

CHACONNE DIGITAL

2-disc set CHAN 0614(2)

**Antonio Vivaldi** (1678–1741)**Ottone in villa**

Opera in three acts

Libretto by Domenico Lalli

Performing Edition (1997) by Dr Eric Cross, University of Newcastle

Cleonilla, loved by the Emperor Ottone Susan Gritton *soprano*
Ottone, Emperor of Rome Monica Groop *mezzo-soprano*
Caio Silio, a handsome young man in love with Cleonilla Nancy Argenta *soprano*
Decio, Ottone's confidant Mark Padmore *tenor*
Tullia, a foreign woman in love with Caio, (but abandoned by him
 for the love of Cleonilla) disguised as Ostilio, Cleonilla's page, with whom
 Cleonilla is in love Sophie Daneman *soprano*

Collegium Musicum 90**Richard Hickox**

COMPACT DISC ONE

Act I, Act II (beginning) 75:54

COMPACT DISC TWO

Act II (conclusion), Act III 68:47

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