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DEVIENNE: Flute Concertos Nos. 5-8

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French composer François Devienne enjoyed great esteem with his successful operas in the Revolutionary years of 1792-97, but it was as a composer for wind instruments that he has won his place in musical history. The four *Flute Concertos* in volume 2 of the complete set show a combination of melodic elegance and graceful virtuosity that characterises much of his work. Especially notable in this respect is *No. 6 in D major*, a compositional tour de force, rich in thematic material and panache, and one of the finest wind concertos of its epoch.



## François DEVienne

(1759-1803)

### Flute Concertos • 2

#### Flute Concerto No. 5 in G major 14:55

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|---|----------------------------|------|
| 1 | I. Allegro                 | 7:56 |
| 2 | II. Introduction: Adagio – | 0:57 |
| 3 | Gratioso con variation     | 6:02 |

#### Flute Concerto No. 6 in D major 19:40

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|---|----------------|-------|
| 4 | I. Allegro     | 11:03 |
| 5 | II. Adagio     | 3:53  |
| 6 | III. Polonaise | 4:44  |

#### Flute Concerto No. 7 in E minor 16:23

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| 7 | I. Allegro                          | 8:03 |
| 8 | II. Adagio                          | 3:24 |
| 9 | III. Rondo allegretto poco moderato | 4:56 |

#### Flute Concerto No. 8 in G major 16:00

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|----|----------------|------|
| 10 | I. Allegro     | 9:18 |
| 11 | II. Adagio     | 2:04 |
| 12 | III. Polonaise | 4:38 |

### Patrick Gallois, Flute Swedish Chamber Orchestra

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