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Y&ME: Six Sonatas for Solo Violin, Op. 27 including Unfinished Op. 27 bis

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Eugène Ysaÿe was a towering figure in the history of the violin. He composed a number of important works, most inspirationally the cycle of *Six Sonatas for Solo Violin, Op. 27* published in 1924, which rank among the greatest and most demanding. A different version of number 6 – an unfinished version – was found in the *Lavergne Manuscript* in 2017. Here is a world premiere recording in its entirety, as it was left by the composer.

EUGÈNE YSAÏE

(1858-1931)

2 DISCS

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CD 1

Sonata No. 1 in G Minor (Joseph Szigeti)	18:49
Sonata No. 2 in A Minor (Jacques Thibaud)	14:52
Sonata No. 3 in D Minor (George Enescu)	8:19

CD 2

Sonata No. 4 in E Minor (Fritz Kreisler)	12:23
Sonata No. 5 in G Major (Mathieu Crickboom)	12:03
Sonata No. 6 bis “Unfinished” (Manuel Quiroga)	15:17
Sonata No. 6 in E Major (Manuel Quiroga)	9:02

Niklas Walentin, *violin*

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