Gustav Mahler - Symphony No. 4 in G Major Text from "Des Knaben Wunderhorn" (The Youth's Magic Horn)

We enjoy Heaven's delights,
So can dispense with earthly things.
No worldly turmoil is to be heard in Heaven:
Everything lives in peace and calm.
We lead the life of angels, yet are very gay about it;
We jump and dance, we skip and sing.
Saint Peter in Heaven looks on.

Saint John lets the lamb go; Herod the butcher marks it well. We lead a patient, innocent, lovable little lamb to its death.

Saint Lucas slaughters the ox Without giving it a second thought. Wine costs not a farthing in Heaven's cellars; The angels bake the bread.

Tasty vegetables of every kind grow in Heaven's garden:
Good asparagus, beans, and whatever we want!
Whole dishfuls are ready for us!
Good apples, pears, and grapes;
The gardeners let us have anything.
If you want deer or hare on an open spit
They come running up!
Should a holiday occur, all fish gladly swim along!
Saint Peter already hurries with his net and bait,
Into the Heavenly fishpond. Saint Martha must be the cook.

There's no music on earth that can be compared to ours. Eleven thousand virgins set to dancing; Even Saint Ursula laughs to see it. Cecilia and her kin are the splendid Court musicians! The angelic voices Gladden our senses, So that everything awakes to pleasure.

BENNINGTON COLLEGE MUSIC DIVISION - presents -MUSIC from the LAST CENTURY a serior recital by (laudia Triedlander Wednesday, October 29, 1986 8:15 p.m., Greenwall Music Workshop

MUSIC FROM THE LAST CENTURY

- a senior recital by Claudia Friedlander -

Quintet for Clarinet and String Quartet Jean Françaix (1977)

I. Adagio; Allegro

II. Scherzando

III. Grave

IV. Rondo

Claudia Friedlander, clarinet

Joseph Shor, violin Alice Wu, violin Jacob Glick, viola Max Weiss, cello

Glitter and Be Gay (from Candide)

music by Leonard Bernstein lyrics by Richard Wilbur, John Latouche, and Stephen Sondheim (1957)

Claudia Friedlander, soprano Allen Shawn, piano

Contrasts

Bela Bartok (1938)

I. Verbunkos (Recruiting Dance)

II. Piheno (Relaxation)
III. Sebes (Fast Dance)

Claudia Friedlander, clarinet Joseph Schor, violin Elizabeth Wright, piano

- Intermission -

Vier Stucke fur Klarinette und Klavier (Four Pieces for Clarinet and Piano) Alban Berg (1913)

Claudia Friedlander, clarinet Allen Shawn, piano Symphony No. IV in G Major - Finale (transcribed for chamber orchestra by Claudia Friedlander)

Gustav Mahler (1892)

Claudia Friedlander, soprano and clarinetist Murat Eyuloglu, conductor

Cellos

Bass

Max Weiss

Michael Severens

Melissa Clinton

Michael Coady

Violins Anatto Ingle John Swan Kate Brandt

Annemieke ten Bokum

Joseph Schor

Violas Naomi Givin Michelle Paciullo Lorelie Bond Gunnar Schonbeck Sylvia Halpern Alan Vega

<u>Flutes</u> Jeanne Kompare Lynn Buck Diana Tatz Kimberly Hurt

Daniel Gorn

<u>Pianos</u> Janet Gillespie Kalek Quenk

<u>Percussion</u> Janet Gillespie

This concert is being presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Bachelor of the Arts degree.

My deepest gratitude is extended to Joseph Schor and Elizabeth Wright for tackling that elusive Bartok; to Jacob Glick, Alice Wu, and Max Weiss, who despite heroic schedules devoted themselves to the Françaix; to Allen Shawn. !! to Murat Eyuboglu, who tonight makes his conducting debut! to Janet Gillespie, for the emergency copy job, and most of all, to that Mahler crew!

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