

Monday 24 December 2012

12:00 Music Through the Night

Disc 1
TELEMANN: Overtures, in C TWV55/C6; in D TWV55/D19; in Bb TWV55/B10 - Paul Goodwin, Lorraine Wood, Sophia McKenna (*obs*), Alberto Grazi (*bsn*), Andrew Clark, Gavin Edwards (*hns*), English Concert/Trevor Pinnock (*Archiv 437 558*)
1:15 approx - Disc 2
BRAHMS: Prelude & Fugue in G minor; Fugue in Ab minor; Eleven Chorale Preludes Op 122; Chorale, Prelude & Fugue in A minor on O Traurigkeit, O Herzeleid; Prelude & Fugue in A minor - Robert Parkins (*org*) (*Naxos 8.550824*)
2:25 approx - Disc 3
TRAD: Silent Night; Carol of the Bells; G GABRIEL: O magnum mysterium; TRAD: Joseph dearest, Joseph mine; BILLINGS: The shepherd's carol; TRAD: Still, still, still; O Tannenbaum; The first Nowell; FRIEDEL: Saw you never in the twilight; TRAD: The holly & the ivy; BRITTEN: Hymn to the Virgin; TRAD: O little town of Bethlehem; Patapan; Away in a manger; HASSLER: Angelus ad pastores ait; AVERRE: Did Mary know?; TRAD: Deck the hall; Coventry Carol; MARENZIO: Hodie Christus natus est; TRAD Baloo, Lammy; I saw three ships; Of the father's love begotten; MANZ: E'en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come; TRAD: As with gladness men of old; I wonder as I wander; A la nanita nan; Ding Dong! Merrily on high - Musica Sacra/Richard Westenburg (*DG 429 732*)
3:40 approx - Disc 4
DIMMLER: Clarinet Concerto in Bb; WINTER: Sinfonia Concertante in Bb for violin, clarinet, horn, bassoon & orchestra; TAUSCH: Clarinet Concerto in Eb - Karl Schlechta (*cl*), Kurpfalz Chamber Orch/Jiri Malát (*Arte Nova 74321-37298*)
4:45 approx - Disc 5
BARTÓK: Rhapsody for piano and orchestra Op 1; Scherzo for piano and orchestra; DOHNÁNYI: Variations on a Nursery Song - Zoltán Kocsis (*pno*), Budapest Festival Orch/Iván Fischer (*Philips 446 472*)

6:00 Classic Morning

6:00 FERRANDINI: Christmas Symphony - New Zealand SO/Marc Taddei (*Trust MMT*)

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NORDQVIST: Christmas, Christmas, glorious Christmas - Sofia Vocal Ensemble/Bengt Ollén (*Footprint Records FRCD 060*)
HUBICKI: Theme & Variations - Bochmann Quartet (*Chandos CHAN 10322*)
MOZART: Horn Concerto No 1 in D K412 - Jonathan Williams (*horn*), CO of Europe/Alexander Schneider (*COE Records CD COE 805*)
RAVEL: Menuet in C# minor; Prélude in A minor; Menuet sur le nom d'Haydn; A la manière de Borodine; A la manière de Chabrier - Steven Osborne (*pno*) (*Hyperion CDA 67731/2*)
RR BENNETT: Suite française - Royal Ballet Sinfonia/Gavin Sutherland (*ASV White Line CD WHL 2131*)
7:00 LEONTOVICH arr Hayman: Carol of the Bells - Hallé Orch/Carl Davis (*Hallé CD HIL 7504*)
WARREN: Wexford Bells, Suite on old Irish tunes Shepherds' Dance; Lute Book lullaby; Christmas jig; Wexford bells - Royal Ballet Sinfonia/Gavin Sutherland (*Sanctuary CD RSB 205*)
GLAZUNOV: Orientale, from Five Novelettes Op 15 - St Petersburg String Quartet (*Delos DE 3262*)
BELLINI: Oboe Concerto in Eb - Diana Doherty (*ob*), Queensland SO/Werner Andreas Albert (*ABC Classics 456 681*)
MUSTONEN: Three Simple Pieces - Martti Rousi (*cello*), Olli Mustonen (*pno*) (*Finlandia 4509 95860*)
BRAHMS orch Parlow: Hungarian Dances, No 5 in G minor; No 6 in D - Stuttgart Radio SO/Georges Prêtre (*Forlane 16770*)
8:00 Beauty Spot: HANDEL arr Galway: Pastoral Symphony, from Messiah - James Galway (*fl*), Munich Radio Orch/John Georgiadis (*RCA 74321 37731*)
BRITTEN: Miniature Suite - Emperor Quartet (*BIS SACD 1540*)
LISZT: La Campanella, Transcendental Study No 3 in G# minor after Paganini - Dominic Piers Smith (*pno*) (*Private Recording 2008A*)
GUIRAUD: Caprice - Philippe Graffin (*vln*), Ulster Orch/Thierry Fischer (*Hyperion CDA 67294*)
BACH arr Palmer: First movement, Overture, from Orchestral Suite No 1 in C BWV1066 - Christchurch Youth Recorder Ensemble/Neville Forsythe (*Private CYRE 2002A*)
BRIAN: Festal Dance - RTE National SO/Adrian Leaper (*Naxos 8.572020*)
9:00 Christmastide
From Heaven Above
NICOLAI: Christmas Overture - Aurelius Boys' Choir & Württemberg Phil/Ola Rudner

