

# Convert DVD to MPEG Video File

Instructions on how to convert a DVD to a video file that is in the MPEG4 format. Store the file on a USB drive and also on your home computer.

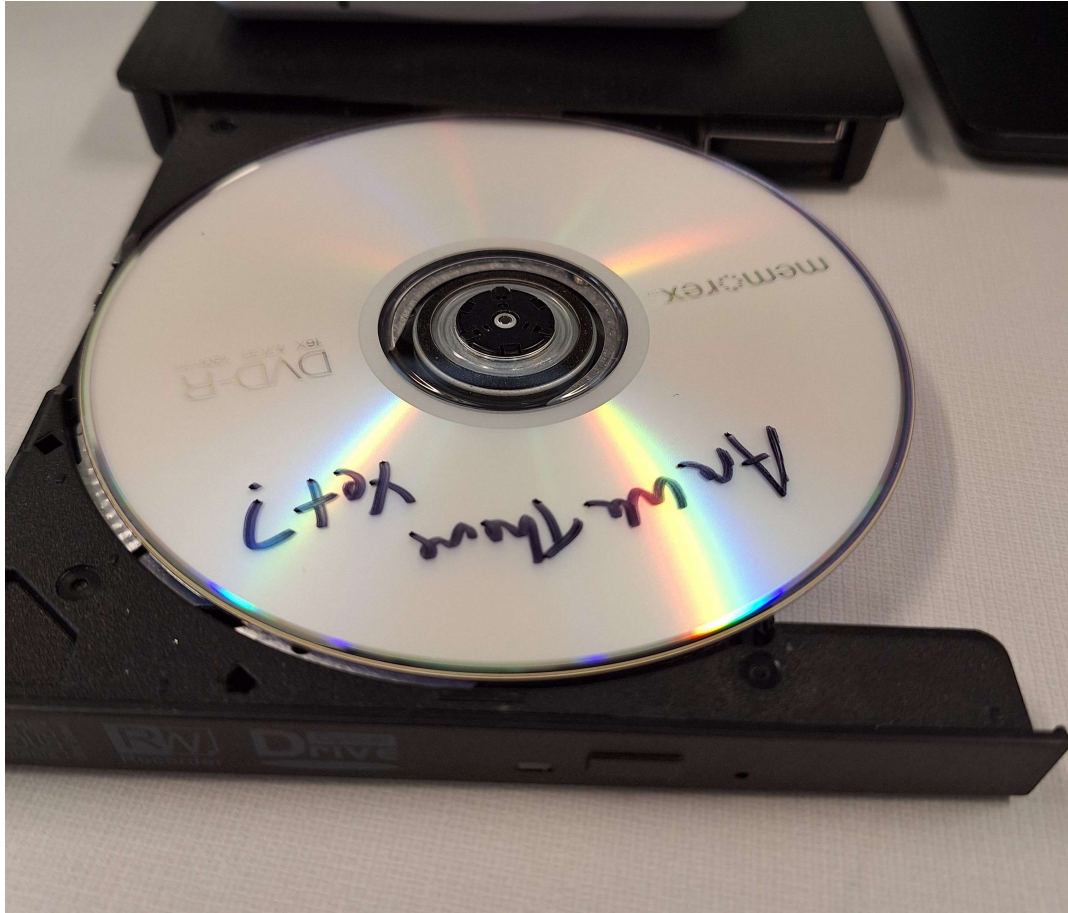
- Insert the DVD into the DVD player



- The DVD player tray is open



- Put the DVD disc on the tray

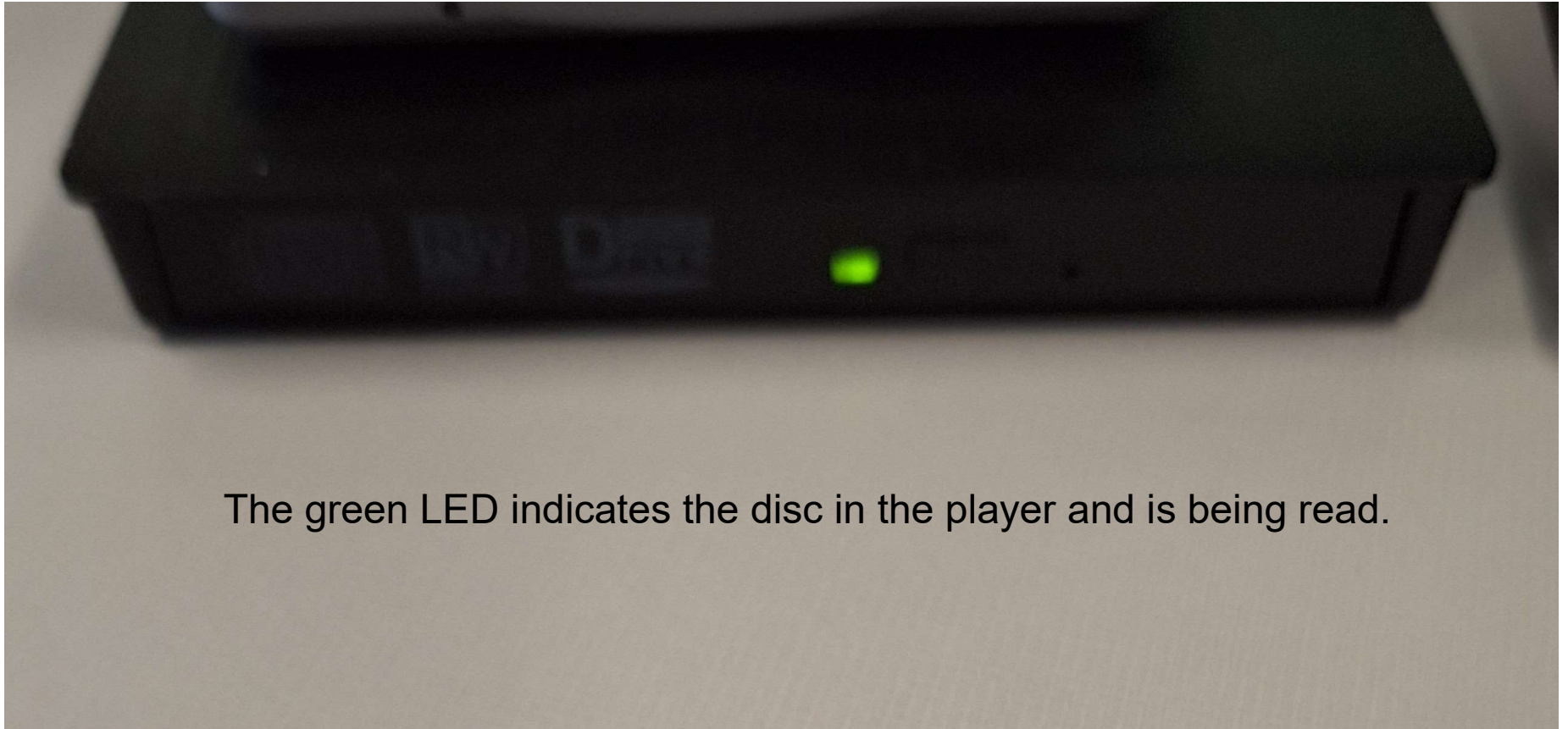


Snap the DVD disc on to the center tab of the tray.

Push the tray shut to start reading the disc.

