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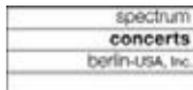
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The chamber music pieces on this disc show how richly satisfying Hindemith's music can be. By turns passionate, deeply moving and humorous, each work which features the clarinet explores the wind instrument's expressive potential, whether through lyrically arching melodies, passages of lilting innocence or fiery spirit. In the *Three Easy Pieces for Cello and Piano* Hindemith demonstrates mastery through restraint. Spectrum Concerts Berlin has also recorded two acclaimed discs of music by Hindemith's contemporary and fellow exile Ernst Toch for Naxos (8.559324 and 8.559282).

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Paul
HINDEMITH
(1895-1963)



**Quartet for Clarinet, Violin,
Cello, and Piano (1938) 27:50**

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| 1 | Mäßig bewegt | 7:13 |
| 2 | Sehr langsam | 9:46 |
| 3 | Mäßig bewegt | 10:51 |

**Sonata for Clarinet and Piano
(1939) 18:43**

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| 4 | Mäßig bewegt | 5:11 |
| 5 | Lebhaft | 3:05 |
| 6 | Sehr langsam | 7:48 |
| 7 | Kleines Rondo, gemächlich | 2:39 |

**Drei leichte Stücke for Cello
and Piano (1938) 6:24**

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| 8 | Mäßig schnell, munter | 1:20 |
| 9 | Langsam | 2:52 |
| 10 | Lebhaft | 2:12 |

**Quintet for Clarinet,
two Violins, Viola, and Cello,
Op. 30 (1955) 20:34**

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| 11 | Sehr lebhaft | 2:09 |
| 12 | Ruhig | 7:12 |
| 13 | Schneller Ländler | 5:54 |
| 14 | Arioso, sehr ruhig | 3:05 |
| 15 | Sehr lebhaft | 2:14 |

Spectrum Concerts Berlin

**Annette von Hehn and Elisabeth Glass, Violins
Hartmut Rohde, Viola • Frank Dodge, Cello**

Lars Wouters van den Oudenweijer, Clarinet • Ya-Fei Chuang, Piano

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