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from violist

MELIA WATRAS

is a collection of
contemporary music for
viola, and the works that
inspired their creation.
Featuring the world
premiere recording of
Pulitzer Prize winner
Shulamit Ran's *Perfect
Storm* (written for Watras),
this disc includes works by
Atar Arad, Luciano Berio,
and George Rochberg.

George Rochberg
Sonata (1979)
for viola and piano
1 I. Allegro moderato
2 II. Adagio lamentoso
3 III. Fantasia: Epilogue

Atar Arad
Caprice Four (George) (2003)
for viola solo

Luciano Berio
Black is the color... (1964)
for mezzo-soprano, viola and harp
from Folk Songs

Shulamit Ran
Perfect Storm (2010)
for viola solo (*world premiere recording*)

Luciano Berio
Naturale (su melodie siciliane) (1985)
for solo viola, percussion and recorded voice

Total time: 54:53

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