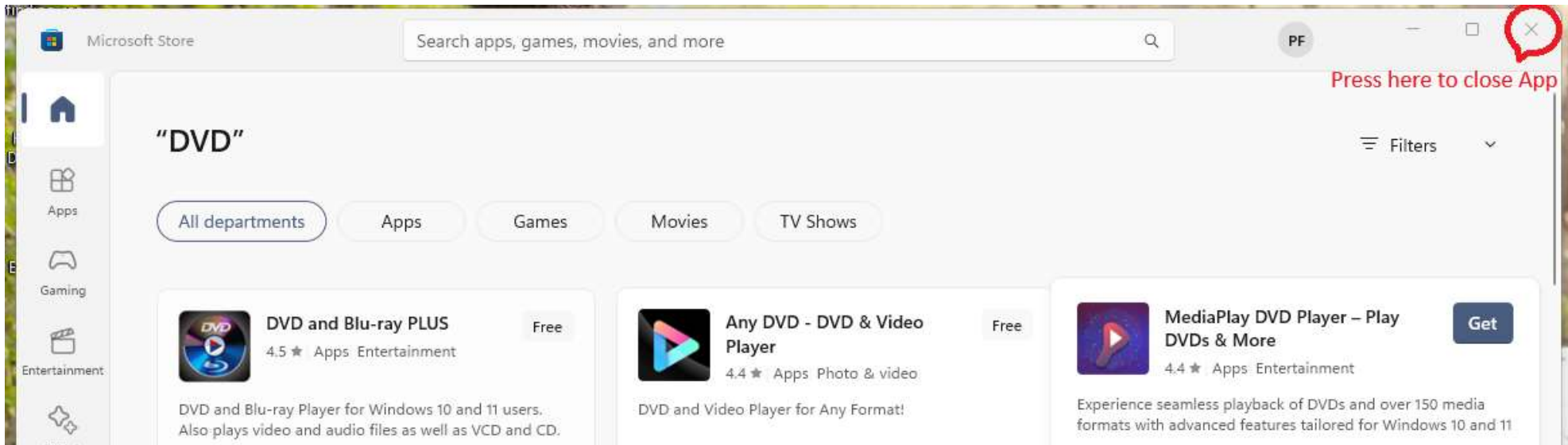


- The tray is closed and the DVD is being read

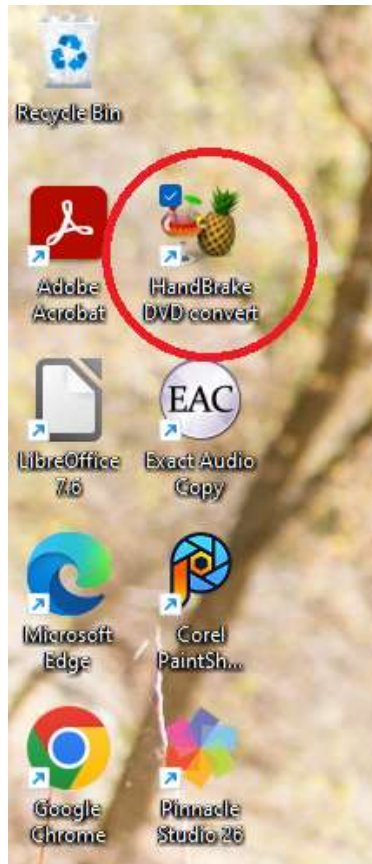


The green LED indicates the disc in the player and is being read.

- The Microsoft Store will pop up. Click the X in the upper right hand corner to close this unneeded window. This window is Microsoft's attempt to drive you crazy. So do yourself a favor and close it.

