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Luigi Boccherini

Italian cellist and composer Luigi Boccherini was born into a family distinguished not only in music but which also boasted poets and dancers among its members. He travelled widely, holding prestigious posts in the royal courts of Madrid and Prussia. Aspiring young classical musicians will have played his *Minuet*, a work so popular that it has been transcribed for almost every instrument.

The Cello Concertos

Boccherini enjoyed considerable success as a virtuoso cellist. His concertos for the instrument combine attractive melodies with passages of exciting virtuosity. This disc is the first of three offering the complete concertos.

Luigi BOCCHERINI (1743–1805)

Cello Concertos Vol. 1

1–3	Concerto No. 1 in C major, G. 477	18:01
4–6	Concerto No. 2 in D major, G. 479	18:45
7–9	Concerto No. 3 in G major, G. 480	18:18
10–12	Concerto No. 4 in C major, G. 481	18:47

All canenzas written by John Marlow Rhys

Tim Hugh, Cello • Scottish Chamber Orchestra
Anthony Halstead, Conductor

A detailed track list can be found inside the booklet.

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