

CHANDOS DIGITAL

2-disc set **CHAN 10280(2)**

Benjamin Britten (1913–1976)

Death in Venice, Op. 88

An opera in two acts

Libretto by Myfanwy Piper based on the short story by Thomas Mann

Gustav von Aschenbach, a novelist Philip Langridge *tenor*

The Traveller

The Elderly Fop

The Old Gondolier

The Hotel Manager

The Hotel Barber

The Leader of the Players

The Voice of Dionysus

The Voice of Apollo Michael Chance *counter-tenor*

Youths and girls, hotel guests and waiters, gondoliers and boatmen, street vendors, touts and beggars, citizens of Venice, choir of St Mark's, tourists, followers of Dionysus

BBC Singers

Stephen Betteridge chorus master

City of London Sinfonia

Nicholas Ward leader

Martin Fitzpatrick assistant conductor

Richard Hickox



COMPACT DISC ONE

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COMPACT DISC TWO

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