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CHILDREN OF THE STEPPE THE ANATOLIAN WILD SHEEP (1x40')

The four season tale of Anatolian wild sheep, which in the whole world exists only in mountain Bozdag, Konya.... The wild sheep which were taken under protection in the 1960s when they became endangered, still struggle to live in an area of 3600 hectares in Bozdag and the mountains outside this area. They are the leading actors of this documentary. "Children of the Steppe" the first

wildlife documentary in Turkey that covers only one wild animal species, witnesses the lives of other animals such as the golden eagle, ground squirrel and wolf, that share the same habitat with the wild sheep.

*Producer and Director: Ece Soydam
 TX Date: 2005*

THE HAWK (1x30')

The lovers of hawks describe this love as "the art of hunting a bird with a bug, hunting a bird with a bird, and again hunting a bird with a bird" The story of the "Eastern Hawk" -known to be the most talented and most loyal winged-hunter, and in Turkey generally

living at the eastern Black Sea region- the way it hunts and the way it is engaged in hunting.

*Producer and Director: Daver Atabey
 TX Date: 2005*



BEAR VS MAN: THE ENDLESS CONFLICT (1x52')

The overlapping habitats of bears and humans in Turkey are creating more and more conflict between the two species. However, it also increases the interesting stories of interaction between people and bears. Bears enter people's farms and orchards and they also destroy the beehives, all of which are of great importance to the low-income local people. But what can the bears do, when their natural food sources are destroyed?

The problem is no joke, but the stories from the Black Sea region are colorful and humorous. The documentary aims to reveal these stories from the point of view of both bears and people, to introduce the species, and to show the efforts of conservationists who are searching for solutions.

*Producer and Director: Ece Soydam
 TX Date: December 2009*

GIANT WINGS: THE BLACK VULTURE (1x52')

With a wingspan close to 3 meters, the black vulture is the biggest raptor in Europe. Giant Wings tells the four-season tale of this unique species, which is under threat of extinction. The documentary covers a period of one year, focusing on the physical characteristics of the black vulture, its feeding and breeding behavior

and its relationship to other animal species. Following the growth of a young black vulture chick, the documentary aims to bring hope for the continuation of the species.

*Producer: Muzaffer Evci
 Director: Ece Soydam
 TX Date: 2006*



THE PASSION OF THE BLUE (1x30')

Would you like to join us in our trip to the magical world of the underwater? As becoming one of the most popular sports, Scuba diving will lead to this unique world. Discover the scuba diving along with the underwater richness of Turkey, which is the shining pearl of world tourism with its natural and historical beauties, in our tv programme The Passion of The Blue. You will find the hidden underwater paradise in Aegean, Mediterranean, Black Sea and Marmara Sea and also the world's charming diving centers in our series, The Passion of The Blue.

See the mysterious life of underwater world... Dive into the history with the very first findings of the ancient civilizations... Discover the colorful blue... DIVE IN TURKEY, LOOK INTO THE HISTORY...

*Producer: Hakan Aslan - Umit Kargılı
 Director: Hakan Aslan
 TX Date: 2009*