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J-Film: What a Wonderful Family!

What she wanted for her birthday was...a divorce!

A heartwarming comedy from **Yoji Yamada** (*Twilight Samurai*, *Love and Honor*, *Tokyo Family*) and with music by **Joe Hisaishi** (*Departures*, *Spirited Away*, *Hana-bi*)

The eldest son of an old couple, **Shuzo** and **Tomiko**, lives with his parents along with his wife while their eldest daughter lives with her husband in the same neighborhood. The second son is planning to get married to his girlfriend.

On the surface, they all appear to be leading ordinary, happy lives, but a tempest suddenly hits the family. On Tomiko's birthday, her husband asks her what she wants to which she replies, "A divorce." The family is suddenly thrown into a state of panic to hear this news and eventually each family member begins to divulge their respective grievances.

Starring Isao Hashizume, Kazuko Yoshiyuki, Satoshi Tsumabuki, Yu Aoi

In Japanese with English subtitles | Not Rated | 2016 | 108 min |
Directed by Yoji Yamada


Registration required


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You are invited to
J-Film: What a Wonderful Family!

 **Wednesday, February 20th, 2019**
from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM (EST)

 **Japan Information & Culture Center, Embassy of Japan**
1150 18th Street Northwest
Suite 100
Washington DC 20036 US

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This event is free and open to the public, but registration is required.
In the event of a cancellation, please contact us at jicc@ws.mofa.go.jp.

Program begins at 6:30PM.

Doors open 30 minutes before the program. No admittance after 7:00PM or once seating is full.

Registered guests will be seated on a first come, first served basis. Please note that seating is limited and registration does not guarantee a seat.

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