(*Hänssler CD 98.635*)
TRAD arr Meyer: Angels we have heard on high; O Tannenbaum; God rest ye merry, Gentlemen; WILLIS: It came upon the Midnight clear; BACH: Vom Himmel hoch, da komm ich her - Leontyne Price (*sop*) & friends/Herbert von Karajan (*Decca 421 103*)
RIES: Variations on a Portugese Hymn Op 152/1 - Uwe Grodd (*fl*), Matteo Napoli (*pno*) (*Naxos 8.572038*)
MENDELSSOHN: Vom Himmel hoch - Lisa Milne (*sop*), Christopher Maltman (*bar*), London Phil Chorus & Orch/Vladimir Jurowski (*LPO 0050*)
10:00 The Works
SIBELIUS: Symphony No 3 in C Op 52 - Helsinki Phil/Leif Segerstam (*Ondine ODE 1075-2Q*)
RESPIGHI rev di Vittorio: Suite for strings - CO of New York "Ottorino Respighi"/Salvatore di Vittorio (*Naxos 8.572332*)
HAYDN: Keyboard Sonata No 29 in Eb HobXVI/45 - Emanuel Ax (*pno*) (*Sony SK 89363*)
KHACHATURIAN: Violin Concerto in D minor - Arabella Steinbacher (*vln*), CBSO/Sakari Oramo (*Orfeo C 623 041 A*)
12:00 Upbeat

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

1:30 Lighten Up

Music from film, the stage and international classical charts
A Great American Minstrel
IRVING BERLIN
Alexander's Ragtime Band - Boston Pops Orch/Arthur Fiedler (*DG 423 771*)
arr Riddle: Blue skies - Kiri Te Kanawa (*sop*), Nelson Riddle & his Orch (*Decca 444 614*)
Cheek to cheek; Top hat - Yehudi Menuhin (*vln*), Stéphane Grappelli (*vln*), Alan Clare Trio (*EMI 7 69219*)
It's a lovely day today, from Call Me Madam
Kenneth Gibson..... Lewis Cleare
Princess Maria..... Melissa Errico
Coffee Club Orch/Rob Fisher (*DRG 714761*)
There's no business like show business, from Annie Get Your Gun - Boston Pops Orch/John Williams (*Philips 412 132*)
arr Hazell: White Christmas - Bryn Terfel, Bing Crosby (*bars*), Welsh National Opera Orch/Tecwyn Evans (*DG 477 8768*)

2:00 Afternoon Requests

TRAD: O little town of Bethlehem - Introduced by Heath Lees (*RNZ*)
TRAD arr Vaughan Williams/Walsh: O little town of Bethlehem - Choir of Wellington Cathedral of St Paul/Philip Walsh, Andrew MacMillan (*org*) (*Herald HAVPCD 224*)
M-A CHARPENTIER: Noels pour les instruments - Concerto Cologne/Martin

Sandhoff (*Berlin Classics 030 0276 BC*)
BIZET: Jeux d'enfants - Katia & Marielle Labèque (*pno duet*) (*Philips 420 159*)
ADAM arr Arch: O Holy Night - Il Divo, with children's chorus & orch (*Syco Music CK 97715*)
HOPKINS arr Iveson: We three kings of Orient are - James Blades, David Corkill (*percussion*), Philip Jones Brass Ensemble/Philip Jones (*Decca 448 980*)
(Box 123, Wellington or concert@radionz.co.nz)

3:00 CD Masters

Classic performances from the back catalogue
MENDELSSOHN: Capriccio in E minor Op 81/3; Theme with Variations in E Op 81/1; Scherzo in A minor Op 81/2 - Emerson String Quartet (*rec 2003*) (*DG 477 5370*)
BEETHOVEN: Piano Concerto No 4 in G Op 58 - Murray Perahia (*pno*), Concertgebouw Orch/Bernard Haitink (*rel 1985*) (*CBS MK 39814*)