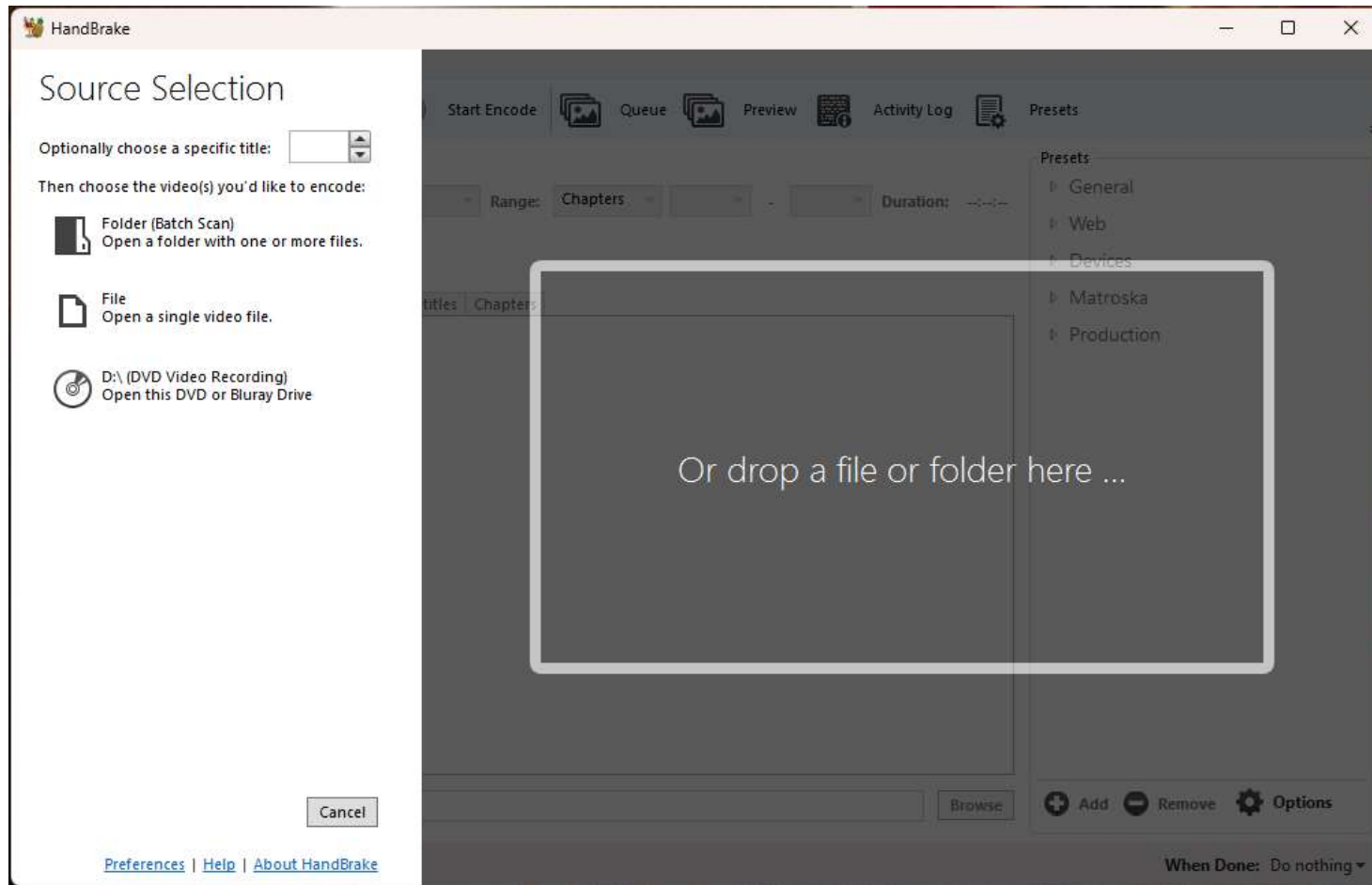


- Start the Handbrake Application



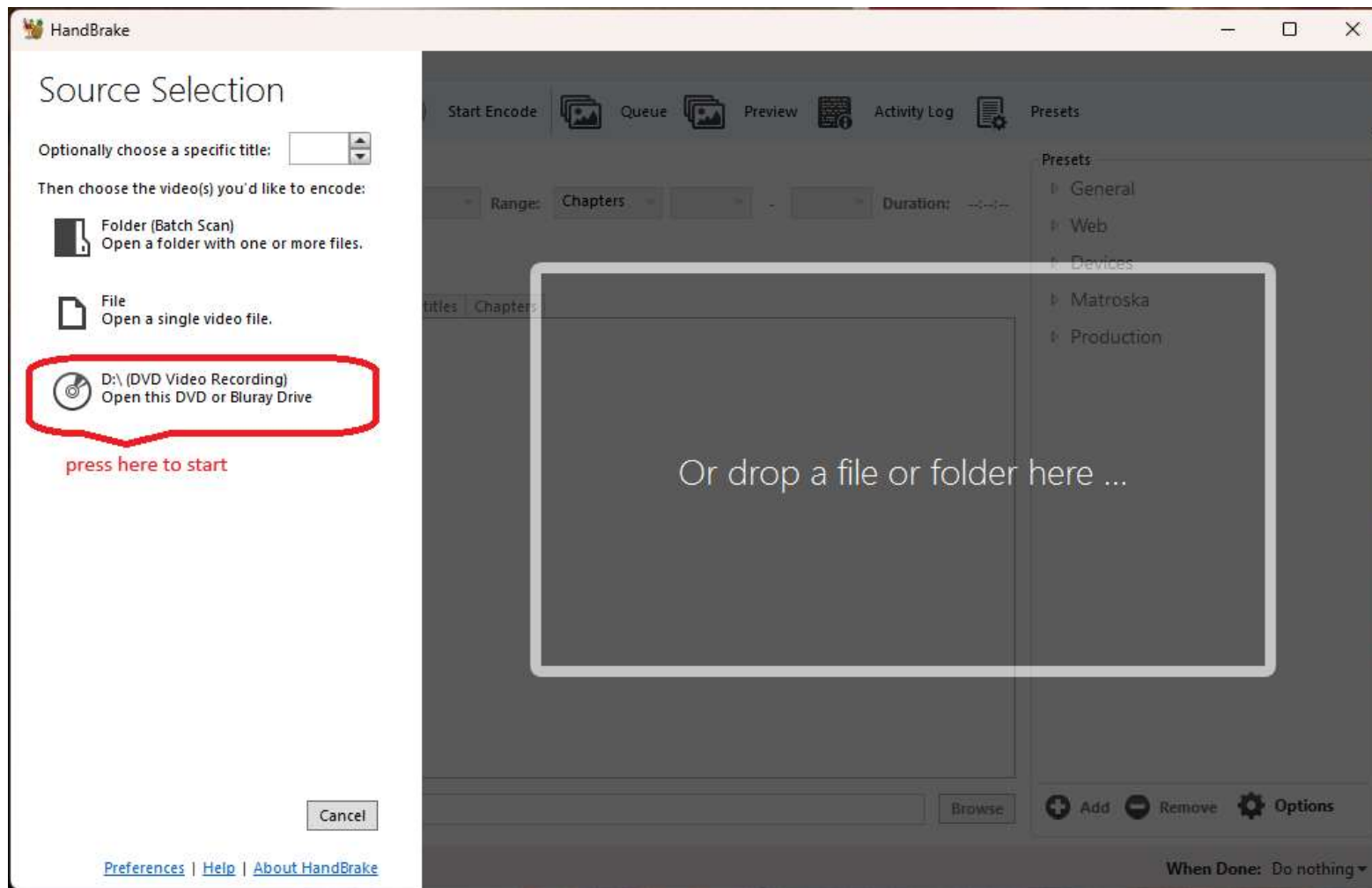
Double-click on the Desktop  
Icon  
that is circled in Red

