

Acclaimed as ‘an uncommonly brilliant young violinist’ Tianwa Yang continues her highly praised survey of Pablo de Sarasate’s music for violin and orchestra. His *Magic Flute Fantasy* is a masterpiece of the genre à la Paganini, while the Gounod *Fantasy* (his second) is a miracle of lightness. The highly popular *Navarra*, the charming *Muñiera* with its bagpipe effects, the bewitching *Venetian Barcarolle* and the *Introduction et Caprice-Jota* with its barcarolle-like beginning and dancing finale coming thrillingly to life on this album. “Tianwa Yang is a sensationaly talented young violinist. She has technique to burn... Best of all, she has a beautiful tone in cantabile phrases and a really seductive way with rubato that conveys emotion without distorting the rhythm” (David Hurwitz/ClassicsToday.com on Volume 2, 8.572216).

Pablo
SARASATE
(1844–1908)

Music for Violin and Orchestra • 3

1	Concert Fantasy on Mozart’s <i>Die Zauberflöte</i> , Op. 54	13:02
2	Navarra, Op. 33 (for two violins and orchestra*)	6:26
3	Muñeras, Op. 32	9:54
4	Nouvelle fantaisie sur <i>Faust</i> de Gounod, Op. 13	12:00
5	Barcarolle vénitienne (Gondoliéra veneziana), Op. 46 (version for violin and orchestra)	9:51
6	Introduction et Caprice-Jota, Op. 41	7:15



Tianwa Yang, Violin
Orquesta Sinfónica de Navarra
Ernest Martínez Izquierdo



* Both violin parts played by Tianwa Yang

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