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**Breathtaking natural environment and fauna in the wake of Sir Ernest Shackleton in the Antarctica.**

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**Director** Arne Nævre  
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Nature photographer Arne Nævre and his adventurer companion Stein P. Aasheim encounter a breathtaking natural environment, fascinating fauna and some interesting historical relics on a voyage that takes them from the Falklands via South Georgia to Antarctica. More at home in mountain and forest, they view with no little trepidation the ocean crossings and, not least, the rigours of the Drake Passage.

On their extensive voyage round and about in the Antarctic Ocean, Arne Nævre and Stein P. Aasheim have now reached the colourful island of South Georgia, with its teeming animal and bird life. But all too soon the time comes to leave the island's population of penguins, albatrosses and seals to follow in the wake of the intrepid British explorer Sir Ernest Shackleton south to the Antarctic continent itself, where they hope for close-up views of whales and leopard seals in their natural habitat.

Arne Nævre and Stein P. Aasheim continue on their 'circular tour' of the Antarctic Ocean. They nurture high hopes that this time Arne will realize his lifetime ambition to dive in the company of leopard seals, which have a bad reputation for ruthlessness and ferocity.

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