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GIOACCHINO ROSSINI

Una Lagrima

Ensemble Explorations, Roel Dieltiens

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With the twelve-year-old Gioachino Rossini's *Sonate a Quattronos.3* and 6 the complete cycle of these pieces is now available on harmonia mundi. Also included here are three rare jewels of chamber music by the mature composer: the *Serenata* (1823), the *Duo* for cello and double bass (1824), and the *Una lagrima* Variations for cello and piano. The latter piece shows that even in old age he was incapable of renouncing his theatrical wit, his magnificent cantilenas, and above all his *opera buffa* style.

This title was released for the first time in 2004.

Artists

- Ensemble Explorations
- Roel Dieltiens
Conductor

Composers

- Gioacchino Rossini

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GIOACCHINO ROSSINI [1792-1868]

• **Serenata** en Mi bémol majeur

E flat major / Es-dur

pour 2 violons, alto, flûte, hautbois, cor anglais et violoncelle (7'38)

Sonata a quattro n° 6

en Ré majeur / *D major* / D-dur

• Allegro spiritoso (7'19)

• Andante assai (2'50)

• Tempesta - Allegro (5'37)

Duetto pour violoncelle et contrebasse

en Ré majeur / *D major* / D-dur

• Allegro (7'04)

• Andante molto (4'12)

• Allegro (4'19)

Sonata a quattro n°3

en Ut majeur / *C major* / C-dur

• Allegro (4'06)

• Andante (4'29)

• Moderato (3'20)

• **Una Lagrima** pour violoncelle et piano (11'35)

