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Anthology

Sonate, canzone & sinfonie

Maurice Steger & ensemble

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Venice, 1625: the city of the doges is one of the principal artistic centres of Europe. At the Cappella San Marco, a profoundly original style of instrumental music is in the process of discarding all reference to the tradition of vocal polyphony. The era of Baroque *stravaganze* has begun! Now, in the hands of a supreme master of the recorder, this ultra-virtuosic art acquires a new lease of life.



Artists

- Maurice Steger
Recorder
- Hille Perl
Viola da gamba
- Lee Santana
Chitarrone
- Naoki Kitaya
Harpsichord
- Sergio Ciomei
Harpsichord
- Thomas Boysen
Theorbo
- Mauro Valli
Cello
- Margret Köll
Harp
- Thor-Harald Johnsen
Baroque guitar
- Sabrina Frey
Recorder
- Eva Borhi
Violin
- Christian Beuse
Dulcian
- Stefan Temmingh
Recorder
- Peter Barczy
Violin
- Peter Barczy
Violone

Composers

- Giovanni Battista Fontana
- Marco Uccellini
- Bernardo Storace
- Tarquinio Merula
- Salamone de Rossi Ebreo
- Dario Castello
- Alessandro Piccinini

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GIOVANNI BATTISTA FONTANA [1571-1630]

· **Sonata II** (6'35)

MARCO UCCELLINI [1603-1680]

· **Symphonia XX La Virmingarda** (2'05)

· **Sonata XXVI sopra la Prosperina** (4'13)

· **Aria sopra la Bergamasca** (3'32)

GIOVANNI BATTISTA FONTANA [1571-1630]

· **Sonata III** (4'56)

BERNARDO STORACE [fl mid 17th century-]

· **Improvisation sopra la Ciaccona** (1'29)

TARQUINIO MERULA [1594/95-1665]

· **Chiaccona** (2'42)

GIOVANNI BATTISTA FONTANA [1571-1630]

· **Sonata IV** (4'51)

MARCO UCCELLINI [1603-1680]

· **Symphonia XIV La Foschina** (2'51)

SALAMONE DE ROSSI EBREO

· **Sinfonia XI in eco** (1'51)

DARIO CASTELLO [1590-1644]

· **Sonata II** (5'54)

MARCO UCCELLINI [1603-1680]

· **Symphonia XVII La Stucharda** (1'03)

TARQUINIO MERULA [1594/95-1665]

· **Canzon XVII La Monteverde** (3'26)

· **Canzon La Pighetta** (5'55)

ALESSANDRO PICCININI [1566-1638]

· **Toccata II** (2'17)

GIOVANNI BATTISTA FONTANA [1571-1630]

· **Sonata VI** (6'24)

TARQUINIO MERULA [1594/95-1665]

· **Canzon La Strada** (3'14)

MARCO UCCELLINI [1603-1680]

· **Sonata II detta la Luciminia contenta** (4'03)