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1977: René Jacobs makes his first recording at Saint-Michel de Provence, the of Charpentier. Thirty years and more than 70 recordings later, this set retraces in sound and pictures the career of a countertenor who became a conductor out of fidelity to the spirit of the great musical masterpieces. René Jacobs himself participated in the difficult task of selecting the 32 tracks that make up the , arranged in chronological order by recording date - a series of highpoints that testify to the performer's formidable work . . . For 'work' is the key word here, with each production building on the experience of the previous ones. In the , Pierre Barré and Thierry Loreau report on René Jacobs and his many activities - from the recording studio to the rehearsal hall to the opera stage. Between his regular duties in Paris and Berlin, the maestro finds time to revisit Ghent, the site of his early training...

Artists Composers

- René Jacobs
- Marc-Antoine Charpentier
- Claudio Monteverdi
- Michel Lambert
- Heinrich Schütz
- Pietro Cesti
- François Couperin
- Johann Sebastian Bach
- Francesco Cavalli
- George Frideric Handel
- Dietrich Buxtehude
- Francisco António de Almeida
- Antonio Caldara
- Georg Philipp Telemann
- Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
- Henry Purcell
- Reinhard Keiser
- Christoph Willibald Gluck
- Nicola Antonio Porpora
- Joseph Haydn

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· **O quam pulchra es** a voce sola (5'44)

MICHEL LAMBERT [1610-1696]

· **Sombres déserts** (3'36)

HEINRICH SCHÜTZ [1585-1672]

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PIETRO CESTI [1623-1669]

· **Oronhea**

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FRANCESCO CAVALLI [1602-1676]

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GEORGE FRIDERIC HANDEL [1685-1759]

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DIETRICH BUXTEHUDE [1637-1707]

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JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH [1685-1750]

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WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART [1756-1791]

Così fan tutte

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WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART [1756-1791]

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