- This is the first window you will see

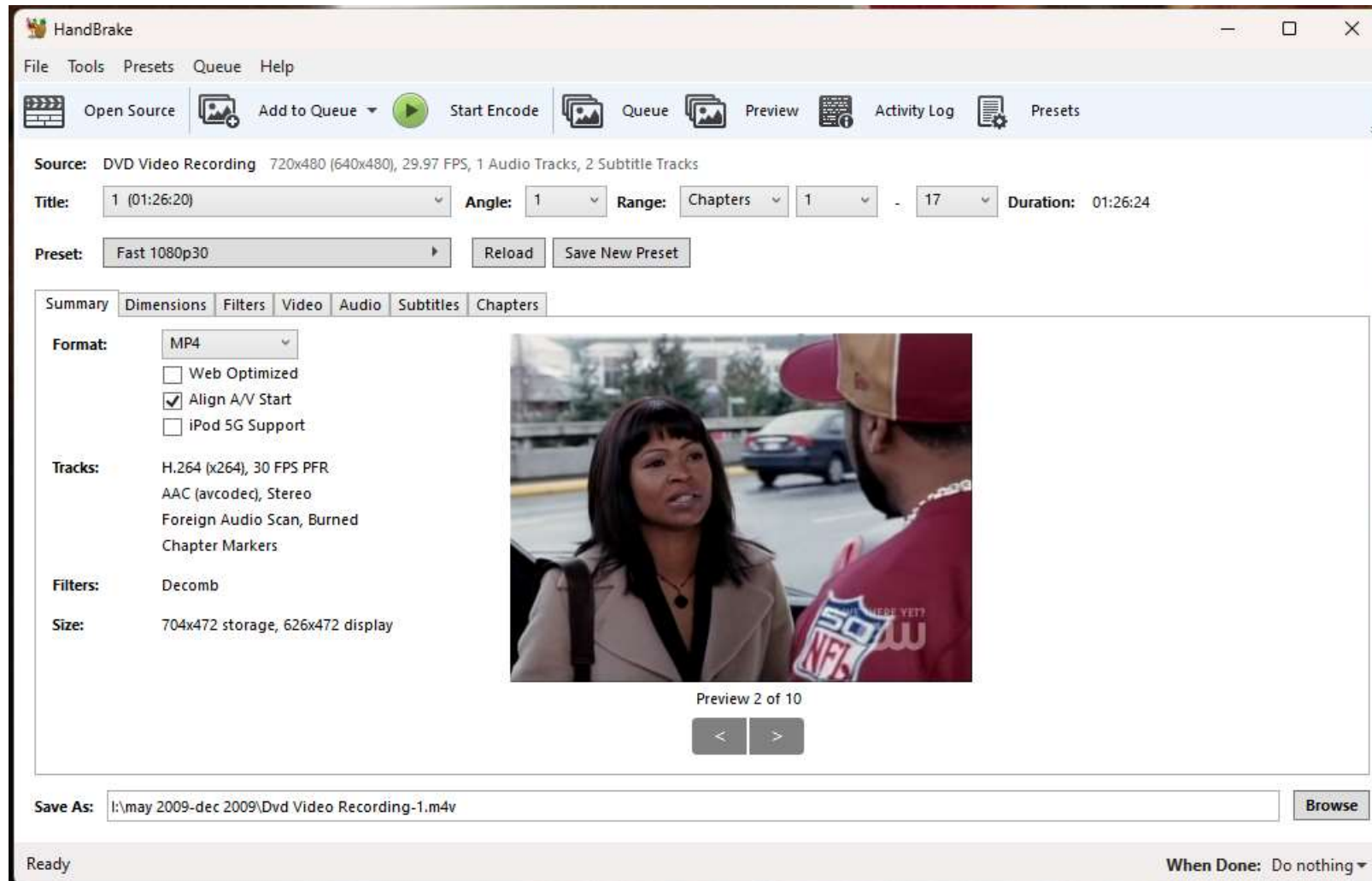




- Select the DVD as the source

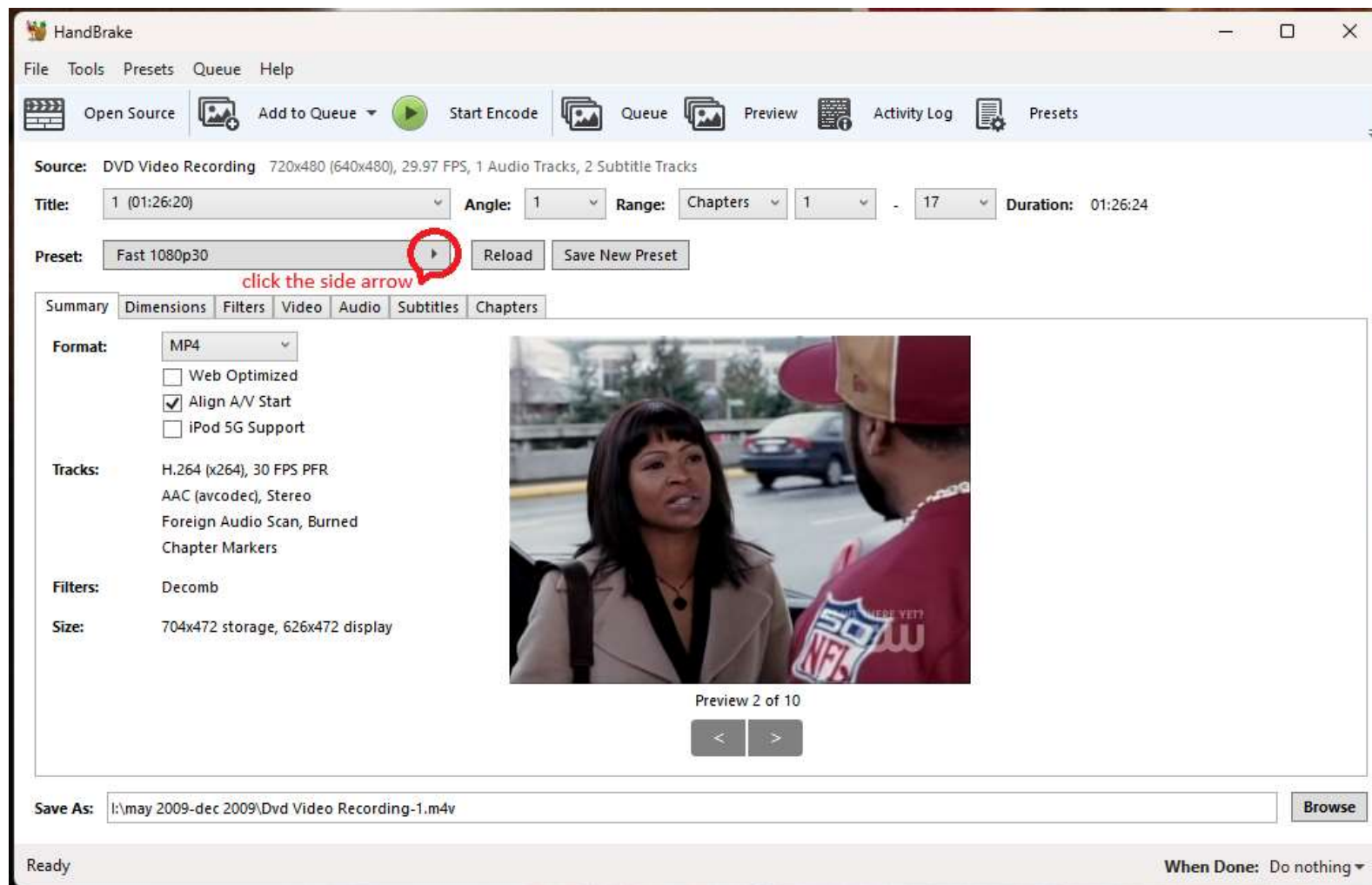


- Here is the main screen



Your picture will be different and the Titles will be different in number and in duration's

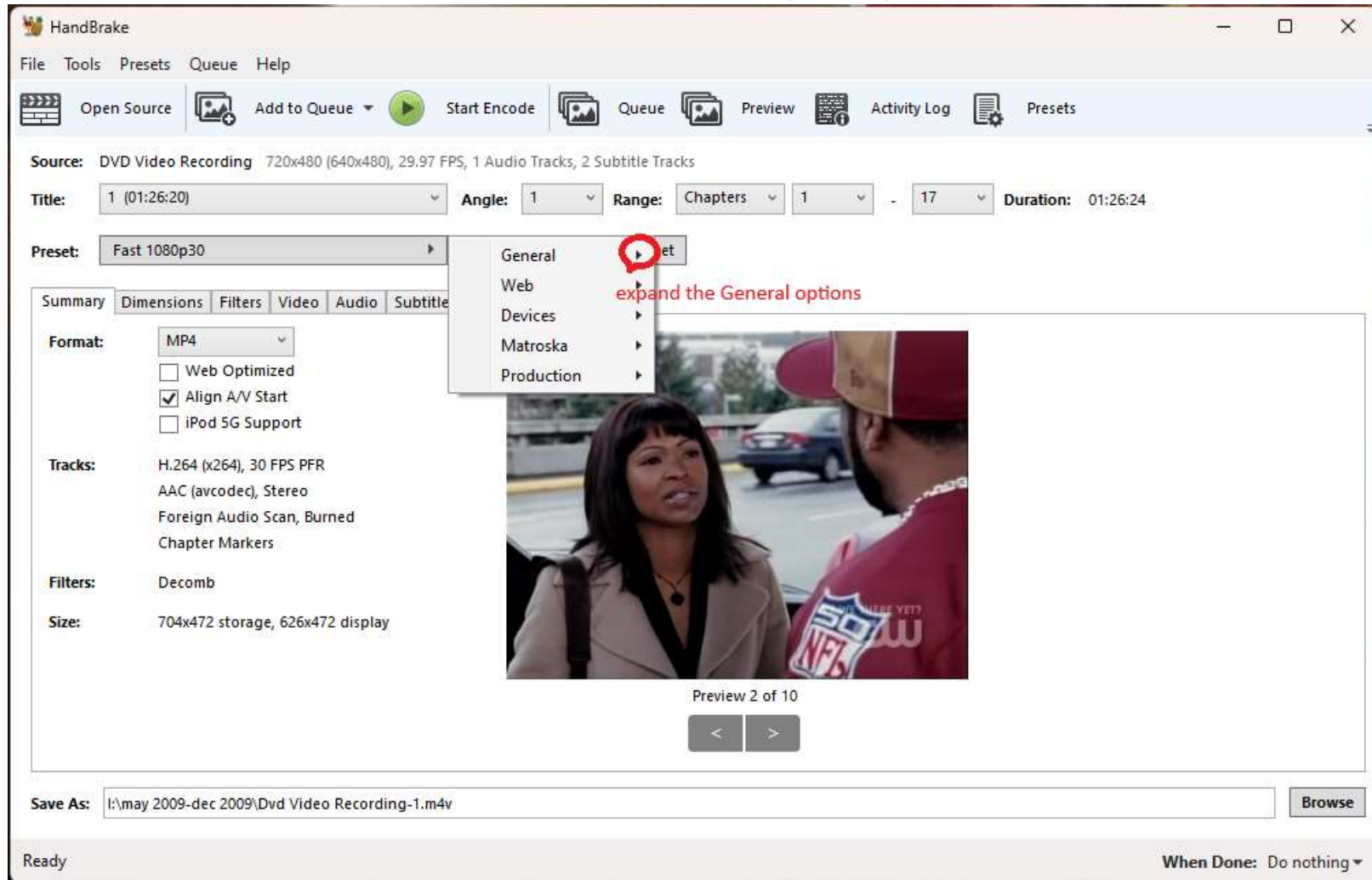
- To change the Output Resolution (or Preset)



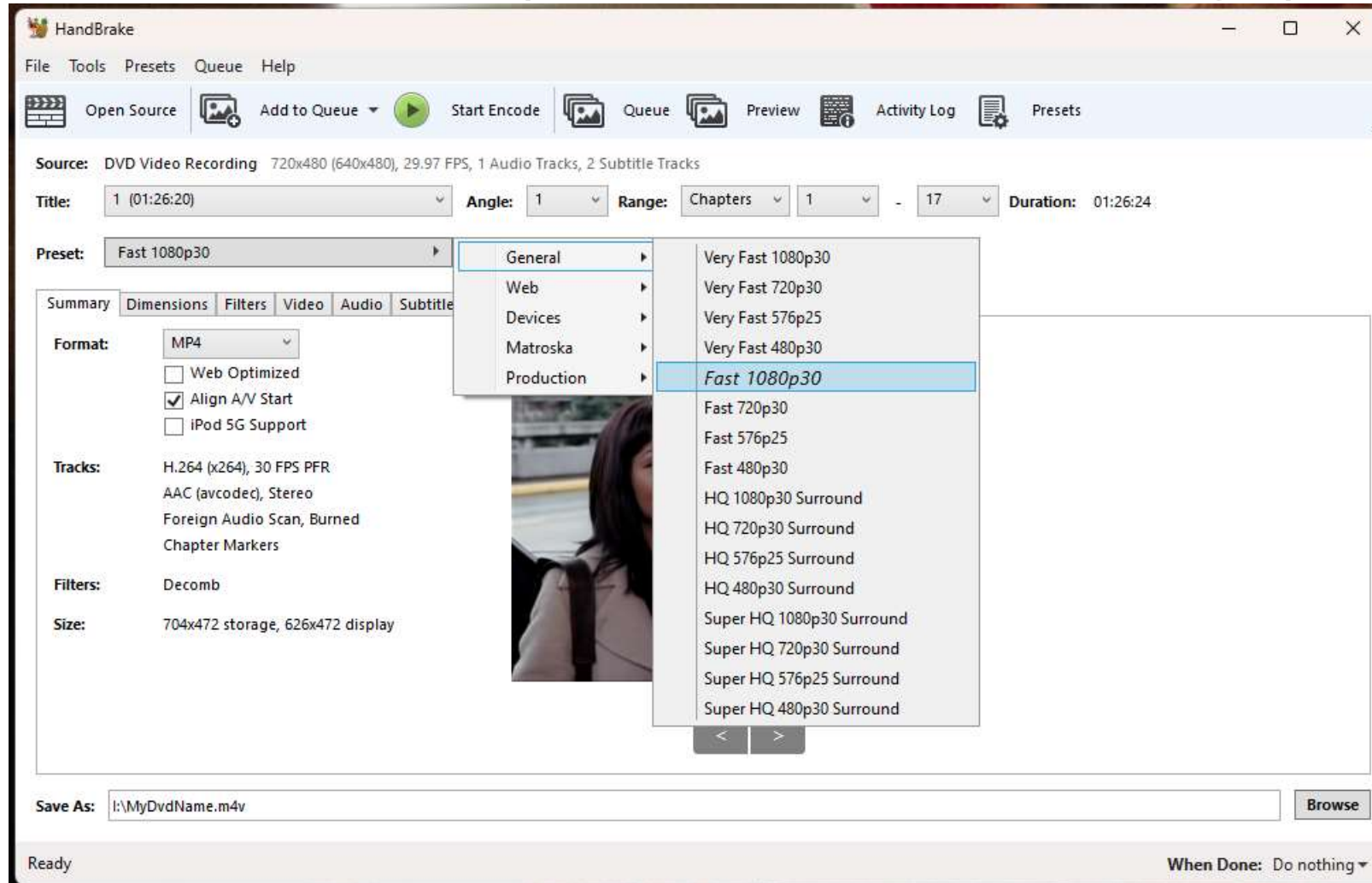
Recommend  
using Fast  
1080p30  
Preset

Skip to Title if  
the "Preset:"  
(left side of  
window,  
second box  
down) is the  
setting you  
want.

