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The Swedish composer Bo Linde was a precocious talent and a gifted pianist. A pupil of Lars Erik Larsson, he was greatly influenced by his teacher's neo-classical style. Linde's *Violin Concerto* is the most regularly performed of his orchestral works, and its assured lyricism prompted its dedicatee, Josef Grünfarb, to comment, "Everything was complete ... His feeling for the instrument was unique for someone who did not play it himself". It is coupled on this recording with Linde's *Cello Concerto*, a warm and virtuosic piece conceived on a grand scale, which the composer himself considered one of his finest works.

## Bo LINDE

(1933-1970)

### Concerto for Violin and Orchestra, Op. 18 26:15

- 1 Andante – Poco animato – (Cadenza) – Scherzando vivo 14:21  
2 Allegro deciso – Tempo del comincio – Lento 11:54

### Concerto for Cello and Orchestra, Op. 29 30:03

- 3 Moderato – Lento – Ben ritmico – Sostenuto – Lento 12:45  
4 Allegro molto ed agitato – Presto – Prestissimo 5:40  
5 Lento, ma tempo flessibile 11:38

## Karen Gomyo, Violin • Maria Kliegel, Cello Gävle Symphony Orchestra • Petter Sundkvist

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