

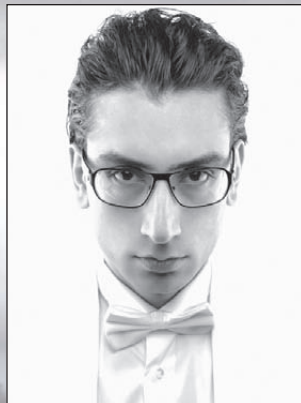
# ARNO BABADJANIAN (1921-1983)

## COMPLETE ORIGINAL WORKS FOR PIANO SOLO

One of the former Soviet Union's leading composers and a member of the so-called Armenian 'Mighty Handful', Arno Babadjanian was admired by musicians of the stature of Shostakovich, Khachaturian, Rostropovich and David Oistrakh. He was also an outstanding pianist and a very considerable virtuoso. Babadjanian's music explores his native Armenian folk tradition as well as elements of jazz and twelve-tone techniques.

<b>1 - 3</b>	<b>POLYPHONIC SONATA (1942-47)</b>	12:49
<b>4 - 9</b>	<b>SIX PICTURES (1965)</b>	13:57
<b>10 - 11</b>	<b>MELODY AND HUMORESQUE (1973)</b>	04:27
<b>12</b>	<b>ELEGY (1978)</b>	03:45
<b>13</b>	<b>REFLECTION (1973)</b>	02:23
<b>14</b>	<b>PRELUDE (1947)</b>	01:43
<b>15</b>	<b>VAGHARSHAPAT DANCE (1947)</b>	01:45
<b>16</b>	<b>IMPROMPTU, "EXPROMPT" (1936)</b>	02:49
<b>17</b>	<b>CAPRICCIO (1951)</b>	04:49
<b>18</b>	<b>POEM (1966)</b>	06:39

**TOTAL PLAYING TIME: 55:13**



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