- Select the General category of Presets



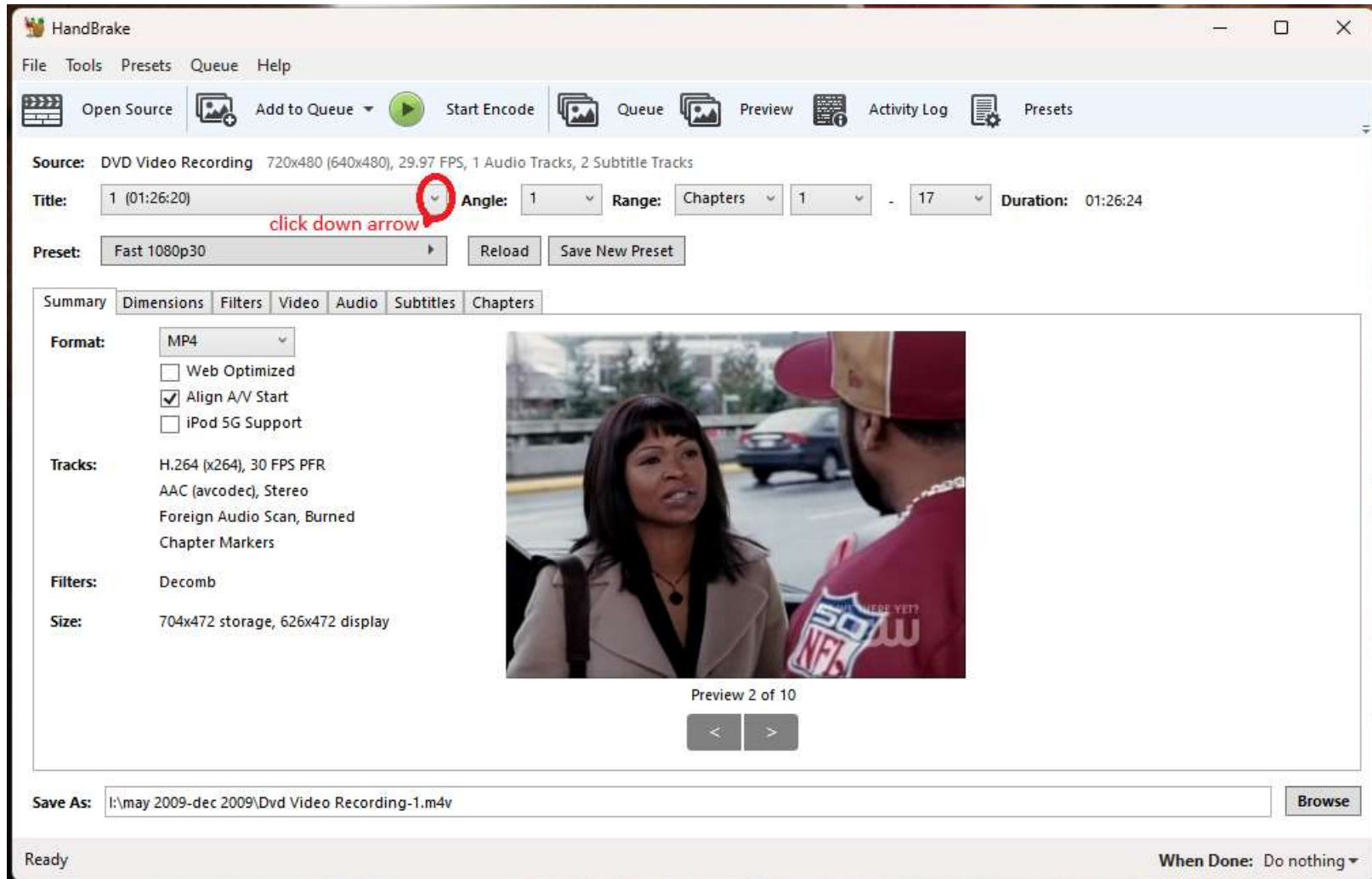
- Select Preset (size of the video image)



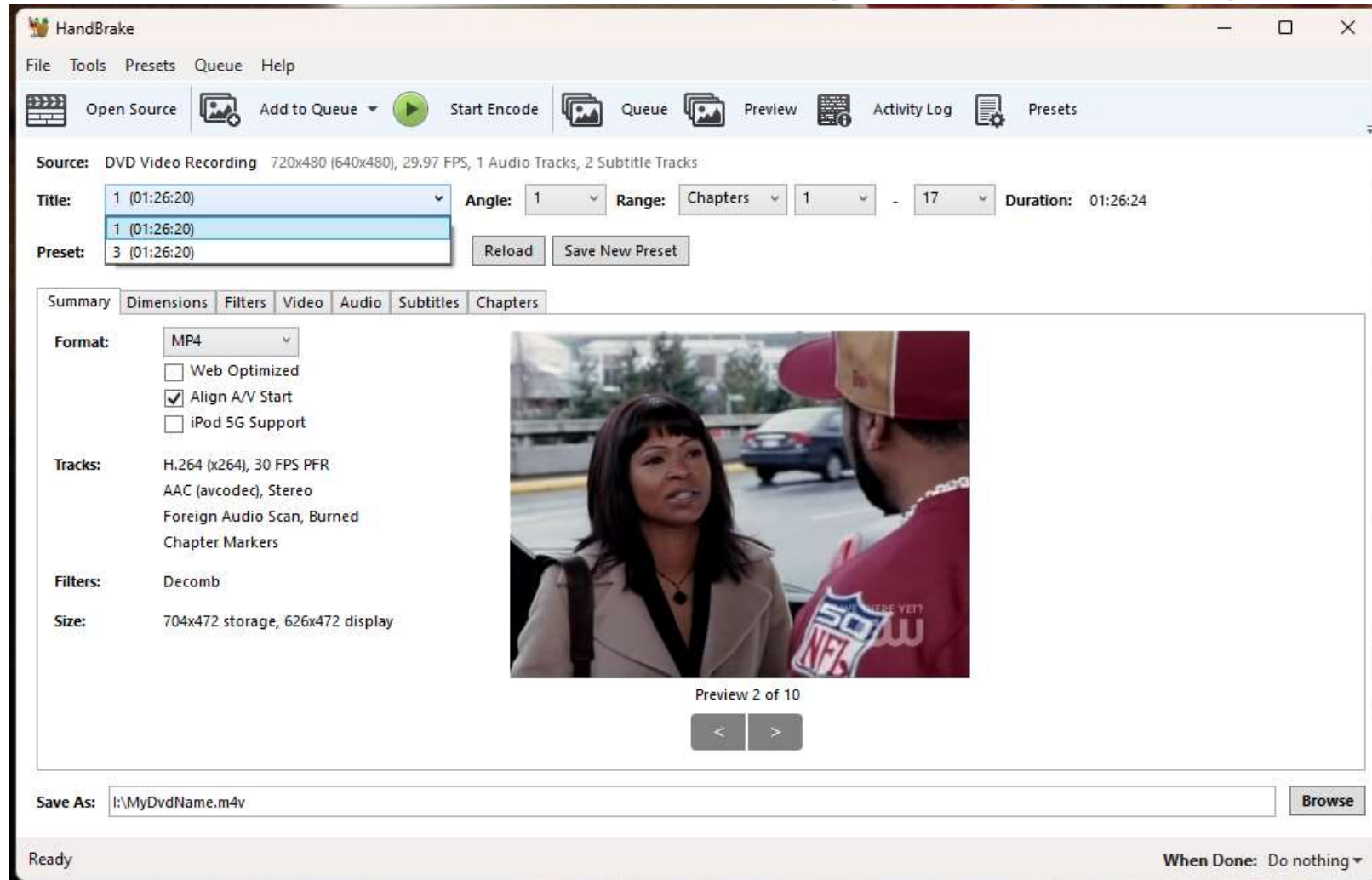
Fast is the Encoding speed (Very Fast is not much faster). HQ means High Quality. Surround Sound is unusual. 1080 is picture width. 30 is 30 frames per second



