

TANGO ORGANINO - ORGAN MUSIC



MARTIN HEINI (ORGAN)

In recent years, the traditional aspects of organ music in civic halls and places of worship have been changed - especially in German-speaking Europe - with the importation of music newly composed which takes elements from popular music and culture. The result has been a revivification of the repertoire, and on this brilliantly recorded new CD Dr Martin Heini plays a generous selection of music composed in this style by various distinguished composers, most notably perhaps Robert Prizeman's music for the BBC-TV series 'Songs of Praise'. The titles of the other piece are mainly self-explanatory, and overall this CD constitutes one of the most significant contributions to recent organ music to have been released in recent years.

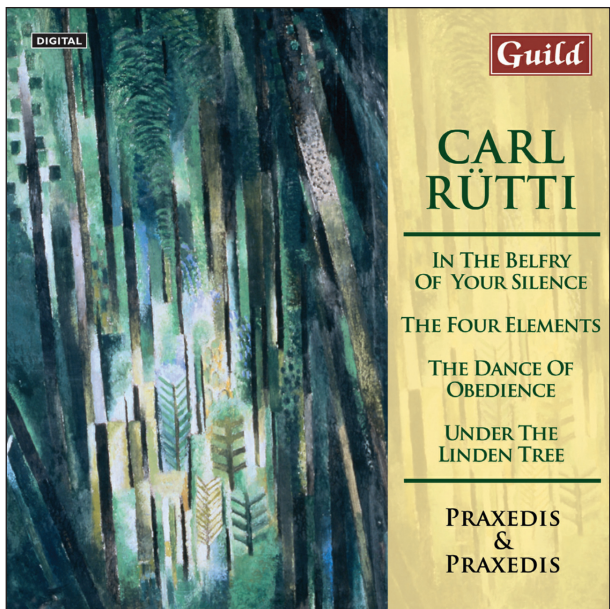


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- 1 Pierre Cholley (b.1962)
- 1 **Rumba sur les grands-jeux** 7:23
- 2 **Trois Pièces pour grand-orgue sur DSCH**
- 2 I. Paso-Doble sur DSCH 3:08
- 3 II. Passacaille sur DSCH - *World Première Recording* 4:15
- 4 III. Tango sur DSCH 2:51
- 5 Andrés Laprida (b.1959) - **Florinda** 4:29
- 6 Emma Lou Diemer (b.1927) - **Fiesta** - *World Première Recording* 4:37
- 7 Julien Bret (b.1974)
- 7 **La valse des anges** 4:07
- 8 **La ronde des lutins** 3:21
- 9 **La valse des colombes** - *World Première Recording* 4:15

- 10 Z. Gardonyi (b.1946) - **Mozart Changes** 5:39
- 11 R. Prizeman (b.1952) - **Songs of Praise Toccata for Organ** 4:30
- Michael Schütz (b.1963) - (from 20 pop organ pieces)
- 12 **Welcome!** - *World Première Recording* 1:52
- 13 **Keep Cool** - *World Première Recording* 2:11
- 14 **Impressions** - *World Première Recording* 2:55
- 15 **Straight Ahead** - *World Première Recording* 3:28
- 16 John Rutter (b.1945) - **Toccata in Seven** 1:59
- Johannes Matthias Michel (b.1962) - **Three Jazz Preludes**
- 17 I. Swing Five 2:15
- 18 II. Bossa Nova 3:00
- 19 III. Afro-Cuban 3:38

WORKS BY CARL RÜTTI FOR PIANO AND HARP



PRAXEDIS GENEVIÈVE HUG (PIANO), PRAXEDIS HUG-RÜTTI (HARP)

Carl Rütli is one of the most important of living Swiss composers, with his music being performed and recorded all over the world. This new CD is the latest in a series of his works to be issued on the Guild label, and coincidentally it is one of the most unusual, not to say unique, issues of any music in recent years, being a recital of music for piano and harp. On the one hand, we have two major suites for this very unusual but complementary combination of instruments, and on the other important solo works for harp - an evocative study 'Under the linden Tree' - and for solo piano, 'The Four Elements', which is one of the most significant solo piano pieces to have appeared in the present century. The performances are outstanding, and the recording quality is state-of-the-art.



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- In the Belfry of Your Silence (1978)**
- 1 I. Zähle die Mandeln 1:03
- 2 II. Ich spann jenen heimlichen Faden 2:58
- 3 III. Der Tau, den du dachtest 1:40
- 4 IV. Ein Spruch, der zu niemandes Herz fand 1:45
- 5 V. ...schwangen die Hämmer frei 1:55
- 6 VI. ...und ihr ginget selbdritt durch den Abend 1:48
- 7 VII. Mache mich bitter. Zähle mich zu den Mandeln 1:56
- 8 **Under the Linden Tree** - Harp Solo 5:36
- The Four Elements** - Piano Solo
- 9 I. Bruder Wind 8:22
- 10 II. Schwester Wasser 11:46

- 11 III. Mutter Erde 7:44
- 12 IV. Vater Feuer 10:42
- Dance of Obedience**
- 13 I. Eines Nachmittags 3:17
- 14 II. Im Gottesgriff 0:55
- 15 III. Sandwüste 1:35
- 16 IV. Seiltänzerin 1:45
- 17 V. Die Ritze 1:38
- 18 VI. Flucht ins Schweigen 1:44
- 19 VII. Eine Wiese 1:08
- 20 VIII. Der Fisch und das Meer 2:02
- 21 IX. Das brennende Rad 2:33