

SIR EDWARD ELGAR

(1857–1934)

CORONATION ODE Op. 44

Words: *Arthur Christopher Benson*

Teresa Cahill soprano Anne Collins contralto

Anthony Rolfe Johnson tenor Gwynne Howell bass

- [1] I — Introduction: Crown the King (9:50)
Soli and chorus
- [2] II — (a) The Queen (2:40)
Chorus
- [3] II — (b) Daughter of Ancient Kings (2:24)
Chorus
- [4] III — Britain, ask of thyself (3:54)
Bass solo and chorus; tenor and bass
- [5] IV — (a) Hark, upon the hallowed air (8:43)
Soli: soprano and tenor
(b) Only let the heart be pure
Quartet: soprano, contralto, tenor, bass

- [6] V — Peace, Perfect Peace (4:08)
Soli and chorus
- [7] VI — Finale: Land of Hope and Glory (4:14)
Contralto and chorus

36:05

THE SPIRIT OF ENGLAND Op. 80

Words: *Laurence Binyon*

Teresa Cahill soprano

- [8] I — The Fourth of August (8:42)
- [9] II — To Women (6:39)
- [10] III — For the Fallen (15:00)

30:39

TT=66:50

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Chorus master: John Currie

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SIR ALEXANDER GIBSON conductor