

This disc of highlights from Verdi's epic opera *Don Carlos* is taken from the complete set (Naxos 8.660096-98), recorded live at the Royal Swedish Opera, Stockholm. When the complete recording was released in 2003 *BBC Music Magazine* commented, "It is masterfully driven by Alberto Hold-Garrido, whose full-blooded, immaculately detailed account of the score is its strongest suit. The Swedish Opera Orchestra is superlative. And there are some distinguished voices ... best of all, Ingrid Tobiasson's thrilling, bravura Eboli."

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Giuseppe  
**VERDI**  
(1813-1901)  
**Don Carlos**  
(Highlights)

(1886 Modena / 1867 Paris versions)

Philip II (King of Spain) .....	Jaakko Ryhänen, Bass and Bass-baritone
Don Carlos (Infante of Spain) .....	Lars Cleveman, Tenor
Rodrigo (Marquis of Posá) .....	Peter Mattei, Baritone
The Grand Inquisitor .....	Bengt Rundgren, Bass
Elisabeth de Valois (Philip's Queen) .....	Hillevi Martinpelto, Soprano
Princess Eboli (Elisabeth's lady-in-waiting) .....	Ingrid Tobiasson, Mezzosoprano
Tebaldo (Elisabeth's page) .....	Iwa Sörenson, Soprano
The Count of Lerma/A Royal Herald .....	Klas Hedlund, Tenor
An Old Monk .....	Martti Wallén, Bass
A Voice from Heaven .....	Hilda Leidland, Soprano

**Chorus and Orchestra of the Royal Swedish Opera, Stockholm**  
**Alberto Hold-Garrido**

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The libretto of the entire opera may be accessed at [www.naxos.com/libretti/doncarlos.htm](http://www.naxos.com/libretti/doncarlos.htm)

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