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**Mario  
CASTELNUOVO-TEDESCO**  
(1895–1968)

**Complete Music for Two Guitars • 1**

**Sonatina Canonica, Op. 196**

- ① I. Mosso, grazioso e leggero 3:13
- ② II. Tempo di Siciliane (Andantino) 4:03
- ③ III. Fandango en Rondeau (Ritmico e deciso) 2:34

**Les Guitares Bien Tempérées  
(The Well-Tempered Guitars):  
24 préludes et fugues pour  
deux guitares, Op. 199**

- ④ Prelude No. 1 in G minor 1:56
- ⑤ Fugue No. 1 in G minor 2:48
- ⑥ Prelude No. 2 in D major 2:20
- ⑦ Fugue No. 2 in D major 1:37
- ⑧ Prelude No. 3 in A minor 2:18
- ⑨ Fugue No. 3 in A minor 3:03
- ⑩ Prelude No. 4 in E major 2:24

9:52      ⑪ Fugue No. 4 in E major 1:55

3:13      ⑫ Prelude No. 5 in B minor 2:33

4:03      ⑬ Fugue No. 5 in B minor 2:19

2:34      ⑭ Prelude No. 6 in F sharp major 1:23

56:50      ⑮ Fugue No. 6 in F sharp major 2:06

1:56      ⑯ Prelude No. 7 in C sharp minor 1:40

2:48      ⑰ Fugue No. 7 in C sharp minor 3:31

2:20      ⑯ Prelude No. 8 in A flat major 2:24

1:37      ⑯ Fugue No. 8 in A flat major 2:42

2:18      ⑰ Prelude No. 9 in E flat minor 3:02

2:03      ⑯ Fugue No. 9 in E flat minor 2:30

2:24      ⑱ Prelude No. 10 in B flat major 1:57

1:57      ⑯ Fugue No. 10 in B flat major 2:02

2:18      ⑲ Prelude No. 11 in F minor 3:20

2:03      ⑯ Fugue No. 11 in F minor 3:19

2:24      ⑳ Prelude No. 12 in C major 1:11

1:57      ⑯ Fugue No. 12 in C major 1:57

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