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AMERICAN JOURNEY: Bernstein • Copland

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AMERICAN JOURNEY

Robert Russell BENNETT (1894–1981):

1-5 Hexapoda: Five studies in Jitteroptera (1940) 7:53

6-8 Three American Pieces (1944) 12:23

Leonard BERNSTEIN (1918–1990):

9-15 Sonata for Violin and Piano (1939) 15:08

Aaron COPLAND (1900–1990)

16 Nocturne (1926) 4:58

Henry Thacker BURLEIGH (1866–1949):

17-20 Southland Sketches (1916) 11:05

Victor STEINHARDT (b. 1943):

21 Tango (1996) 6:09

Lincoln MAYORGA (b. 1937):

22 Bluefields, A West Hollywood Rumba for Arnold (1998) 4:08

Dave GRUSIN (b. 1934): Three Latin American Dances (2000) 16:02

Arnold Steinhardt, Violin (1-25)**Victor Steinhardt, Piano (1-21)****Lincoln Mayorga, Piano (22)****Dave Grusin, Piano (23-25)****Amanda Forsyth, Cello (23-25)**

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 American flag, folk artist, 1880s.



AMERICAN CLASSICS

In this American Journey, violinist Arnold Steinhardt performs some of his favorite twentieth-century works for violin. From the 'indigenous', Negro spiritual nature of the African-American Henry Thacker Burleigh's *Southland Sketches*, to the Latin-American dances forming the second half of the programme, we are treated to examples of the delightfully rich and varied landscape of American classical music. This recital also includes Leonard Bernstein's *Sonata for Violin and Piano*, composed at the age of 21.

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