

# 1 Night in Paris

***1 Night in Paris*** is a 2004 pornographic video directed by Rick Salomon. Promoted by Kevin Blatt,<sup>[1]</sup> its depicts Paris Hilton having sexual intercourse in 2001 with Salomon. Not originally intended for release,<sup>[2]</sup> it was filmed primarily with a single, stationary, tripod-mounted camera using "night vision". However, a handful of scenes were filmed indoors without night vision.

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## Release

The video was released by Salomon shortly before Hilton's TV series *The Simple Life* debuted, causing a media sensation. When Hilton stated publicly that she was "out of it", didn't know what she was doing during the taping of the video and did not approve its public release, Salomon sued Hilton for defamation. Hilton then countersued Salomon over the release of the tape, settling out of court in July 2005. According to reports, Hilton was awarded as much as \$400,000 and planned to donate a percentage to charity<sup>[3]</sup>

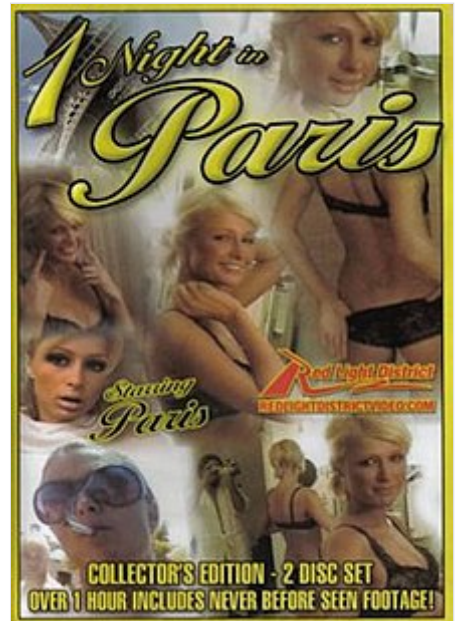
In a 2006 interview with the British edition of *GQ* magazine, Hilton stated: "I never received a dime from the video. It's just dirty money and (Salomon) should give it all to some charity for the sexually abused or something. To be honest, I don't even think about it any more."<sup>[4]</sup>

The video received the AVN Awards in 2005 for "Best Selling Title of the Year", "Best Renting Title of the Year" and "Best Overall Marketing Campaign – Individual Project". The DVD titled *1 Night in Paris* is distributed by Red Light District, a production company that produces and distributes pornographic videos. The rights to the video has since been purchased by Vivid Entertainment<sup>[5]</sup>

## Accolades

- 2005 AVN Award - Best Overall Marketing Campaign, Individual Project<sup>[6]</sup>
- 2005 AVN Award - Best Renting Title of the Year<sup>[6]</sup>
- 2005 AVN Award - Best Selling Title of the Year<sup>[6]</sup>
- 2008 F.A.M.E. Award - Favorite Celebrity Sex Tape<sup>[7]</sup>

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DVD cover for *1 Night in Paris*

<b>Directed by</b>	Rick Salomon
<b>Produced by</b>	Rick Salomon
<b>Starring</b>	Paris Hilton Rick Salomon
<b>Cinematography</b>	Rick Salomon
<b>Distributed by</b>	Red Light District Video
<b>Release date</b>	June 15, 2004
<b>Running time</b>	62 minutes
<b>Country</b>	United States

## See also

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- [Celebrity sex tape](#)
- [Sex scandal](#)

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  - *1 Night in Paris* at the DVD Edition
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