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Sergio DVD User Guide

Comprehensive information for your Sergio DVD.



1. INTRODUCTION

This user guide provides essential information for the proper use and care of your *Sergio* DVD. *Sergio* is a compelling documentary film directed by Greg Barker, exploring the life and tragic death of Sergio Vieira de Mello, a charismatic United Nations diplomat.

The film delves into his efforts to protect ordinary people in dangerous regions and culminates with the harrowing events following a truck bomb attack in Baghdad in 2003.

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Image 1.1: Front cover of the *Sergio* DVD. The image depicts the film's central figure, Sergio Vieira de Mello, against a backdrop of a war-torn landscape, symbolizing the challenging environments he worked in. The United Nations flag is visible in the background.

2. SETUP

To begin watching your *Sergio* DVD, follow these simple steps:

1. **Connect your DVD Player:** Ensure your DVD player is properly connected to your television or display device. Refer to your DVD player's instruction manual for specific connection details (e.g., HDMI, RCA cables).
2. **Power On:** Turn on your television and DVD player.

3. **Select Input:** Use your television remote to select the correct input source (e.g., HDMI 1, Video 1) that corresponds to your DVD player's connection.
4. **Insert DVD:** Gently open the DVD tray or slot on your DVD player. Hold the *Sergio* DVD by its edges to avoid touching the playback surface and insert it with the label side facing up.
5. **Close Tray:** Close the DVD tray or allow the player to automatically pull the disc in. The DVD player should begin reading the disc.

3. OPERATING THE DVD

Once the DVD is loaded, you will typically see a main menu. Use your DVD player's remote control to navigate.

- **Play Movie:** Select "Play" or "Start Movie" from the main menu to begin playback of the documentary.
- **Scene Selection:** If available, use the "Scene Selection" or "Chapters" option to jump to specific parts of the film.
- **Audio/Subtitles:** Access the "Audio" or "Subtitles" menu to change language tracks or enable/disable subtitles, if offered on this disc.
- **Special Features:** Explore any "Special Features" or "Bonus Content" for additional material related to the film.
- **Basic Controls:**
 - **Play/Pause:** Press the Play/Pause button to start or temporarily stop the film.
 - **Stop:** Press the Stop button to end playback and return to the main menu or stop the disc.
 - **Fast Forward/Rewind:** Use the FF/RW buttons to quickly move through the film.
 - **Skip:** Use the Skip buttons (often arrows) to jump to the next or previous chapter.

4. MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Proper care of your DVD will ensure its longevity and optimal playback performance.

- **Handling:** Always hold the DVD by its outer edges or the center hole. Avoid touching the shiny playback surface to prevent fingerprints and scratches.
- **Cleaning:** If the disc becomes dirty, gently wipe the playback surface with a soft, lint-free cloth (e.g., microfiber) in a straight line from the center to the outer edge. Do not wipe in a circular motion. For stubborn marks, use a specialized DVD cleaning solution.
- **Storage:** Store the DVD in its original case when not in use. Keep it away from direct sunlight, extreme temperatures, and high humidity.
- **Avoid Damage:** Do not bend the disc, apply adhesive labels, or write on the playback surface with permanent markers.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Disc not playing or loading.	Disc inserted incorrectly, dirty disc, incompatible region code, or player issue.	Ensure disc is inserted label-side up. Clean the disc gently. Verify your DVD player supports Region 1 DVDs (US/Canada). Try another DVD to check player functionality.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Video or audio skipping/freezing.	Scratches, smudges on disc, or dusty player lens.	Clean the disc thoroughly. If the problem persists, the disc may be damaged. Consider using a DVD lens cleaner for your player.
No sound.	TV/player volume too low, incorrect audio output settings, or faulty cables.	Increase volume on TV and player. Check audio cable connections. Verify audio settings on your DVD player and TV.
Poor picture quality.	Incorrect video settings, low-quality cables, or disc issue.	Ensure video cables are securely connected. Check your TV's picture settings. Clean the disc.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Title:** Sergio
- **Format:** DVD (NTSC)
- **ASIN:** B003MAKE24
- **Director:** Greg Barker
- **Studio:** HBO
- **Run Time:** 40 minutes
- **Release Date:** July 20, 2010
- **Aspect Ratio:** 1.33:1
- **MPAA Rating:** NR (Not Rated)
- **Number of Discs:** 1
- **Language:** English
- **Product Dimensions:** 0.5 x 5.35 x 7.5 inches; 2.72 ounces

