

## **Cityboy – The Life Of Investment Banker Geraint Anderson**

Geraint Anderson was the star analyst of an investment bank in London and has earned millions of pounds. Now, he is the first banker who breaks the codes of silence of the financial world. This documentary tells a breathtaking story of a banker and the business ethics in the City of London, one of the biggest financial centres of the world. Within a very short time, Geraint works his way up and becomes an expert for the energy industry. Three times in a row, he is elected the best energy-analyst in London. After twelve exciting years in the Financial City, Geraint burns out and faces a serious personal crisis. From that time onwards his life changes. He starts to write down the experiences he made in the financial world and gets published in a London newspaper – anonymously. Very soon the confessions of the “Cityboy” gain cult status. Anderson realistically describes the tricks in the business and the often overstrained young bankers. He does not reveal real names. He wants to describe the moral standards of a business that is consequently sliding into the abyss. Anderson sees the catastrophe coming. Eventually, at the beginning of 2008, he gets a last huge bonus payment and then quits. In summer 2008, Geraint reveals his identity and causes a commotion. Many former colleagues do not want to have anything to do with him anymore. They fear for their jobs. But with the outbreak of the financial crisis, Geraint Anderson suddenly appears as a courageous, visionary man.



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