4:00 Made in New Zealand

NZ performers and composers
FARR: Taheke - Bridget Douglas (*fl*), Carolyn Mills (*harp*) (*Atoll ACD 709*)
SCHUMANN: Papillons Op 2 - Diedre Irons (*pno*) (*Trust MMT 2041*)
VIVALDI: Four Seasons, Winter - Alan Loveday (*vln*), ASMF/Neville Marriner (*Decca 466 232*)
BALDWIN: O magnum mysterium; Lullay my liking - Choir of Wellington Cathedral of St Paul/Michael Fulcher (*Raven OAR 924*)
PANN: Soirée Macabre with demons on the dance floor; RHODES: Appalachian Breakdown - Nicola Melville (*pno*) (*Innova 691*)
5:00 Cadenza

GERMAN: Three Dances, from Henry VIII - Northern Sinfonia of England/Richard Hickox (*EMI CDC 7 49933*)
F COUPERIN arr Allen: Les baricades mystérieuses - Nancy Allen (*harp*) (*EMI CDM 7 69070*)
ABEL: Symphony in E Op 10/1 - Frankfurt La Stagione/Michael Schneider (*CPO 999 207*)
SAINT-SAËNS: Bassoon Sonata in G Op 168 - members of Nash Ensemble (*Hyperion CDA 67431/2*)
HOVHANESS: Alleluia & Fugue Op 40b - I Fiamminghi/Rudolf Werthen (*Telarc CD 80392*)
CABEZON: Folia, Para quien crié yo cabellos - Jordi Savall (*via da gamba*), Michael Behringer (*org*) (*Alia Vox AV 9805*)
JOPLIN arr Crespo: Ragtime Dance; Solace, A Mexican Serenade - German Brass/Enrique Crespo (*EMI CDC 7 49170*)
JONGEN: Soleil à midi Op 33/1 - Jean-Claude Vanden Eynden (*pno*) (*Fuga Libera FUG 586*)
WOODCOCK: Oboe Concerto in Eb - Neil Black (*ob*), Thames CO/Michael Dobson (*CRD*)

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HOLST: Venus, Bringer of Peace, from Planets Suite - Philadelphia Orch/Eugene Ormandy (RCA 09026 68999)

TICHELI: There will be rest - Phoenix Bach Choir, Kansas City Chorale/Charles Bruffy (Chandos CHSA 5045)

TRAD arr Idenstam: Inner peace - Johan Hedin (*nyckelharpa*), Gunnar Idenstam (*org*) (Caprice CAP 21807)

COPLAND: Quiet City - Paula Engerer (*cor anglais*), Scott Moore (*tp*), Nashville CO/Paul Gambill (Naxos 8.559069)

7:00 Christmastide

Christmas Eve

TCHAIKOVSKY: The Nutcracker, Suite - Royal Phil/Enrique Bátiz (*Sanctuary CD RSN 3046*)

BRUK: Thanks to the Christmas Tree; Children's Christmas Eve; It's Christmas Eve, from Light to the Earth - Gabriel Suovanen (*bar*), instrumental ensemble/Neeme Punder (NCB F&NBCD-11)

LANE: Another Night Before Christmas - Simon Callow (*narrator*), RTE Concert Orch/Gavin Sutherland (Naxos 8.572744)

CAMPKIN: Sleep, Holy Babe; BURGES: Coventry Carol - Blossom Street/Hilary Campbell (Naxos 8.572868)

LILJEFORS: Christmas draws nigh; GRUBER: Silent Night - Oystein Baadsvik (*tuba*), Trondheim SO/Torodd Wigum (BIS CD 1885)

8:00 Music Alive

Anna Leese (*sop*), Kate Spence (*mezzo*), David Hamilton (*ten*), Jared Holt (*bar*), Tudor Consort, Wellington Orch/Michael Stewart
BACH: Christmas Oratorio (*recorded in the Wellington Town Hall by RNZ*)

10:20 Day's End

MALIPIERO: Gabrielliana - Swiss-Italian Orch/Christian Benda (Naxos 8.570883)

PÄRT: Spiegel im Spiegel - Dietmar Schwalke (*cello*), Alexander Malter (*pno*) (ECM 1591)

VAUGHAN WILLIAMS: Five Variants of Dives & Lazarus - London SO/Richard Hickox (Chandos CHAN 9593)

11:00 SMETANA: String Quartet No 1 in E minor, From my life - Smetana Quartet (Supraphon SU 4003)

IRELAND: Decorations, The island spell; Moon-glade; The scarlet ceremonies - Mark Bebbington (*pno*) (Somm SOMMCD 074)

ALFVÉN: See how brightly shines the star; GJEILO: Serenity (*O magnum mysterium*);

OLSSÉN: God's son is born - Bartosz Cajler (*vl*), Sofia Vocal Ensemble/Bengt Ollén (Footprint Records FRCD 060)