



## Video Review

### Little John

A Hallmark Hall of Fame Presentation

This heart felt story begins on a farm in a rural town in Texas. John received a telephone call that created a major shift in his life. He finds himself traveling the distance to a Christian home for unwed mothers and learns that his precious daughter has delivered a son. While being confused and devastated, John has received the news that his daughter left behind her newborn child.

John made the decision to raise his grandson LJ, so that he could grow up knowing his family. LG wanted to believe that his mother died, rather than accepting the fact that she had abandoned him.

John's sister, Etta, came to Texas from California to spend some time with him and LJ. During that time, it was revealed that Natalie, his daughter was appointed a Family Court Judge whom also lived in California.

With deteriorating health, John decided to travel to California to see if he could bring his grandson and estranged daughter together. During their encounter, Natalie struggled with the secrets from her past and dealt with the anger towards her father. Furthermore, Natalie had to confess the shocking circumstances that produced her son.

This story grips your emotions as Natalie confronts her feelings towards her father, her son and the painful past that has haunted her for twelve agonizing years. The dramatic conclusion reminds the audience that love and forgiveness goes hand in hand.

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