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VIENNESE OPERETTA GEMS

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Sparked by such imported French successes as Offenbach's *Orphée* and nourished by Viennese dance traditions, operetta sprang to life in Vienna in the mid-1870s with *Die Fledermaus* and other key works by 'Waltz King' Johann Strauss II. The new genre flourished with Suppé, Millöcker, Zeiler and Ziehrer, and evolved via Lehár (whose 1905 masterpiece *Die lustige Witwe* is still rated the finest Viennese musical comedy) and Kálmán until the 1930s when, with the advent of the film-musical, it reached an even wider audience.

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#### Joh. STRAUSS II (1825-1899):

- 1 **Als flotter Geist, doch früh verwaist** *from Der Zigeunerbaron* Charles Kullmann 2:52  
 2 **Vem oss har vigt?** *from Der Zigeunerbaron* Jussi Börling, Hjørdis Schymberg 3:11  
 3 **Mein Herr Marquis** *from Die Fledermaus* Elisabeth Schumann 3:22  
 4 **Trinke, Liebchen, trinke schnell** *from Die Fledermaus* Franz Völke, Elsa Kochhann 3:19  
 5 **Lagunenwalzer (Eine Nacht in Venedig)** Julius Patzak 3:06

#### FRANZ VON SUPPÉ (1819-1895):

- 6 **Hab' ich nur deine Liebe** *from Boccaccio* Julius Patzak 3:09  
 7 **Schenkt man sich Rosen in Tirol** *from Der Vogelhändler* Walther Ludwig, Lillie Claus 2:44

#### KARL MILLÖCKER (1842-1899):

- 8 **Ich hab' kein Geld** *from Der Bettelstudent* Franz Völker 1:39

#### EMMERICH KÁLMÁN (1882-1953):

- 9 **Komm', Zigan'** *from Gräfin Mariza* Marcel Wittrisch 3:09  
 10 **Finale (Act 1)** *from Die Bajadere* Gitta Alpár, Herbert Ernst Groh 3:17

#### KARL MICHAEL ZIEHRER (1843-1922):

- 11 **Sei gepriesen, du lauschige Nacht** *from Die Landstreicher* Elisabeth Schumann 3:13

#### RICHARD HEUBERGER (1850-1914):

- 12 **Im Chambre séparée** *from Der Opernball* Richard Tauber 3:03

#### FRANZ LEHÁR (1870-1948):

- 13 **Lippen schweigen** *from Die lustige Witwe* Dusolina Giannini, Marcel Wittrisch 2:56

- 14 **Ich bin ein Zigeunerkind** *from Zigeunerliebe* Joseph Schmidt 3:18

- 15 **O Mädchen, mein Mädchen** *from Friederike* Franz Völker 2:44

- 16 **Bin verliebt, bin so verliebt** *from Schön ist die Welt* Gitta Alpár 2:50

- 17 **Schön wie die blaue Sommernacht** *from Giuditta* Jarmila Novotná, Richard Tauber 3:17

#### NICO DOSTAL (1895-1981):

- 18 **Heimatland** *from Monika* Anni Frind 3:18

#### ROBERT STOLZ (1880-1975):

- 19 **Ich liebe dich** *from Zauber der Bohème* Marcel Wittrisch 3:01

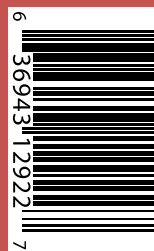
#### FRANZ LEHÁR (1870-1948):

- 20 **Liebe, du Himmel auf Erden** *from Paganini* Hilde Gueden 3:10



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