Drama ALL THE PRESIDENT'S MEN (1976) mit investigativen Stoffen vertraut, formulierte in QUIZ SHOW deutliche Kritik an der manipulativen Macht der Medien, indem er an einen Skandal aus der Frühzeit des Fernsehens erinnert. Zur authentischen Ausstattung seines Films und zu dessen historischem »Look« gehört auch Ballhaus' variantenreiches Spiel mit Leinwandformaten. Wiederholt hat er die modernen Breitwandbilder durch Verengung der Perspektive oder Abdunklung an den Seitenrändern so kadriert, dass der Eindruck einer konventionellen Fernsehästhetik entsteht.

In 1957, all of America gathers in front of the TV set when the game show "Twenty-One" is on. A rather bumbling man called Herbie Stempel is currently the darling of the masses, although not of the sponsor (played by Martin Scorsese!). He arranges to have Stempel throw the quiz, replacing him as champion with lively university professor Charles Van Doren – and keeping Van Doren in that spot by coaching him on the questions. When a Washington lawyer gets wind of the rigged show, Stempel tells him the truth. But only Van Doren can finger the men in charge of manipulating the results... After the Watergate film ALL THE PRESIDENT'S MEN (1976), Robert Redford was familiar with investigative subject matter and in QUIZ SHOW, he exercised clear criticism of the manipulative power of the media by reminding audiences of a scandal from the early days of television. The authentic set decoration and the period "look" were aided by Ballhaus' multiple variations on screen formats. He often narrowed the wide-screen perspective, or darkened the outer edges to achieve framing that gave the impression of a conventional television aesthetic.

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