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The richly fascinating history of the Christmas carol spans some nine centuries, from the 12th Century until today, bringing together courtly and popular words and music to contemplate and praise the Christ child. Acclaimed by *The Guardian* as 'poignantly expressive', soprano Monica Whicher joins one of the world's foremost harp virtuosos and former Principal Harpist with the Toronto Symphony, Judy Loman, to interpret carols both old and new, beloved and unfamiliar, many in Ms. Loman's expert arrangements.

## LULLABIES AND CAROLS FOR CHRISTMAS

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| 1 The Garden of Jesus                 | 2:25 | 12 Six Noël's Pour la Harpe             | 9:05 |
| 2 In the Bleak Mid-Winter             | 3:27 | 13 The Little Road to Bethlehem         | 2:37 |
| 3 Balulalow                           | 2:45 | 14 I Wonder as I Wander                 | 2:31 |
| 4 Lullay My Liking                    | 4:00 | 15 People, Look East!                   | 3:42 |
| 5 Coventry Carol                      | 3:58 | 16 In Bethlehem Tonight                 | 3:02 |
| 6 Interlude from A Ceremony of Carols | 3:52 | 17 Concert Variations on Adeste Fideles | 4:59 |
| 7 Noël Nouvelet                       | 3:41 | 18 In Dulci Jubilo                      | 1:53 |
| 8 Avec les séraphins du ciel          | 2:18 | 19 Away in a Manger                     | 2:12 |
| 9 Entre le boeuf et l'âne gris        | 2:11 | 20 The Christ-Child's Lullaby           | 2:53 |
| 10 Quelle est cette odeur agréable?   | 2:57 | 21 Wexford Carol                        | 3:40 |
| 11 Il est né le divin enfant          | 1:38 |   |      |

### Monica Whicher, Soprano • Judy Loman, Harp

A detailed track list can be found on page 2 of the booklet.

The available sung texts can be found in the booklet, and may also be accessed at [www.naxos.com/libretti/572510.htm](http://www.naxos.com/libretti/572510.htm)

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