AMERICA FOR SALE OR RUSSIAN GAMBIT

Brief Synopsis

For many years, decades in fact, America and Russia have been at odds over the ideology behind the establishment of a sovereign nation and the best way to rule the masses. The West, in particular the United States, has been portrayed by Russian leaders to their people as the nation's adversary.

However, their propaganda has not convinced everyone. Many wealthy Russians oligarchs are known to have burning desires to live in the land that their leaders so disparage. What is the draw? Why do they want to leave the motherland behind to live in a foreign land that they all their lives were taught to have disdain even hate for? In essence, these rich Russians merely wanted to live the beautiful life which on Planet Earth is only possible in the land of their ideological opponent.

America for Sale or Russian Gambit is the story of the influx of Russian money into the American real estate market. The hero in this story, Ronald Keegan an American realtor living in New York City, said it best when asked about the incursion—Russian was taking over America "one house at a time." This triumph is devoid of missiles or tanks; the invasion is a silent one that depends on quick sales and stacks of cash. The story is based on a book by the same name and is inspired by true events. It is one of those tales that make people remark that "you just couldn't make this up." What Ron Keegan encounters in his dealing with wealthy Russians presents challenges and twists and turns that no one could predict.

Just providing a hint of the twists and turns of this strange story consider: Wealthy Russian oligarchs, a hotel with glass walls, voyeurs, narcissists, a brothel posing as a 5-star hotel, an Eastern European sex scam, an illicit lovenest and a crystal sex toy! While it's difficult to connect these unrelatable subjects, the film manages to link them all in a story like no other.