- See what titles that need to be converted

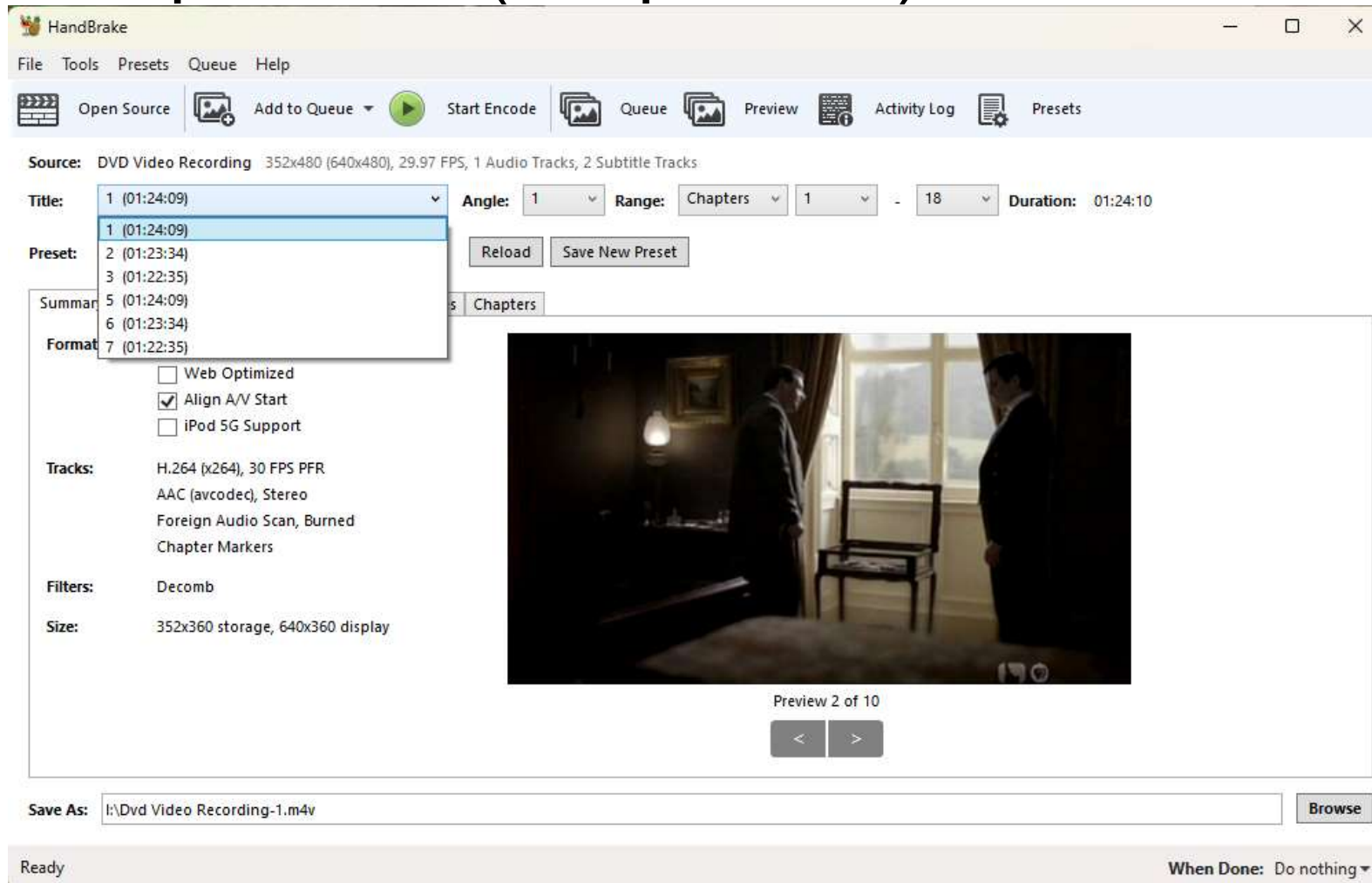


- List of Titles on the DVD (a single title)



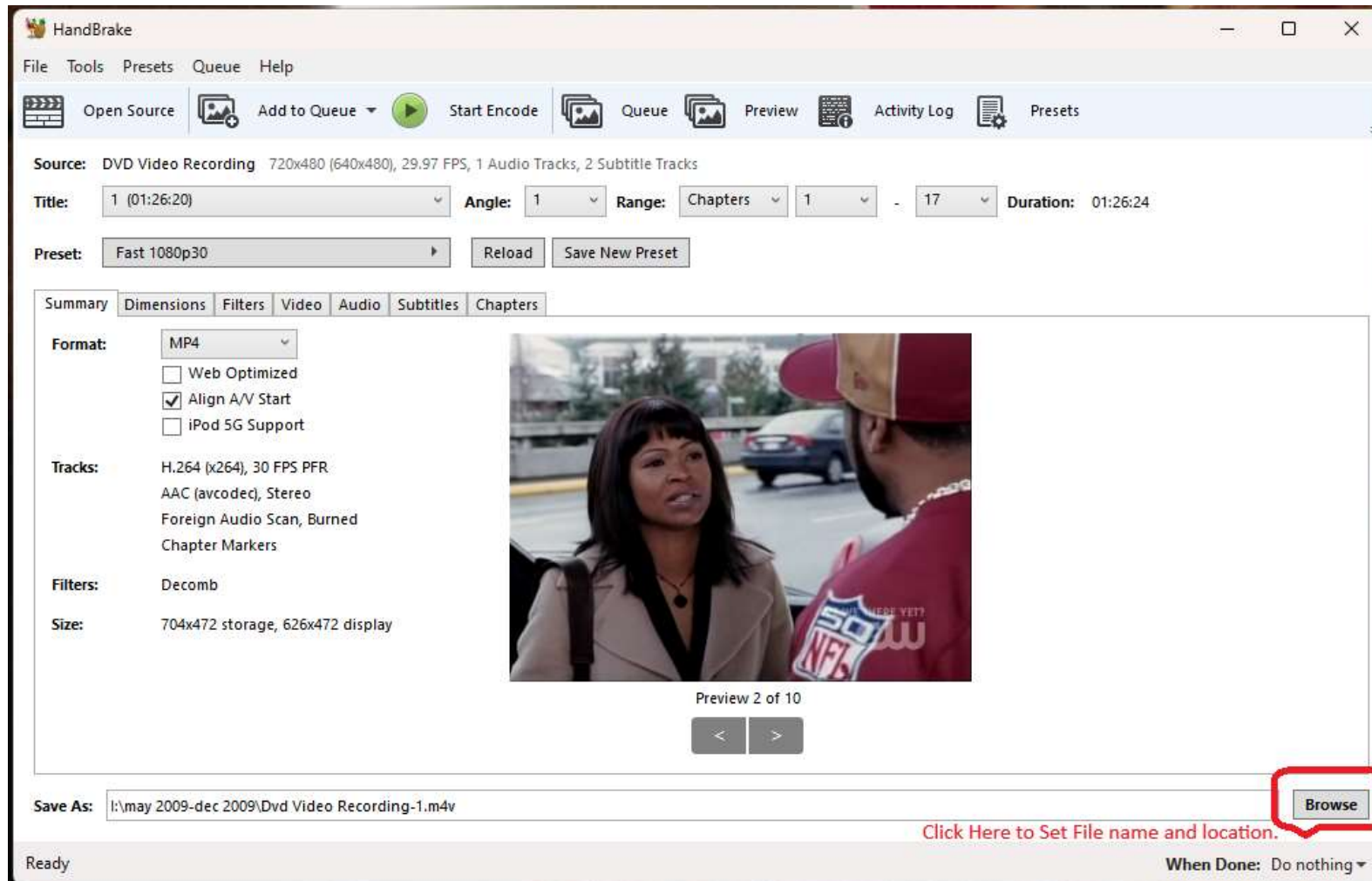
Two titles with the exact same run time is usually language or format options of the same video. You can convert both, or just select the first one.

