

"Everything flowed from my collaboration with Il Giardino Armonico and Giovanni Antonini", says Avi Avital. This "incomparable artist" (Gramophone) chose five works to match the vitality of the outstanding period-instrument ensemble with whom he dreamt of collaborating since he first heard them in his youth. Avital calls the Vivaldi his "grand experiment", as technology allowed him to play all four solo parts. But he hopes listeners will forget that and become completely immersed in this glorious music.



## ANTONIO VIVALDI

1-3 Concerto for 4 Mandolins in B minor *after op. 3 no. 10 / RV 560*

## JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

4-6 Concerto for Mandolin and Recorder in D minor  
*after BWV 1060R*

## EMANUELE BARBELLA

7-8 Mandolin Concerto in D major

attr. GIOVANNI PAISIELLO

9-10 Mandolin Concerto in E flat major

## JOHANN NEPOMUK HUMMEL

11-12 Mandolin Concerto in G major

## AVI AVITAL *mandolin*

IL GIARDINO ARMONICO

GIOVANNI ANTONINI *recorder & conductor*



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