



Idil Biret

BEETHOVEN EDITION · 2 Symphonies 1, 2 (Vol. 1)

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 Complete Piano Sonatas, Concertos and Symphony Transcriptions

"From the outset of the 1st Symphony one feels that Idil Biret grasps the size of Beethoven's style. The polyphony is laid out in a relaxed way with little indulgence in point-making. She keeps her big line, and yet is thankfully sparing in her use of fortissimos. I especially admire how she is able to give the impression of a live performance in the Larghetto from the 2nd, and here, as in other slow movements, one is reminded that her mentor has been Wilhelm Kempff... This is a remarkable achievement."

GRAMOPHONE

"Universally gifted pianists like Idil Biret, who do not limit themselves to a cleverly selected repertory are nowadays very rare... With the recent release of the Beethoven / Liszt Symphonies international recognition should be secure for her."

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Playing time
64:25



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Symphony No. 1 in C, Op. 21 (transcr. Franz Liszt)

<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Allegro molto - Allegro con brio	26.32
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Andante cantabile con moto	08:22
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Menuetto: Allegro molto vivace	07:61
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	Adagio - Allegro molto e vivace	03:42
		06:27

Symphony No. 2 in D, Op. 36 (transcr. Franz Liszt)

<input type="checkbox"/> 5	Adagio molto - Allegro con brio	37.53
<input type="checkbox"/> 6	Larghetto	12:12
<input type="checkbox"/> 7	Scherzo: Allegro	15:10
<input type="checkbox"/> 8	Allegro molto	03:51
		06:41

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