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WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART

Sonatas for fortepiano and violin, vol. 2

Isabelle Faust, Alexander Melnikov

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Using period instruments, Isabelle Faust and Alexander Melnikov breathe new life into these 'sonatas for keyboard with violin accompaniment', a tradition Mozart renewed from within, blazing the trail for Beethoven, Schubert and Schumann. The first volume was widely praised: *'The greater similarity of tone between Faust's sparkling violin and Melnikov's glittering fortepiano (within an airier acoustic) results in a sound more akin to the jingling of small bells. It's delicious'* (Gramophone). *'In a world full of star violinists, all with technical facility and individual style, it's rare to find one that everyone agrees is just – brilliant. Isabelle Faust is that violinist'* (The Strad).



Artists

- Isabelle Faust
Violin
- Alexander Melnikov
Fortepiano

Composers

- Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

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Violin Sonata, K. 376

F Major / *Fa majeur* / F-dur

- I. Allegro (4'37)
- II. Andante (5'02)
- III. Rondò. Allegretto grazioso (6'12)

Violin Sonata, K. 305

A Major / *La majeur* / A-dur

- I. Allegro di molto (6'04)
- II. Tema [con Variazioni]. Andante grazioso (9'02)

Violin Sonata, K. 301

G Major / *Sol majeur* / G-dur

- I. Allegro con spirito (7'40)
- II. Allegro (5'16)

Violin Sonata, K. 378

B-Flat Major / *Si bémol majeur* / B-dur

- I. Allegro moderato (8'59)
- II. Andantino sostenuto e cantabile (5'56)
- III. Rondeau. Allegro (4'29)