

Benjamin Britten (1913–1976)

premiere recording

String Quartet in F major (1928)

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| 1 | I Allegro vivace e con brio | 8:44 |
| 2 | II Andante | 3:11 |
| 3 | III Allegro vivace | 3:48 |
| 4 | IV Allegro molto | 6:05 |

String Quartet in D major (1931)

19:25

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| 5 | I Allegro maestoso – | 8:59 |
| 6 | II Lento ed espressivo – | 5:47 |
| 7 | III Allegro giocoso | 4:39 |

String Quartet No. 2, Op. 36

32:05

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| 8 | I Allegro calmo senza rigore | 8:41 |
| 9 | II Vivace | 3:39 |
| 10 | III Chacony: Sostenuto | 19:34 |

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Sorrel Quartet

Gina McCormack violin

Catherine Yates violin

Vicci Wardman viola

Helen Thatcher cello

(DDD)