

Tuesday 2 June 2009

12:00 Music Through the Night

12:00 - Disc 1

MENDELSSOHN: String Symphonies, No 9 in C; No 11 in F; No 12 in G minor - English String Orch/William Boughton (*Nimbus NI 5143*)

1:10 (approx) - Disc 2

BEETHOVEN: Piano Sonatas, in F minor Op 2/1; in A Op 2/2; in C Op 2/3 - Michael Houston (*pno*) (Trust MMT 2011-3)

2:25 (approx) - Disc 3

Vêpres à la Vierge en Chine
Choral Vespers service from China - Shi Kelong (*chant*), Christophe Laporte (*countertenor*), Benoît Porcherot, Howard Shelton (*tens*), Ronan Nédélec (*bar*), Cyrille Gerstenhaber (*sop*), Choir of the North, Beijing, XVIII-21 *Musique des Lumières*/Jean-Christophe Frisch (*K617 155*)

3:40 (approx) - Disc 4

ELGAR: String Quartet in E minor Op 83; BRIDGE: Three Idylls; WALTON: String Quartet in A minor - Coull Quartet (*Hyperion CDA 66718*)

4:55 (approx) - Disc 5

BACH: Brandenburg Concerto No 5 in D BWV1050; Brandenburg Concerto No 6 in Bb BWV1051; Concerto in A for oboe d'amore BWV1055; Concerto in D minor for violin & oboe BWV1060 - Munich Bach Orch/Karl Richter (*Archiv 427 143*)

6:00 Classic Morning

6:00 JC BACH: Symphony in D Op 18/4 - Failoni Orch/Hanspeter Gmür (*Naxos 8.553367*)

POPPER arr Gerhardt/J Lloyd Webber: Gavotte No 2 in D Op 23 - Julian Lloyd Webber (*cello*), National Phil/Charles Gerhardt (*RCA 74321 84112*)

BRAHMS arr Grainger: Cradle Song; FAURÉ arr Grainger: Après un rêve; Nell - Piers Lane (*pno*) (*Hyperion CDA 67279*)

SOR: Fantasy, Memories of an Evening in Berlin - Luis Orlandini (*gtr*) (*CPO 999 199*)
LYON: Fairy-tale Suite - Royal Ballet Sinfonia/David Lloyd-Jones (*Marco Polo 8.225039*)

7:00 SHOSTAKOVICH: Festive Overture Op 96 - Royal Phil/Charles Mackerras (*Tring International TRP 032*)

SAINT-SAËNS arr Setchell: Elephant, from

Carnival of the Animals; LANGLAIS: Cats, from American Suite - Martin Setchell (*organ of Christchurch Town Hall*) (*Atoll ACD 603*)

MOZART: Second movement, Andantino, from Concerto in C for flute & harp K299 - Bridget Douglas (*fl*), Carolyn Mills (*harp*), Wellington Orch/James Sedares (*Wgtn Sinfonia*)

VILLA-LOBOS: Etude No 1 in E minor; Prelude No 1 - René Bartoli (*gtr*) (*Harmonia Mundi HMA 19 0928*)

SATIE: The Adventures of Mercury - London Festival Players/Bernard Herrmann (*Decca 421 395*)

8:00 Beauty Spot: BIZET: Flower song, from Carmen - Plácido Domingo (*ten*), Los Angeles Phil/Carlo Maria Giulini (*DG 415 366*)

PUCCHINI arr Picarband/Nevi: Corazzata Sicilia, after La Bohème - Giuseppe Verdi SO, Milan/Riccardo Chailly (*Decca 475 320*)

SCHUBERT: Impromptu in F minor D935/4 - Mitsuko Uchida (*pno*) (*Philips 456 245*)

SCHUMANN: Fantasy Pieces Op 73 - Peter Scholes (*cl*), Michael Houston (*pno*) (*RNZ*)

SAINT-SAËNS: Violin Concerto No 1 in A Op 20 - Kyung-Wha Chung (*vl*), Montreal SO/Charles Dutoit (*Decca 448 128*)

ELGAR: Coronation March Op 65 - New Zealand SO/James Judd (*Naxos 8.557273*)

9:00 Composer of the Week

JOSEPH HAYDN (1732-1809)
String Quartet in A Op 20/6 - Pellegrini Quartet (*CPO 777 173*)

Night Music for two flutes & two horns
HobII/D5 - Vienna Ensemble Bella Musica/Michael Ditttrich (*dir*) (*Harmonia Mundi HMA 195 1057*)

Symphony No 45 in F# minor, Farewell - Anima Eterna/Jos van Immerseel (*Zig Zag ZZZ 040 203*)

10:00 The Works

KARLOWICZ: Eternal Songs Op 10 - New Zealand SO/Antoni Wit (*Naxos 8.570295*)

PAGANINI: Violin Concerto No 1 in D Op 6 - Shmuel Ashkenasi (*vl*), Vienna SO/Heribert Esser (*DG 429 524*)

RAVEL: Miroirs - John Chen (*pno*) (*ABC 476 6834*)

BEETHOVEN: Symphony No 1 in C Op 21 - ASMF/Neville Marriner (*PentaTone PTC 5186 118*)

