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AGH *film* screens the latest film by acclaimed director Deepa Mehta

Heaven on Earth

The Fall 2008 **AGH *film* series** screens **Heaven and Earth**, the latest film by internationally acclaimed director Deepa Mehta, on **Wednesday, November 5 at 7:00 pm** at the Empire Jackson Square 6 Cinemas, 2 King Street West, downtown Hamilton.

Tickets are \$6.00 for AGH Members, \$8.00 for students and seniors and \$10.00 for general admission. Tickets may be purchased online in advance at www.artgalleryofhamilton.com, in person at the AGH's Front Desk during Gallery hours or at the venue door the evening of the screening beginning at 6:30 pm.

Renowned for her *elements* film trilogy of *Fire* (1996), *Earth* (1998) and *Water* (2005), Deepa Mehta's latest film tells the story of a young Indian woman who finds herself creating an alternative reality in order to survive her abusive arranged marriage to an Indo-Canadian. Mehta explores the themes of imagination and mysticism, as well as domestic abuse. The part of the young bride, Chand, is played by Bollywood actress Preity Zinta and Seema Biswas, who was acclaimed for her role in *Water*. **2008 T.I.F.F. Not Rated.**

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For complete AGH*film* information, visit the Art Gallery of Hamilton's website at www.artgalleryofhamilton.com, call 905-527-6610, ext. 232, or e-mail film@artgalleryofhamilton.com

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