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KRAUS: Chamber Music with Keyboard

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An almost exact contemporary of Mozart and similarly admired by Haydn, German-born Joseph Martin Kraus spent most of his short career in Stockholm at the court of Gustav III. Since the court's musical taste inclined towards the theatre, Kraus had little opportunity to concentrate on chamber works, but he did produce several string quartets as well as these surviving sonatas for violin and keyboard.

Joseph Martin
KRAUS
(1756-1792)

Complete Chamber Music with Keyboard

CD 1		CD 2			
1	Allegro in D major, VB 163	5:07	Sonata in C major, VB 162	25:26	
	Sonata in D minor, VB 157	16:41	1	Largo—Allegro con spirito	9:31
2	Allegro	10:07	2	Adagio	8:41
3	Andante—Allegro	6:34	3	Allegretto	7:11
	Sonata in C major, VB 160	23:20		Sonata in D major, VB 159	24:17
4	Moderato	13:30	4	Allegro	10:24
5	Adagio	6:50	5	Adagio	7:37
6	Scherzo: Un poco Allegro	2:53	6	Allegro	6:16
	Sonata in E flat major, VB 161	32:21		Trio in D major, VB 171*	21:28
7	Allegro moderato	10:59	7	Allegro moderato	10:18
8	Andantino con variazioni	11:01	8	Largo ma poco con moto	5:58
9	Allegro ma non troppo presto	10:18	9	Ghiribizzo: Allegro	5:09

Walter Schwede, Violin • Jacques Després, Harpsichord and Piano
***John Friesen, Cello**

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