

# VAGN HOLMBOE

## *The Chamber Concertos & Sinfonias*

**Danish National Chamber Orchestra** *conducted by Hannu Koivula*

**Mikkel Futtrup**, *violin* **Tim Frederiksen**, *viola* **Niels Ullner**, *cello*  
**Eva Østergaard**, *flute* **Niels Thomsen**, *clarinet* **Max Artved**, *oboe*  
**Anne Øland**, *piano* **Ole Edvard Antonsen**, *trumpet* **Jacques Mauger**, *trombone*  
**Søren Elbæk**, *violin* **Troels Svane**, *cello*

**Vagn Holmboe** (1909-96) worked throughout his life to distill his own ideas and cut out the unnecessary. This collection comprises his 13 concise chamber concertos as well as the four sinfonias in the acclaimed recordings by the Danish National Chamber Orchestra and former chief conductor Hannu Koivula. These neoclassical concertos for one or more soloists reveal Holmboe's rustic, down-to-earth style, that can be described as Danish or Nordic, and his inspiration from eastern European folk music.

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