- Multiple Titles (or episodes) to convert

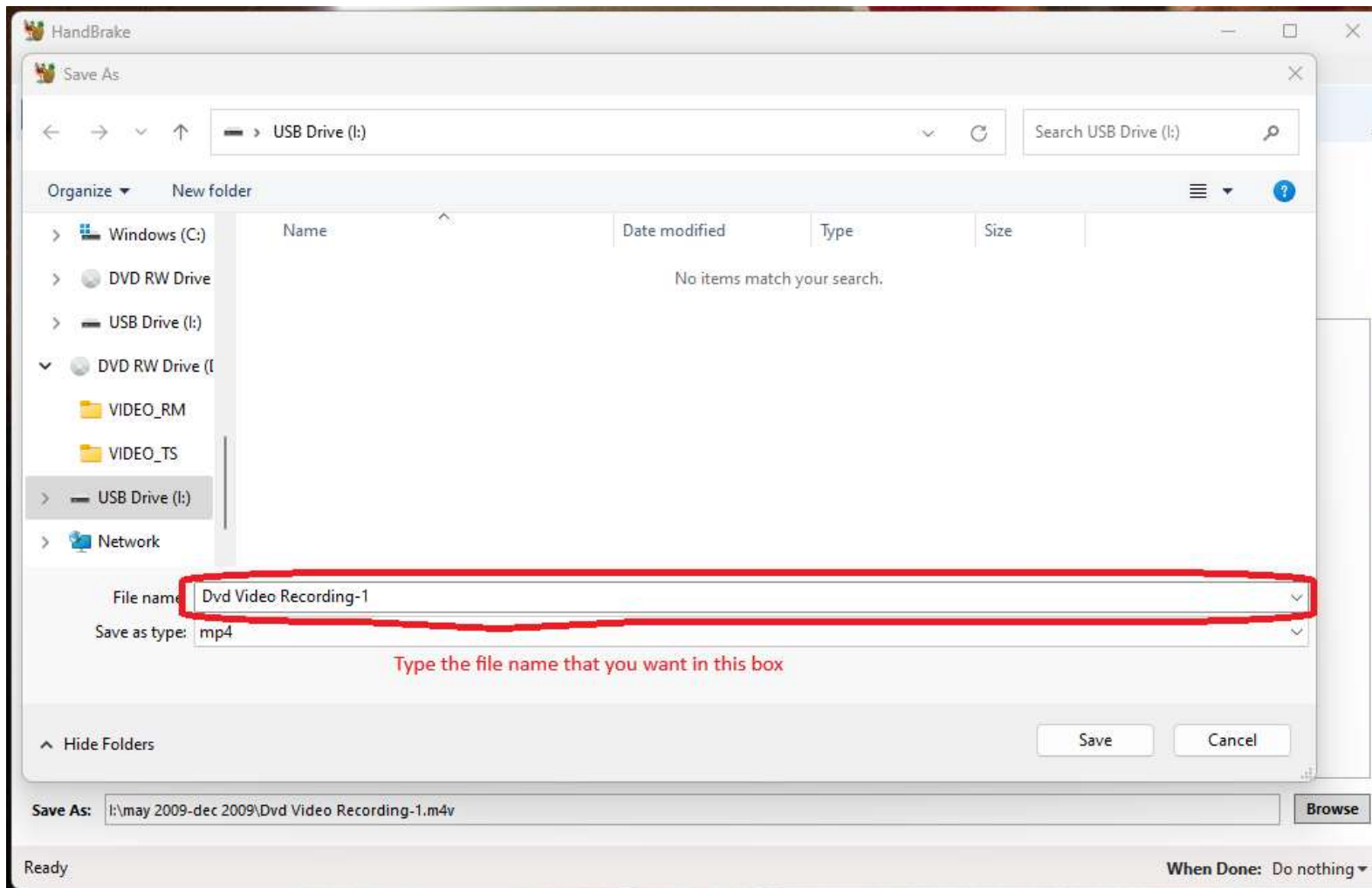


Convert each unique title. An unique length is one clue and an unique preview picture is another. Titles 1, 2, and 3 are unique. Title 5, 6, and 7 are duplicates of titles 1, 2, and 3.

- Change the file name and location



- Browse window pops up

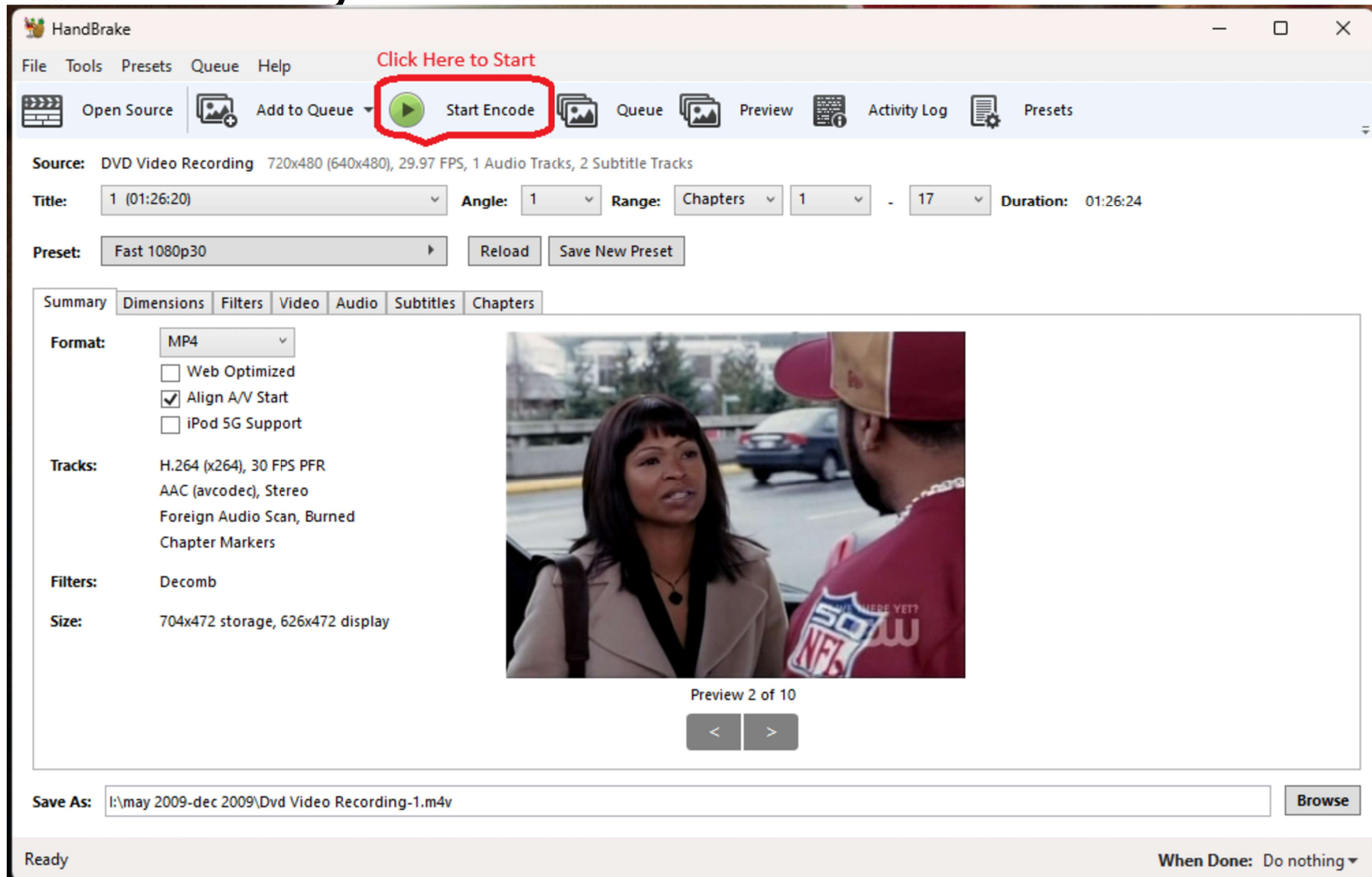


Click on (select) the directory you want to save the file in on the column on the left. Expand directories (by clicking on the > symbol) as needed.

