

LEONARD BERNSTEIN**Serenade • Facsimile • Divertimento**

Philippe Quint, Violin

Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra • Marin Alsop

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Bernstein Serenade; Facsimile; Divertimento *Philippe Quint (violin)*; Bournemouth SO/Marin Alsop 'Bernstein conducts Bernstein' compilations are still available, leaving would-be Lennys with much to live up to. But Marin Alsop's cycle has been top-notch since its first instalment in 2002. She unveils the dramatic energy of *Serenade*, perhaps his most finely crafted concert work. And if the Coplandesque ballet score *Facsimile* is uncharacteristically dry, the humour and intelligence of *Divertimento* elevates light music to the sublime.

★★★★☆

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