

Vienna's music scene at the end of the 18th century was home to many renowned composers, including Paul Wranitzky, who was a respected colleague of Mozart and Haydn and was frequently tasked with providing incidental music for the considerable number of newly written plays. The three pieces heard on this album demonstrate not only Wranitzky's compositional diversity but a gift for symphonically conceived works featuring battle music, solemn polyphonic elements, and the popular Turkish style with its characteristic janissary percussion.



Paul
WRANITZKY
 (1756–1808)



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1–4 Die Spanier in Peru, oder Rollas Tod
 ('The Spaniards in Peru, or the Death of Rolla') (1795) **19:33**

5–9 Jolantha, Königin von Jerusalem
 ('Yolanda, Queen of Jerusalem') (1797) **24:03**

10–15 Achmet und Zenide ('Achmet and Zenide') (1796) **25:37**

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