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## ***TLN Television Scores With The FIFA WORLD CUP™ FILM SERIES Sundays at 2:30pm/et***

Relive the unforgettable moments of the world's favourite game with TLN Television, Canada's official co-broadcaster of all major FIFA tournaments through to 2014

***Monday, May 26, 2008 (TORONTO, ON)*** - The passion...the tears...the triumph! Experience all of the classic, historic moments of the world's greatest football tournament as TLN Television, Canada's home of the best international soccer and official co-broadcaster of all major FIFA tournaments through to 2014, presents the FIFA World Cup™ Film series featuring the likes of Sean Connery, Michael Caine, Edward Woodward and Sean Bean.

### **1986 FIFA World Cup™ Mexico: Hero- with Michael Caine**

***Sunday June 1 @ 2:30pm/et***

Narrated by actor Michael Caine, *Hero* recounts the glorious moments of the 1986 FIFA World Cup™. Mexico had just recovered from a devastating earthquake before hosting the 1986 finals, but the nation put on a great tournament and Argentina, inspired by Maradona, went on to win the tournament.

### **1990 FIFA World Cup™ Italy: Soccer Shoot-Out - with Edward Woodward**

***Sunday June 8 @ 2:30pm/et***

Edward Woodward takes us through yet another fascinating tournament in *Soccer Shoot-Out*, the 1990 FIFA World Cup™ in Italy. A melting pot of different styles, culture and technique and deemed the biggest tournament to date, it saw the emergence of the African nations with the free-flowing Cameroon capturing everyone's hearts with a worthy quarter-final run. England and West Germany yet again produced another epic game, with the Germans victorious.

### **1994 FIFA World Cup™ USA: Two Billion Hearts**

***Sunday June 15 @ 2:30pm/et***

In 1994, The FIFA World Cup™ came to the USA for the first time in history and set the country alight, giving soccer a tremendous boost in the world's biggest market with audiences tripling the previous highest ever achieved for soccer in the USA. *Two Billion Hearts* offers an original view of the vigour of the first US-staged event and captures the agony of the penalty shootout as Brazil became the first nation to win four World Cup titles upon beating Italy.

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**1998 FIFA World Cup™ France: La Coupe de Gloire - with Sean Bean**

**Sunday June 22 @ 2:30pm/et**

Narrated by Sean Bean, La Coupe de Gloire, places the spotlight on the 1998 FIFA World Cup™ in France. The French team on home soil was always going to be in contention for the World Championship title and it did not disappoint its expectant fans. France '98 was not short on drama and controversy, in equal measure. Both were on display in the England v Argentina match, the match of the tournament, with Argentina emerging eventual winners after David Beckham's sending off.

**2002 FIFA World Cup™ in Korea/Japan: Seven games from Glory**

**Sunday June 29 @ 2:30pm/et**

The 2002 FIFA World Cup™ Korea/Japan was a World Cup of shocks and surprises, making history from start to finish. It was the first World Cup in Asia and the first to be co-hosted by two countries. ***Seven Games from Glory*** captures the unique spirit of this event in 120 minutes of soccer on the pitch and behind the scenes.

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TLN Television, Canada's Latino Superstation offers a variety of domestic and international programming in Italian, Spanish and English and can be seen by up to 10 million Canadians on cable and satellite from coast to coast. As Canada's leading Hispanic and Italian media source, TLN offers a variety of domestic and international programming including daily news reports from Italy and Latin America, international sports, music and fashion coverage, award-winning novelas, variety shows and feature films and series. TLN is majority owned by Corus Entertainment, a leading Canadian media company. Other shareholders of TLN include prominent members of the Italian Canadian business community.

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