New Release Round-up, New Release Round-Up - 19th April 2019



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Previously unreleased Wolf and Schumann from Britten and Pears, live recordings of three Bruckner symphonies from Gergiev and the Münchner Philharmoniker, Mendelssohn from Kristian Bezuidenhout and the Freiburger Barockorchester, and the beginning of a Strauss series from Vasily Petrenko and the Oslo Philharmonic.



Richard Strauss: Also Sprach Zarathustra & Ein Heldenleben

Oslo Philharmonic Orchestra, Vasily Petrenko

For their first recording project since their critically-acclaimed Scriabin cycle, Petrenko and his Norwegian orchestra embark on a new Strauss series on LAWO with two great tone-poems from the 1890s; reviewing a live performance of *Also sprach* in 2016, *BachTrack* observed that 'Nietzsche may have proclaimed that God is dead, but he reckoned without Petrenko. All of creation seemed to emanate from the man as he summoned vast worlds into being'.

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