

A LITTLE LOVE MUSIC

Songs by Geoffrey Bush



GREEK LOVE SONGS (13:54)

Words by Meleager, translated by Dudley Fitts

- [1] I Fanfare (1:10)
- [2] II Flowers (1:57)
- [3] III A Curse (2:00)
- [4] IV The Mosquito (1:30)
- [5] V Night (2:26)
- [6] VI Lullaby (2:17)
- [7] VII The Poet's Epitaph (2:18)

BENJAMIN LUXON, *baritone*

THE END OF LOVE (13:21)

Words by Kathleen Raine

- [8] I Lament (2:46)
- [9] II Far-darting Apollo (3:25)
- [10] III The End of Love (2:37)
- [11] IV Introspection (4:28)

BENJAMIN LUXON, *baritone*

SONGS OF WONDER (9:43)

Words traditional

- [12] I Here comes a lusty wooer (1:49)
- [13] II Polly Pillicote (2:48)
- [14] III The wonder of wonders (1:43)
- [15] IV Old Abram Brown (2:07)
- [16] V I had a little nut-tree (1:06)

IAN PARTRIDGE, *tenor*

A LITTLE LOVE MUSIC (12:05)

- [17] I Hide, Absalom, thy guilty tresses clear (*Chaucer*) (2:14)
- [18] II The maidens came when I was in my mother's bow'r (*Anon.*) (1:54)
- [19] III Merry Margaret (*Skelton*) (1:03)
- [20] IV With margerain gentle (*Skelton*) (2:08)
- [21] V Sweet, let me go! (*Anon*) (0:39)
- [22] VI I love and I hate (*Catullus*) (0:35)
- [23] VII And wilt thou leave me thus? (*Wyatt*) (1:27)
- [24] VIII This is the key of the kingdom (*Anon.*) (1:38)

TERESA CAHILL, *soprano*IAN PARTRIDGE, *tenor*

THREE SONGS OF BEN JONSON (6:08)

- [25] I Echo's lament for Narcissus (3:07)
- [26] II The Kiss (1:27)
- [27] III A Rebuke (1:28)

IAN PARTRIDGE, *tenor*

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GEOFFREY BUSH, *piano*