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To give renewed life to two of his less well known scores, the fantasy opera *Die Frau ohne Schatten* and the biblical ballet *Josephs-Legende*, Richard Strauss created symphonic memoirs which preserved both their storylines and musical highlights. Following the phenomenal success of his 'comedy for music' *Der Rosenkavalier*, Strauss prepared an orchestral suite based on the florid waltzes of his most famous opera. The Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra under JoAnn Falletta has recorded several acclaimed discs for Naxos, including a double Grammy®-winning CD of John Corigliano's *Mr Tambourine Man* (8.559331).

Richard
STRAUSS
(1864–1949)

- 1 Suite from *Der Rosenkavalier*
(The Knight of the Rose), TrV 227d 23:47
- 2 Symphonic Fantasy on *Die Frau ohne Schatten*
(The Woman without a Shadow), TrV 234a 20:41
- 3 Symphonic Fragment from *Josephs-Legende*
(The Legend of Joseph), TrV 231a 23:49

Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra
JoAnn Falletta



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