Click "Save"

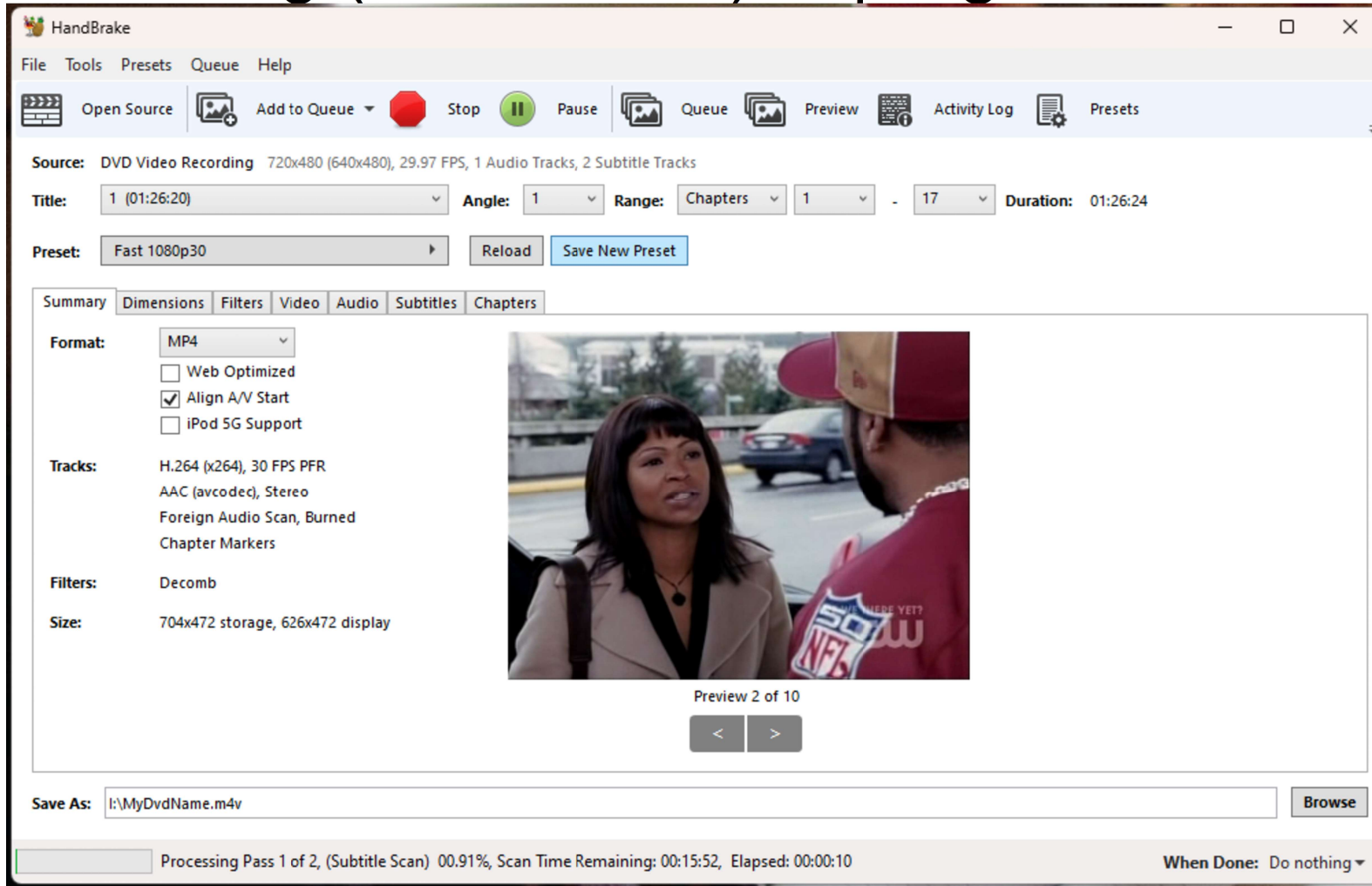


- Now ready to start

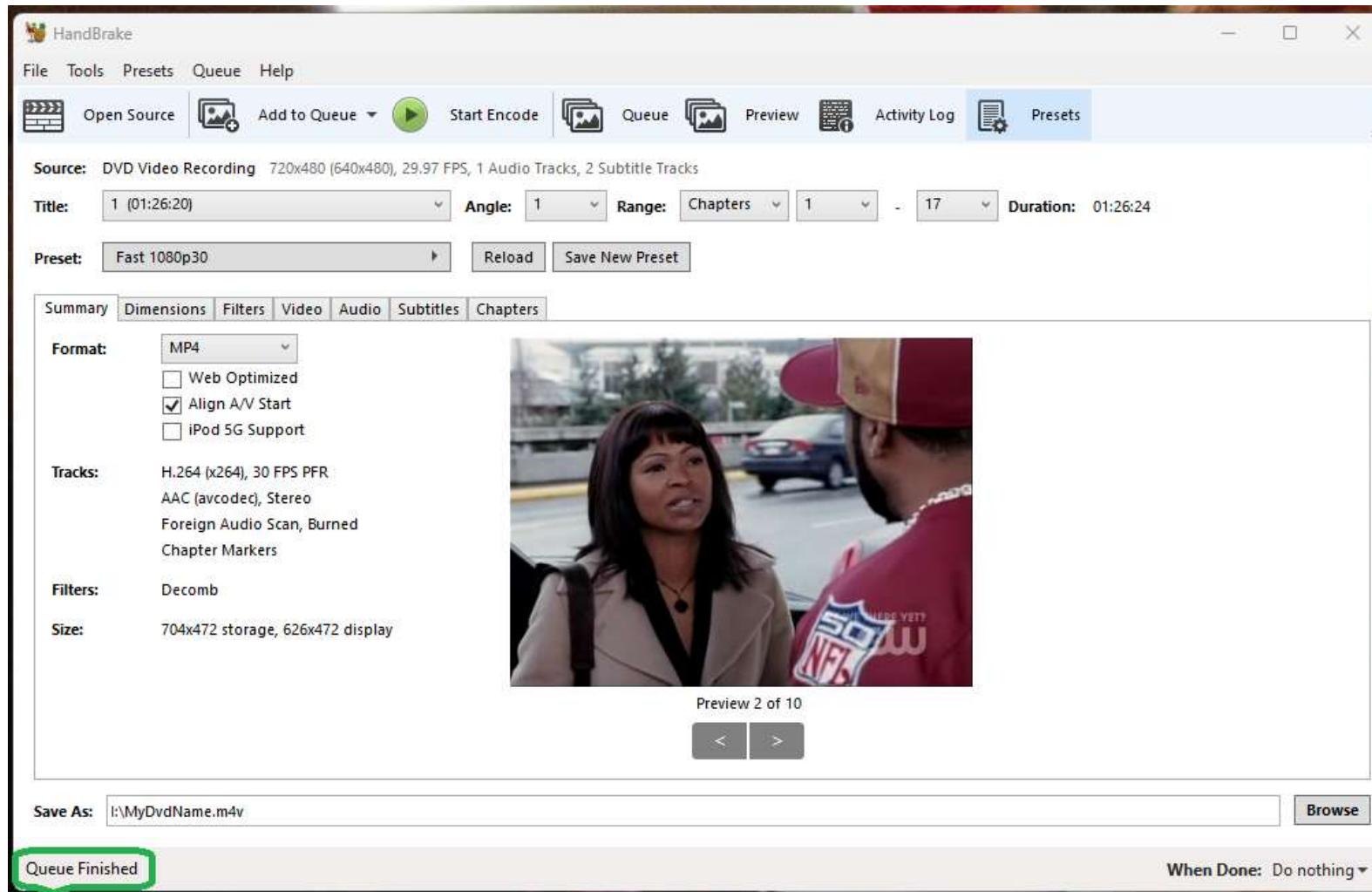


# Encoding (conversion) in progress

When Red Stop sign appears, Encoding is in process and will take 2 passes. Wait for both to complete. You can press Pause and then Resume for giggles. Press Stop to abort



# Finished



# Repeat for all Titles

If there are other titles, go back to slide 14 and repeat process until all titles are complete.