

CHANDOS DIGITAL2-disc set **CHAN 10794(2)****Sir Arthur Sullivan** (1842–1900)**The Beauty Stone** (1897–98)

An Original Romantic Musical Drama in Three Acts

Libretto by Arthur Wing Pinero (1855–1934)
and Joseph William Comyns Carr (1849–1916)

Philip, Lord of Mirlemont **Toby Spence** tenor
 Guntran of Beaugrant **David Stout** bass
 Simon Limal, a Weaver **Stephen Gadd** baritone
 Nicholas Dircks, Burgomaster of Mirlemont **Richard Suart** baritone
 The Devil **Alan Opie** baritone
 Laine, the Weaver's daughter **Elin Manahan Thomas** soprano
 Joan, the Weaver's wife **Catherine Wyn-Rogers** mezzo-soprano
 Jacqueline **Madeleine Shaw** mezzo-soprano
 Saïda **Rebecca Evans** soprano
 Loyse, from St Denis **Olivia Gomez** soprano
 Isabeau, from Florennes **Sarah Maxted** mezzo-soprano
 Barbe, from Bovigny **Llio Evans** soprano

BBC National Chorus of Wales
 Adrian Partington chorus master
BBC National Orchestra of Wales
 Lesley Hatfield leader

Rory Macdonald

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COMPACT DISC ONE
 1–22 Act I
 TT 57:20

COMPACT DISC TWO
 1–18 Act II • 19–26 Act III
 TT 72:28

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