12:00 Upbeat

Music news & current affairs with Eva Radich (*RNZ*)

1:30 The Voice of Scandinavia

GRIEG: Six Songs Op 25, Minstrels; A swan; Album lines; With a waterlily; Gone!; A bird's song - Katarina Karnéus (*mezzo*), Julius Drake (*pno*) (*Hyperion CDA 67670*)

STENHAMMAR: Chitra Op 43 - Swedish Radio

SO/Esa-Pekka Salonen (*Musica Sveciae MSCD 626*)

2:00 Afternoon Requests

CHAPI: Fantasia morisca - Madrid Comunidad Orch/José Ramón Encinar (*Naxos 8.572195*)

BACH: Concerto in D minor for two violins BWV1043 - Julia Fischer, Alexander Sitkovetsky (*vl*ns), ASMF (*Decca 478 0650*)

VANHAL: Flute Quartet in Bb Op 7/2 - Uwe Grodd (*fl*), Janaki String Trio (*Naxos 8.570234*) (Box 123, Wellington or concert@radionz.co.nz)

3:00 CD Masters

Classic performances from the back catalogue

DEBUSSY: Children's Corner - Arturo Benedetti Michelangeli (*pno*) (*rec 1971*) (*DG 415 372*)

SCHOENBERG: Transfigured Night - Berlin Phil/Herbert von Karajan (*rec 1973*) (*DG 415 326*)

4:00 Made in New Zealand

NZ musicians and composers
HILL: String Quartet No 2 in G minor, A Maori Legend in Four Scenes - Dominion Quartet (*Naxos 8.570491*)

FARR: Waka - Aroha Priest (*vocalist*), Wellington Orch/Kenneth Young (*Vector Wgtn Orch VWO 001*)

LISZT: Héroïde funèbre - New Zealand SO/Michael Halász (*Naxos 8.557847*)

5:00 Cadenza

LILBURN: Aotearoa Overture - New Zealand SO/James Judd (*Naxos 8.557697*)

VIVALDI: Violin Concerto in E RV265 - Elizabeth Wilcock (*vl*), Academy of Ancient Music/Christopher Hogwood (*Decca 475 7693*)

BRAHMS: Variations on a theme by Paganini, Book 2 - Alexander Paley (*pno*) (Blüthner BLT-AP 10015)

VIOTTI: Second movement, Adagio, from Harp Sonata in Bb - Nicanor Zabaleta (*harp*) (*DG 415 893*)

WAGNER: Liebestod, from Tristan & Isolde - BBC Phil/Edward Downes (*BBC Music BBC MM 257*)

VERDI: E strano!...e strano! from La Traviata - Ruth Ann Swenson (*sop*), London SO/Julius Rudel (*EMI CDC 5 56764*)

TORKE: The Yellow Pages - Michael Torke (*pno*), London Sinfonietta/David Miller (*Argo 430 209*)

RIMSKY-KORSAKOV: Silence descends on the yellow cornfields - Sergei Larin (*ten*), Eleonora Bekova (*pno*) (*Chandos CHAN 9547*)

HUBAY: Czárdás Scene No 6, The yellow beetle Op 34 - Hagai Shaham (*vl*), Arnon Erez (*pno*) (*Hyperion CDA 67441/2*)

MYASKOVSKY: Nos 3, 4, 6 & 7, from Vergilbte Seiten (*Yellowed Pages*) Op 31 - Oleg Marshev

(*pno*) (*Danacord DACOCD 429*)

J BANISTER: Come unto these yellow sands - Robin Blaze (*countertenor*), Elizabeth Kenny (*lute*) (*Hyperion CDA 67126*)

YIN/CHU/SHENG/LIU: Fourth movement, Defend the Yellow River, from Yellow River Piano Concerto - Yin Chengzong (*pno*), Slovak Radio SO, Bratislava/Adrian Leaper (*Naxos 8.554499*)

KABALEVSKY: The Comedians Op 26 - BBC Phil/Vassily Sinaisky (*Chandos CHAN 10052*)

7:00 Sound Lounge

Kate Mead hosts a weekly forum for contemporary music

8:00 Ars Acustica

Four programmes

(1) The theme for the European Broadcasting Union (EBU)'s Art's Birthday 2009 is "Safe and Sound". In a rapidly changing and

increasingly unforeseeable world, safety has become a major concern on many levels of public and private life. Governments,

institutions and individuals are deploying extreme efforts in order to protect

themselves from any kind of threat - presumed or real, manmade or natural. At the same time, the growing social, economic

and spiritual insecurity has fostered a widespread quest for "safe havens" that can reanchor the individual and provide them

with a sense of belonging and homeliness. Such havens, natural or cultural, tend to be

protected and preserved with the utmost verve. Sound plays a major role for the perception and communication of both, safety and insecurity (*EBU*)

10:00 Six programmes in which Kate Mead talks about the life and music of PETER GABRIEL (*b1950*), original and reluctant, pre-

Phil Collins, frontman of Genesis; inventor of the stage dive; solo artist; driving force behind WOMAD; film score composer; founder of the Real World studio and record

label

(1) So? (*RNZ*)

11:00 New Music Dreams